



AVERAGE TIME CHALLENGE LEVEL

2  
HOURS



Simple Techniques - Stunning Effects

# MOTHER'S DAY HANDPRINT BEE



## MATERIALS

DB24807 Geometrix Large  
Square Plate  
Detail Brush  
Medium Brush  
Liner Brush  
NCR Pattern  
Pen

## COLORS

CMM 62 - Just Blue  
CMM 31 - Licorice  
CMM 91 - Blue Ice  
CMM 19 - Banana Boat

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## INSTRUCTIONS

1. Water down Just Blue paint with 50% water to 50% paint.
2. Paint 1-2 coats of the watered-down blue on the front of the plate.
3. Once the background is dry, trace on your NCR pattern by pressing firmly with a pen as you trace over all of the lines.
4. You can either print the child's hands before painting the bee, or after painting the bee. We used Blue Ice, but any shade of blue will work.
5. Fill in the bee with 3 coats of Banana Boat.
6. Apply the stripes on the bee with 2 coats of Licorice.
7. Water down some Licorice paint with 50% water to 50% paint. Create a messy double outline around your bee and the wings. This is supposed to look whimsical, not perfect.
8. Use a detail brush to apply the lettering with one coat of Licorice.
9. Add the child's name and the year to either the front or back of the plate.

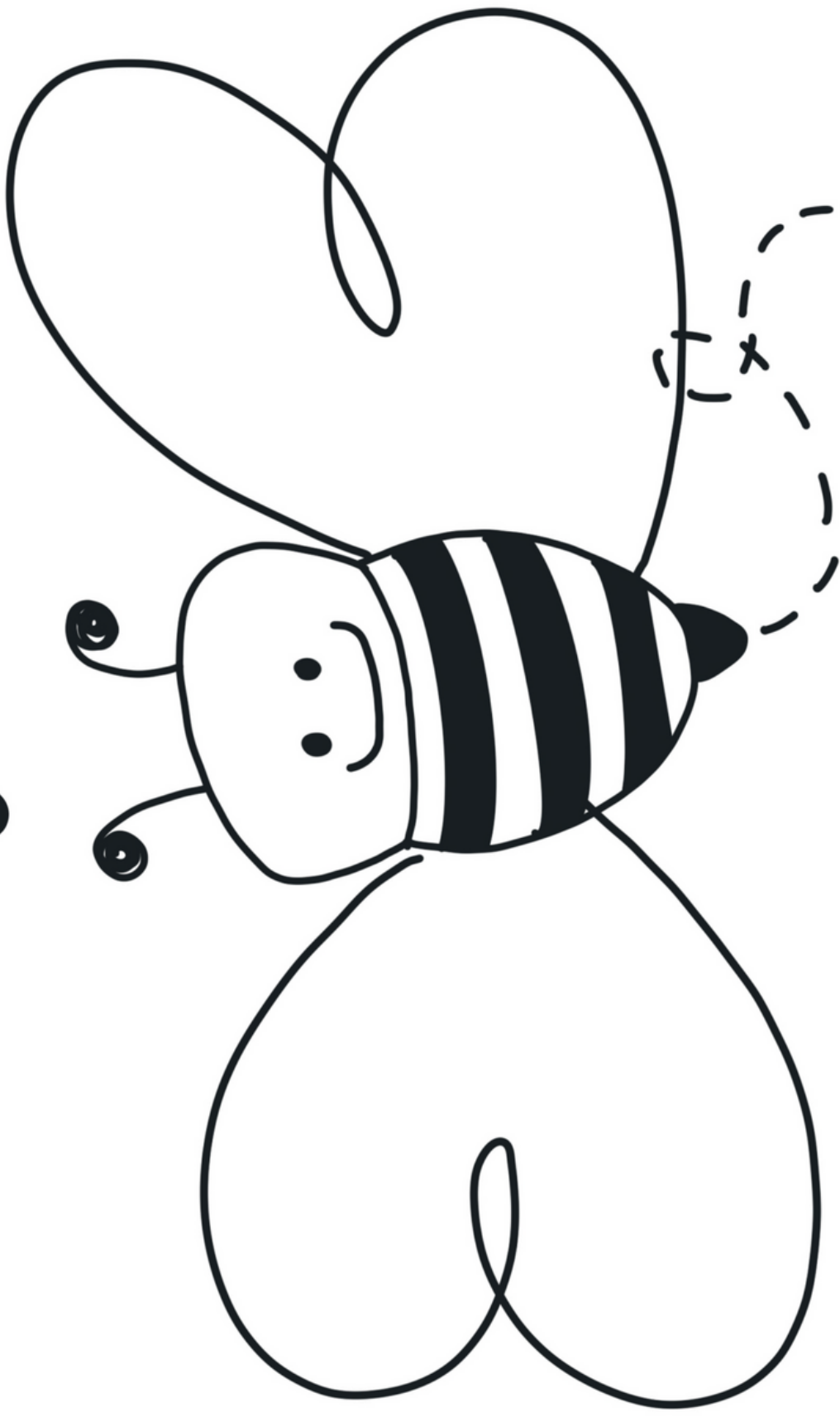
## TIPS

- The harder you press on the brush the heavier the lines will be.
- A darker blue color will give a more prominent handprint

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