

Egg Carton Masonry

A good likeness for stones and bricks can be easily be made using the rough inside of the lid of an egg carton, craft paint, sealer and spackle. The masonry can be painted before cutting, or after glueing. In this tutorial, we paint first.



Select about three stone colors of acrylic paint. Squeeze onto a palette.

With a wet sponge brush, dab slightly mixed colors onto the rough side of an egg carton top.



Once the glue is thoroughly dry, seal the stones with a clear finish like Urathane or Mod Podge.

Once dry run a large ball stylus along each joint.



Cut into strips and then rectangles or irregular shapes. Cut off corners to soften.



Add a drop or two of gray paint to about two tablespoons of spackle. Mix and add water if needed to make the consistency of thick frosting.

Spread into joints with finger or damp cloth. Wipe off the excess and let dry.



With white glue, glue each "stone" into place.



With a damp cloth, clean off each stone. Once dry, seal again.