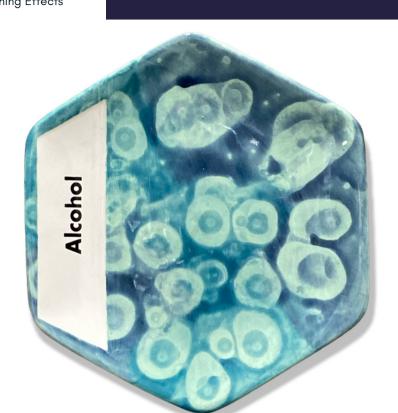


# TECHNIQUE: ALCOHOL



## **MATERIALS**

Plate
Rubbing Alcohol
Fan Brush
Medium Round Brush
Small Round Brush

## **COLORS**

CMM 14 - Gum Drop CMM 45 - Indigo CMM 2 - Stonewash



#### INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Paint the piece with 2–3 coats of your light color, we used Gum Drop. Let that dry well.
- 2. We need to thin down the other colors we are putting on top. Add equal parts of water to your paint and mix. We are looking for the consistency of milk.
- 3. Working small sections at a time use a fan brush to apply your watered down paint. Then immediately dip the round brush in alcohol and drip drops on to the wet paint. This will create little circles as it repels the paint.
- 4. Continue working until your piece is covered.

### **TIPS**

- We suggest using a light color background and dark colors for the top.
- Using different sized round brushes in the alcohol will create different sized drops which makes for cool effects.
- Make sure to water your top colors down with equal parts water and paint.
- On a flat piece this makes circles. On a standing piece it will create drips.

