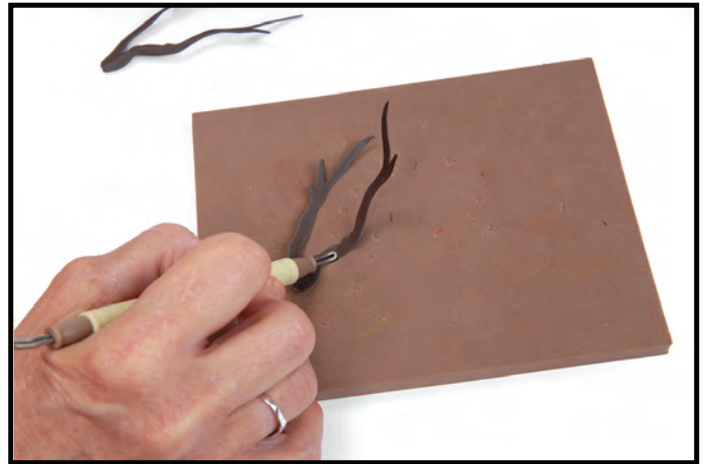


659252 Sizzix® Thinlits™ Die - Branches & Stem by Susan Tierney-Cockburn



1. Die-cut Stems and Branches from cardstock. To create one Branch or one Stem, two die-cuts of the item are necessary.



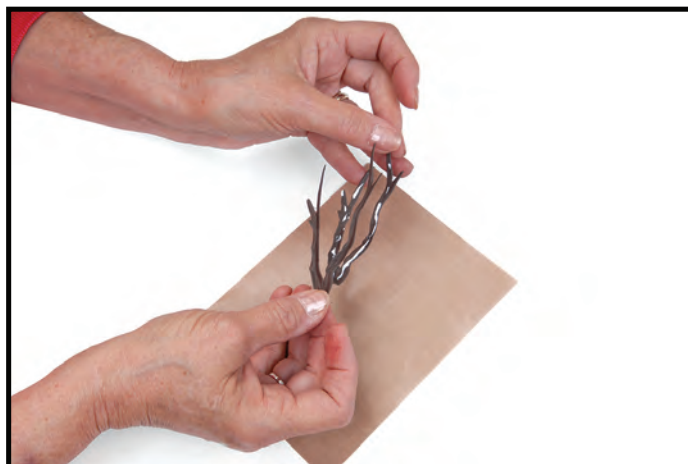
2. Place Branch or Stem pieces on the Molding Pad, right side down, and use the 3mm Loop Tool to **shape**.



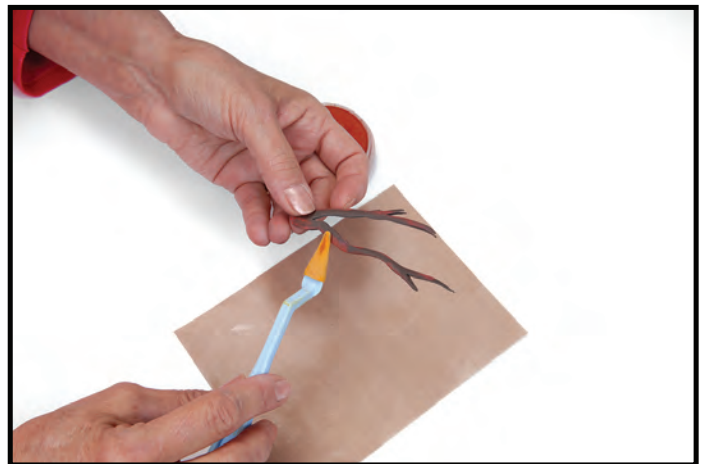
3. Place your die-cut face down on the Leaf Pad and **line** the center of each projection of the Branch or Stem using the Leaf Tool.



4. **Bend** the pieces so that a V-shaped channel is formed on the back side of each piece.



5. Apply glue to the inside of one of the pieces and nestle the second piece into the first so that the V's match.



6. Shade the Stem or Branch with your favorite inks or PanPastel™. Set Stem or Branch on your project and add your favorite 3-dimensional flowers.

The smaller Branch is perfect for Forsythia and the larger for Flowering Quince, Dogwood or Bougainvillea. The Stem is perfect for mini Roses, Stephanotis or Fuschia.