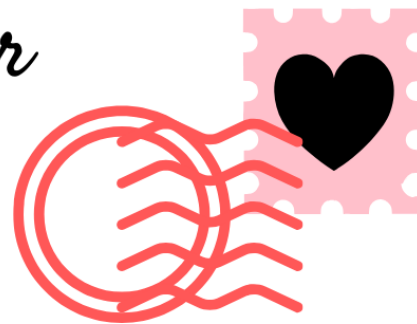


# Love Letters Platter

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## Supplies

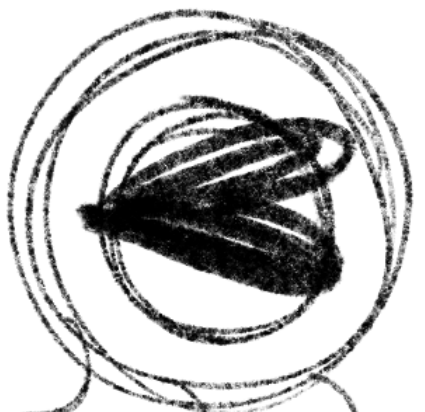
Sushi Server (item #176)  
Cutie Pie Coral  
Blue Dawn  
My Blue Heaven  
Pink A Dot  
Pink A Boo  
Candy Apple Red  
Tiger Tail  
Cotton Tail  
Tuxedo  
Round Brush  
10/0 Liner Brush  
Pencil  
Sponge  
Envelope Pattern (optional)



## Instructions

1. Sketch a thin rectangular border around the plate. Add angled stripes around the border to mimic vintage envelope tape.
2. Sketch (or carbon copy) the Envelope Pattern onto the plate.
3. Paint the stripes of the envelope tape with Pink A Dot, Candy Apple Red, and Cotton Tail.
4. Paint the bee stamp using Tiger Tail, Cotton Tail, Blue Dawn, and My Blue Heaven. Save all of your Tuxedo details and outlines until last!
5. Paint the URGENT stamp with My Blue Heaven. When dry, outline with Blue Dawn for some added dimension.
6. When the bee stamp is dry, paint the meter marking using Pink A Boo on the outside circle, Pink A Dot on the inside, and outline with Cutie Pie Coral.
7. Carefully fill in the letters, starting with the return address, using thinned Tuxedo and a liner brush. When you apply a thick and even coat of Tuxedo, you can get away with only painting one layer of the black on the letters. Adding multiple layers can potentially blow out your letters. To fake brush calligraphy, thicken your downstrokes on each letter.
8. When the letters are finished, outline the stamps and envelope tape.
9. Dip a round sponge into Tuxedo and swipe along the edge of the plate.
10. Dip the liner brush into thinned Tuxedo and splatter the platter by tapping the brush.
11. Overglaze and fire to Cone 06.

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To My Valentine

I'm my heart  
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URGENT