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### Instructions

1. Print out the attached PDFs
2. To make the stencils:
  - a. Trace the stencil on stiff paper (ex: a manila folder, thin cardboard, cereal box)
  - b. Cut out the interior of the stencils so that you are left with an empty outline of your design (this is the negative of the design - the mud will create the positive, filled-in image)
  - c. Try not to start on the edge of the paper since the mud may seep through the crack
3. Gather some dirt in a container
4. Add water to the container of dirt and mix (with your hands or a stick)
  - a. Aim for the consistency of peanut butter - not too thick and easy to apply
5. Find a flat space on the ground (concrete is better because it is easier to see the image) and arrange your design stencils
6. Apply a thin layer of mud to the empty area of the stencil
  - a. Getting some mud on the cardboard will not affect the stencil (it will go away when you pick up the cardboard)
  - b. If you choose to apply mud around the outside of your entire piece of cardboard, that can act as a frame for your finished product (not shown in the video demonstration)
7. Carefully peel back the stencil and let the sun dry the mud
8. You did it!