

# **Woodburning Maker Kit**

#### Guide

The wood burner can be used to decorate wooden objects with burn marks. This kit contains everything you need to learn the basics of this beautiful art form.

\*Warning\* the wood burner gets incredibly hot. Please be careful not to burn yourself and do not set on flammable surfaces. For large projects especially, make sure to work in a well ventilated area. Wait until cooled completely before storing back in the box.

### **Starting Out**

<u>Make sure to read the user manual before beginning!</u> This document details the different functions of the wood burner as well as safety warnings you should be aware of before using.

<u>This tool gets very hot!</u> You should never directly touch the metal tips of the wood burner during or directly following use. Try tracing your designs onto the wood before burning them.

Also try this video of beginner tips: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=at7agmTvP-g">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=at7agmTvP-g</a>

### **Types of Wood**

The wood should be natural, not processed with preservatives or synthetic materials. Tree branches and stems as well as finished lumber including plywood (if non-synthetic) are all fair game. Do not, however, use MDF or other composite wood products.

## **Troubleshooting**

If you experience problems, please contact the Reference Desk at <a href="mailto:cvref@wcpl.lib.oh.us">cvref@wcpl.lib.oh.us</a>.

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