

FARMHOUSE HELLO ChalkMade™ Kit



Supplies Needed

Chalk Transfer design: ChalkMade—Hello

Surface: Rustic Round (16")

Chalkology™ Paste Singles: Black Velvet (2), Bright White (2)

Tools: Mini Squeegee, Color Trays, Paintbrush, Placement Tape

Accessories: Greenery, Ribbon

Painting Your Board:

1. Use Placement Tape to tape off a 7" thick section in the center of your board for the Bright White stripe.
2. Knead each Bright White Chalkology Paste Single, cut or tear open the top, and squeeze onto a Color Tray.
3. Add a small amount of water to the tray.
4. Mix water into your paste with your paintbrush until it's a smooth and thin consistency.
5. Paint the Bright White stripe on the board in thin coats, following the wood grain. This may take 2–3 coats.
6. Let it dry. If black stripes are desired, do not remove tape and see the next step; if not, remove tape and move on to chalking the sentiment.
7. If black stripes are desired, add another piece of tape 3/4" above the top piece of tape and another below the bottom piece of tape to create two 3/4" thick sections for your black stripes.
8. Wash your paintbrush with soap and water. Rinse thoroughly.
9. Repeat steps 2–5 using only one packet of Black Velvet Paste (if you water down both, you won't be able to chalk the sentiment in black).
10. Let paste dry and remove all the tape.

Chalking Your Sentiment:

1. Remove your Transfer from its packaging.
2. Carefully peel off the Transfer Backer Sheet.
3. "Fuzz" the Transfer by gently pressing it onto a Fuzzing Cloth and carefully pulling it upward to collect a bit of lint (this helps to more easily remove the Transfer from the surface after you've applied the paste). You may wish to repeat this a few times to gentle the adhesive.



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4. Position your Transfer on the surface, in the center of the white stripe. Smooth out the Transfer to adhere, ensuring there are no bubbles or wrinkles.
5. Knead the remaining Chalkology Paste Single, cut or tear open the top, and squeeze the desired amount onto a clean Color Tray.
6. Use a small amount of paste on your squeegee and smooth it over the Transfer, beginning at the top. Cover the entire design. Squeegee the excess paste off as evenly as possible and scrape it back into the tray. The more excess paste you remove, the better the result will be.
7. *Before the paste dries*, remove your Transfer from the surface. To prevent any stretching in the Transfer, peel from the center or from both corners, instead of peeling diagonally. Immediately clean the Transfer with cool water (do not let it soak).
8. Dry the Transfer flat with the sticky side up.
9. Once the Transfer is washed and dried, reapply the Transfer Backer Sheet and store flat.

Completing Your Project:

1. Tie the ribbon into a bow.
2. Attach greenery and ribbon to the surface using hot glue or other adhesive of your choice.
3. Relish your creation!