

# HOW TO USE THE BUTTON MAKER

## 1. Cut out your Button Design

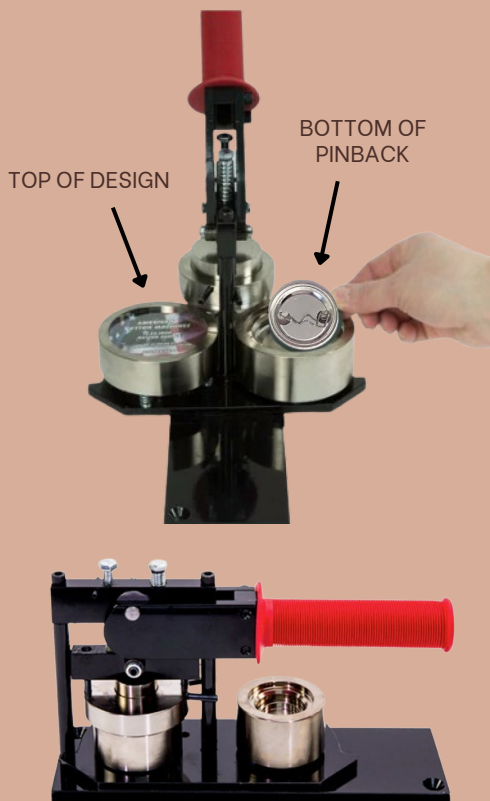
- Use the appropriately sized circle cutter to cut out your button design.
- Place the cutter on top of your design. Use the metal cutting plate so to not scratch the table.
- Holding firmly, push down on the knob and turn the crank until your design is fully cut out.

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

- In the shallow side of the button maker, place the top of the button (round side up), paper design, and the mylar.
- In the deeper side, place the bottom of the button (zig zag side up).
- To ensure your button is not crooked, align the top of the design and the bottom of the pinback.
- Rotate the button maker so the top side is underneath the handle. 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.

See the Lower Level Service Desk for assistance.