

Slump/Hump Mold Bowls!

Using a SLAB to form a bowl

STEPS:

1. Determine your mold (bowl, plate, platter?)
2. Wrap mold in plastic wrap/plastic bag and tape down
3. Create a slab or multiple slabs (thickness of pinkie finger!)
4. Add texture to one or both sides
5. Drape/place on mold (inside or outside?)
6. Form how you want (wavy lips? Exact form to your mold?)
7. Appliques? Foot? Your choice! Score and slip to slab once slab is leather hard . Will your bowl be an animal, person, etc?

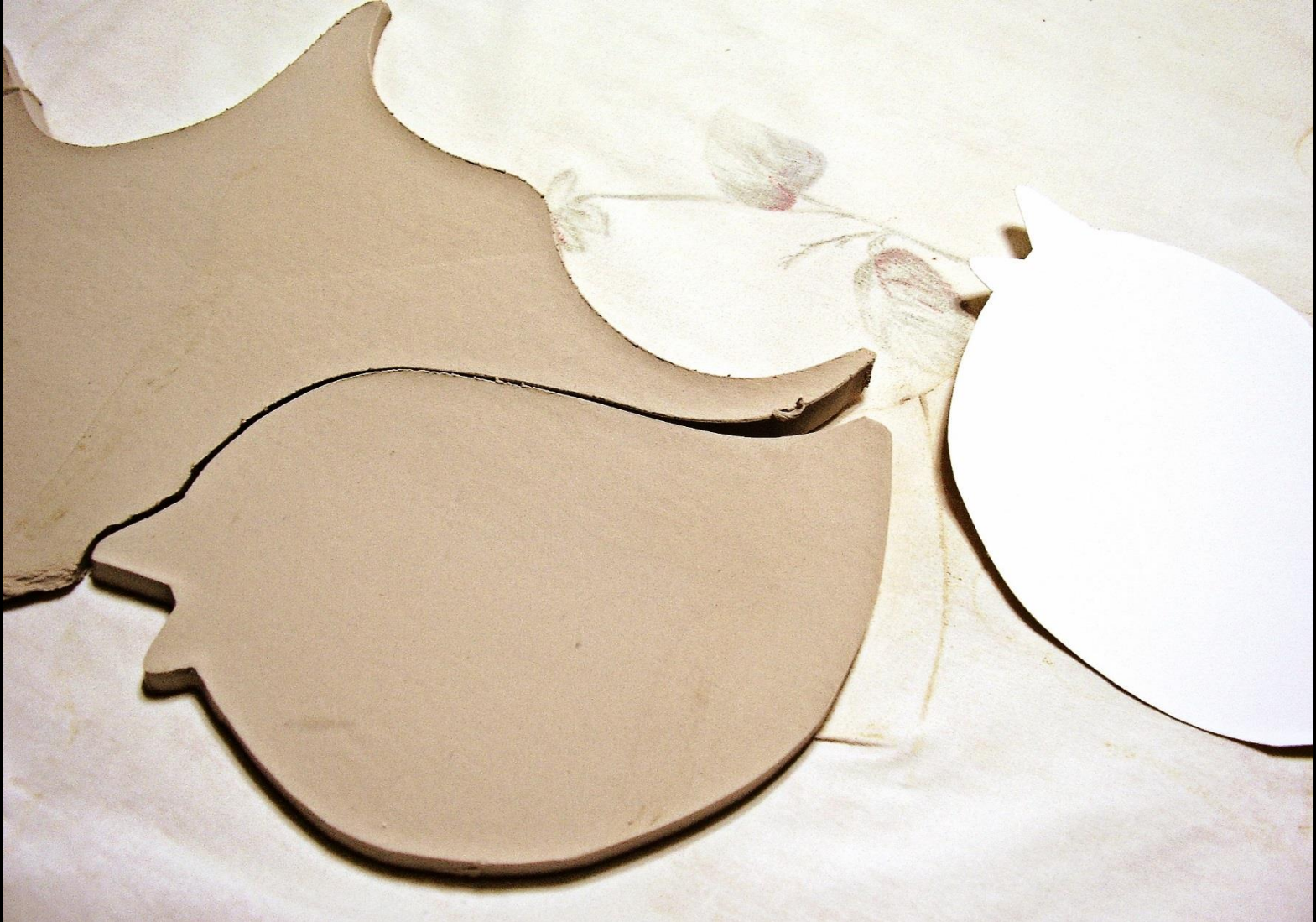
Determine what kind of mold
you want to use
(plastic bowl, platter, plate?)



