## 3-D Clam Shell

**Materials: Pasta or cereal** box, plain paper, pencil, scissor, white or clear school glue, crayons

1. Carefully unfold the box and cut the box apart at the folds. Fold the larger side panels in half.

2. Practice drawing a clam outline on plain paper and when you get one you like cut it out. This is your stencil! You can make 1 clam or an entire bushelful!



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3. Fold a piece of plain paper in half and put your clam cut out on the edge of the fold, trace, and cut out.

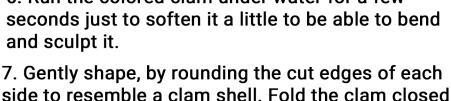
4. Open up the paper clam and place it on the open box with the clam hinge in line and directly on top of the crease in the box. Trace, and cut along your line.



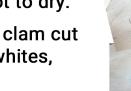
5. Color the unprinted side of the clam (cut from the box) to resemble the exterior side of a clam shell. Make lots & lots of curved lines mostly in greys, with hints of blues, white, browns & black. If you do not have grey crayons, you can put down a light layer of white, then lightly put in black rings. Then go back over in white pressing more firmly

to blend.

6. Run the colored clam under water for a few and sculpt it.



at the hinge. Put a crumbled piece of your scraps into the clam, to prop it open a little. Put in a sunny or warm spot to dry.



8. While the box cut out is drying, color the paper clam cut out to resemble the inside of a clam shell. Use whites, purples, blues, greys, & browns.



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9. When the box cut out clam is dry, glue the colored paper clam inside of the box cutout.

10. When the glue is dry trim off any over lapping paper or box. Your project is complete!

