
Tooled leather

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1.Craft characteristics

-Work with malleable materials.

-Leather becomes handicraft objects.

-It's made by hand

-It is used for luxury binding covers, wallets, frames for portraits, seats and backs of chairs, frames, etc.,



2.The technique

It is done by working with different sizes and shapes from the bottom of the piece, located on a soft surface that allows the progressive deformation of the worked surface. In this way, the craftsman works sinking more those areas that should have a greater relief on the other side. The final details of the relief are obtained by working on the front of the piece, delineating it with thinner chisels to obtain a greater definition.



3.Used materials

The materials are malleable and leather is used in handicrafts or works of art.



4. History

Leather is one of the most useful materials for humanity since its origins, either for personal use or to make useful objects.

Therefore, having such a remote origin, the skin has been and is treated in a thousand different ways to beautify it, one of these techniques to achieve it is precisely the embossing technique.



5. Youtube videos

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aP2F06UypaQ>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=43AKgwIaJwo>

https://www.documentalesetnograficos.es/es/el_repujado_del_cuero.php

6.Gallery

