

## Project Guide

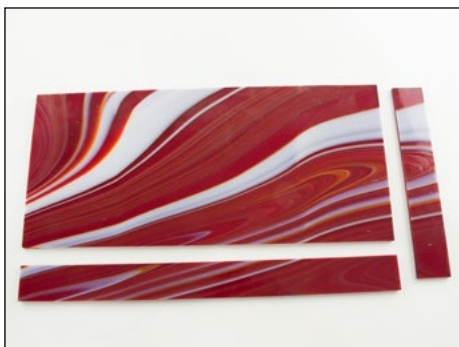
### “Peppermint Candy” Dish

Glass Cutting: **Straight cutting, nipping**

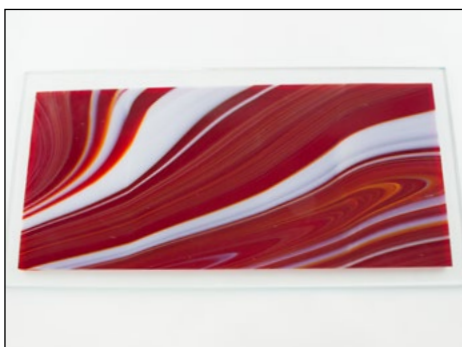
Firing: **Contour Fuse, Slump**



This adorable project couldn't be easier to create. It's a perfect dish to whip up for the holidays since it looks so much like crushed peppermint candy around the border. Makes a great gift too!



1. Trim 1-inch from one horizontal side and 1-inch from one vertical side of a 6x12-inch piece of Strawberries & Cream OpalArt™ and reserve the strips for the border.



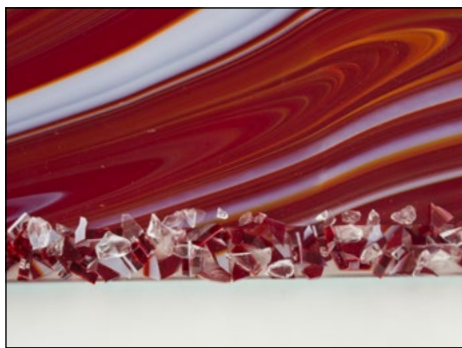
2. Center the 5x11-inch piece of Strawberries & Cream on top of a 6x12-inch sheet of Oceanside Compatible® fusible Clear. Adhere with pinpoint of Elmer's School Glue.



3. Nip the remaining Strawberries & Cream strips into small pieces. (Always remember to nip into a container!)



4. Place the nipped pieces of Strawberries & Cream around the rim creating an approximately 3/4-inch border of the crushed “peppermint candy” effect on all sides. (Klyr-Fire makes a good adhesive for this type of work.)



5. Add some Clear Coarse Frit on top of the nipped pieces in the border for a sugary effect. Contour fuse using the schedule at right. (Note that this schedule allows for a bubble squeeze while maintaining the detail in the border. Slump as desired.

### Contour-Fuse Schedule We Used

Seg.	Ramp (°F per Hour)	Goal Temp (° F)	Hold Time (Minutes)
1	250	1050	40
2	150	1290	20
3	300	1340	10
4	9999*	950	60
5	150	800	10
6	300	100	0

### Materials We Used

Clear  
Strawberries & Cream  
Clear Coarse Frit  
Kiln Shelf Paper

#### Tip

Be sure to turn most of the nipped Strawberries & Cream pieces White-side-up to look more like peppermint candy.