Wrap mold in plastic!



Create your SLAB



Determine SHAPE of Slab



Rectangle slab



Work on outside or inside of bowl

- Outside = HUMP mold (wavy forms ONLY)
- Inside = SLUMP mold (prevents cracking when clay shrinks)

HUMP METHOD



Work on outside of bowl
Wavy/organic forms ONLY





HUMP METHOD= Wavy Bowls



Wavy lip for an organic form

Use HUMP







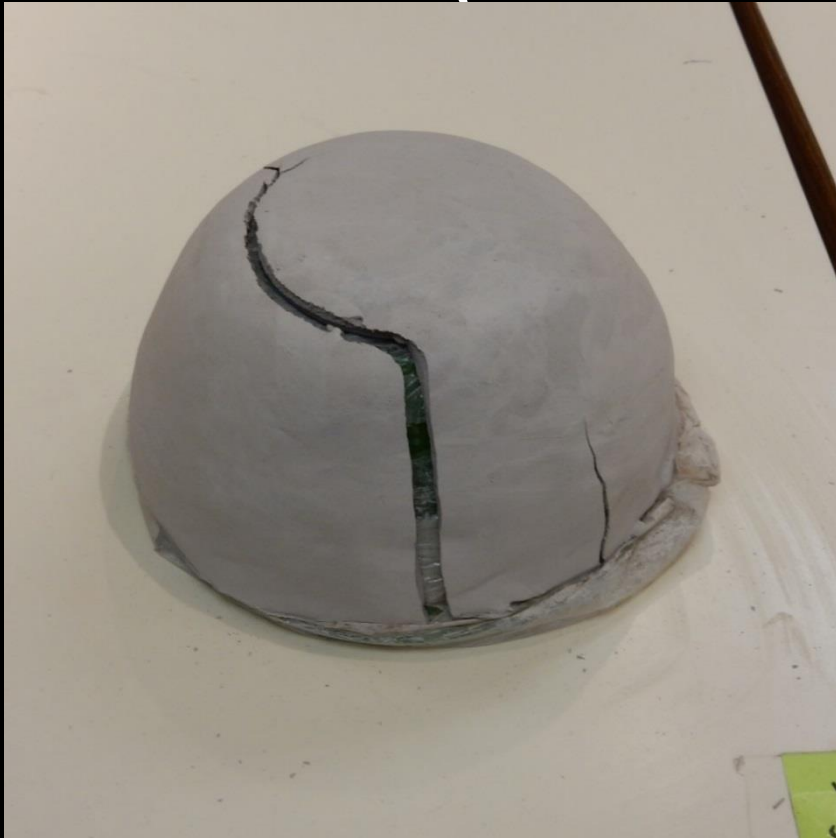
Include Negative Space?



BE CAREFUL!

As clay dries it shrinks.

If you want the exact form of your bowl you must
work on the **INSIDE** or cracking will happen
(allow the clay room to shrink)



SLUMP METHOD



SLUMP



Work on INSIDE of bowl
(slump mold) for exact form



Work on **INSIDE** of bowl if using
cookie cutters/ multiple pieces



Multiple pieces



Multiple pieces



Multiple pieces with Negative Space



SLUMP METHOD



SLUMP METHOD









Functional vs. Sculptural!
Be creative using the
slump/hump technique!



Add texture for visual interest



Texture



Texture



Create an applique out of clay!
Score and slip onto bowl



Create your
project INTO something!











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