HOW TO USE THE BUTTON MAKER

1. Cut out your Button Design

- Use the appropriately sized circle cutter to cut out your button design.
- Place the cutter on top of your design. Use the metal cutting plate so to not scratch the table.
- Holding firmly, push down on the knob and turn the crank until your design is fully cut out.

Button supplies available for purchase at the Lower Level Service Desk.

1.5" button - \$0.25 2.25" button - \$0.30 Magnet - \$0.50

2. You should have four pieces to make a button

- Paper button design
- Top of button
- Mylar
- Bottom of button (Pinback)



3. Make a button

- Begin with the button maker handle on the left side
- In the shallow side of the button maker, place the top of the button (round side up), paper design, and the mylar.
- Rotate the wells clockwise so that the design is underneath the handle.
- In the the deeper side, place the bottom of the button (zig zag side up).
- Press the red handle down firmly to pick up the top of the button.
- Rotate again so the bottom side is now underneath. Press down again firmly to finish the button.



STARTING POSITION



LAYER IN THIS



ROTATE CLOCKWISE PRESS DOWN FIRMLY.



ROTATE AGAIN. PRESS DOWN FIRMLY TO FINISH THE BUTTON.

See the Lower Level Service Desk for assistance.

HOW TO MAKE MAGNETIC BUTTONS

1. Cut out your Button Design

- Use the appropriately sized circle cutter to cut out your button design.
- Place the cutter on top of your design. Use the metal cutting plate so to not scratch the table.
- Holding firmly, push down on the knob and turn the crank until your design is fully cut out.

Button supplies available for purchase at the Lower Level Service Desk.

Magnet - \$0.50

2. You should have five pieces to make a magnetic button

- Paper button design
 magnetic sticker
- Top of button
- Mylar
- Bottom of button



3. Making a magnetic button

- Begin with the button maker handle on the left side
- Place the top, smooth piece of metal facing up in the shallow half of the button maker
- Place down the design and then the mylar sheet on top of the metal.
- Spin maker, and bring the handle up and to the opposite side, pressing hard
- Let the handle come up and place the divet/ridges facing up towards you
- Spin the bottom half and press down with the handle once more
- Remove the backing from the magnet and place on the back of button.



See the Lower Level Service Desk for assistance.

PRESS DOWN FIRMLY.