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Cheap Easy Skull How-To

Supplies and Costs



- A skull to work with....a nice one like one from AAC. I am using the skull from a skeleton I have from Oriental Trading. The 36" posbale skeleton....very very nice. \$15 for skull or \$20 for skeleton I got
- Tin Foil
- News Paper
- Water
- Flour

Step 1

First we need to make sure we do not ruin our base skull. Take your tin foil and cover the skull. Be sure to do the eyes first so that you don't rip the tin foil. You will probably have to do 2 or 3 layers. Try to get it as smooth and detailed as possible. I purposely broke through on the nose

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Step 2



Now it needs the paper mache. Mix your flour and water until you get a thick mixture. It should be thick but still run. Run as in runny. Anyway, now you need your newspaper into small strips about 1 inch wide, 3-4 inches long. Now grab a strip and put it into the mache. Push off all the excess and put it onto the skull. Keep going. Be sure to go in different directions for strength. Do 2 layers. Now it needs to dry overnight.

Step 3



Now that your skull has dried and hardened, it needs to come off the mold. Grab an Xacto knife and cut it. You can either cut it like I did in the picture, or go vertically right down the middle of his face. Now hot glue the sides back together. Make some more mache and do another layer on it. I added tissues and the end for a more weird look. I like it. The finished picture is up top.

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