

Glues and Adhesives

Stay tuned for possible videos demonstrating instant glues and accelerators and how they are used by Ron Swank.

Steve Kiser says his glue of choice is Titebond instant bond wood adhesive. It comes in three thicknesses. Available at Woodcraft.

2-part Kwikwood or Quikwood are adhesive and good for sculpting or 3-D applications, says Chris Peters.

Bonnie Gibson said in 2017 on Facebook she uses gap-filling Insta-Cure+ Cyanoacrylate (Super Glue). The Insta-Cure+ works best on non-porous surfaces, is more viscous, but the fact that it is gap filling means it won't disappear into the raw gourd like regular super glues.

Heat activated glue Palette Stamp & Stick Glue for embossing powder and possibly gold leaf

Bill Tarlton reminded us that Chris Peters' demonstrated how Arleen's Tacky glue, which comes in white and clear, adheres Creative PaperClay to a gourd surface. It can also be used to build up layers on fish and birds.