

## Travel Time - Gift bag with pretty tag



### Creative holiday gifts

It's nice to bring back a little souvenir for your loved ones back home, to show them that you were thinking of them while you were away. Something typical of the country you've been to, shells you've collected on the beach or little souvenirs, maybe - a little cotton bag makes pretty and sustainable packaging for them. With a customised greeting stamped on a homemade FIMOair tag, these one-of-a-kind gifts make a lovely surprise.



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## Step-by-step tutorial



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Roll out some FIMOair basic white into a sheet about 0.4 cm thick using the acrylic roller.

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Cut out your desired template, place it on the sheet of FIMOair and cut away the excess FIMO from the edges using a blade.



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Pierce a hole in the tag using a bead piercing needle.



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Stamp your desired text using the cookie stamps.



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Then make a couple of beads from FIMOair basic, thread them onto bead piercing needles and hang over a glass to ensure no pressure marks develop. Now leave the beads and the tag to dry for 24 hours, turning them from time to time.

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Once they are dry, paint the beads and the tag with acrylic paint.

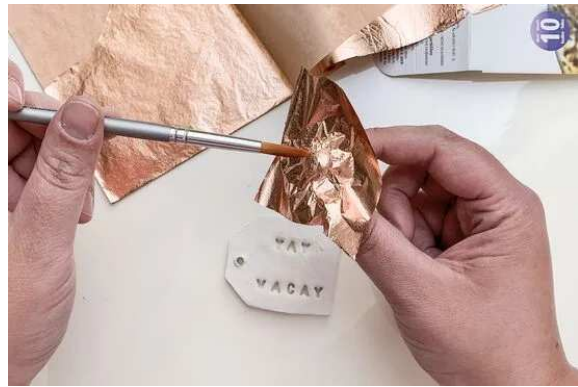


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Then apply size for leaf metal in the desired places, leave for 15 minutes and then add the leaf metal in copper, dabbing it on carefully with a dry brush.

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Brush away the surplus with a dry brush. The leaf metal will only stick to the places where you have applied the size.  
Finally attach the tag to the cotton back with a cord - and you're done!



## Material overview



## What you need

Product	Article no.	Quantity
<b>FIMO® 8781</b> Leaf metal - Single product Leaf metal, copper	8781-26	1
<b>FIMO® 8782</b> Size for leaf metal - Blistercard containing 1 jar of size for leaf metal, 35 ml	8782 BK	1
<b>FIMO® 8700 05</b> Acrylic roller - Blistercard containing an Acrylic roller	8700 05	1
<b>FIMO® 8712 20</b> Bead piercing needles - Blistercard containing 50 bead piercing pins	8712 20	1
<b>FIMO® 8700 04</b> Blades - Blistercard with mixed blade set, 3 pieces (1 rigid, 1 flexible and 1 serrated blade), 2 rubber grips	8700 04	1
<b>STAEDTLER® 8500</b> Acrylic paint - Cardboard box containing 24 acrylic paints in assorted colours	8500 C24	1

### Additionally required:

small cotton bag, paintbrushes, cookie stamps, cotton cord