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4. Smooth out the pastel with your fingers for a gradient, then wash your hands
5. Optional. Create additional cuts along the petals to create a more spiky succulent
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7. Once it is rolled, try to flatten the bottom of the succulent
8. Take your rubber band and wrap it around the bottom portion of the roll, like you are securing one end of the sleeping bag.
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