

🎯 Mold Tips: Suggested Slumping Schedules (Fahrenheit)

The following slumping schedules have been collected over years of experience at Bullseye's Research & Education studios. Note that the schedules are intended as a starting point. Many variables factor in to developing an appropriate cycle. Every kiln fires differently, and different glass styles vary in viscosity.

Since no single slumping schedule will work for every project, we recommend that you visually confirm the slump during the firing. To do this, open the kiln door enough to take a quick look, then close it and think about what you've seen. Don't hold the door open for more than a few seconds.

Depending on the mold you're working with, this can happen either as you approach process temperature and/or during the process soak until the slump is complete. Be sure to record your observations for future reference.

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Slumping Basics, Working with Drop-Out Molds

Using these schedules

Schedules are based on observations from slumping 6-mm-thick pieces in Paragon GL24 kilns. For each mold, the first segment of the firing is provided. Plug it into the provided template.

Segment	Rate (°F/hr)	Temperature	Hold
1			
2	AFAP*	900°F	1:00
3	100°F	700°F	:00
4	AFAP*	70°F	:00

* As Fast As Possible. Allow the kiln to cool at its natural rate with the door closed.



Soup Bowl

8665: 9.4" x 1.6"
(24 x 4 cm)

▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 1:15



Pasta Bowl

8909: 11.3" x 1.7" x 2"
(29 x 4 x 5 cm)

▶ 300°F | 1235°F | 1:00

8910: 13.1" x 1.9" x 2.4"
(33 x 5 x 6 cm)

▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :45



Plain Plate

8721: 14.6" x 1.2"
(37 x 3 cm)

▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :05

8722: 9.4" x 1.6"
(45 x 5 cm)

▶ 300°F | 1180°F | :05



Saturn Dessert Plate

8939: 11.3" x 0.7" x 5"
(29 x 2 x 13 cm)

▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 1:30



Round Plate

8928: 12.8" x 0.7"
(33 x 2 cm)

▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 1:30



Classic

8748: 5.9" x 1"
(15 x 3 cm)

▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 1:30

8749: 6.1" x 0.6"
(16 x 2 cm)

▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 1:30

8747: 8.5" x 0.9"
(22 x 2 cm)

▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :45



Classic

8723: 12.1" x 3"
(31 x 8 cm)

▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :45

8724: 15.7" x 3.3"
(40 x 8 cm)

▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :30



Cone Bowl

8943: 7.4" x 2.2"
(19 x 6 cm)

See *Mold Tips: Cone Bowls*



Large Cone Bowl

8975: 11.5" x 3.4"
(29 x 9 cm)

See *Mold Tips: Cone Bowls*



Big Bowl

8973: 12.5" x 3.7"
(32 x 9 cm)

See *Mold Tips: Big Bowl*

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Seder Plate

8959: 12.3" x 1.4"
(31 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:15



Swirl

8788: 11.9" x 2.1"
(30 x 5 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 0:45



Round Slumper

8630: 7.5" x 1"
(19 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :05
8629: 11.8" x 1.6"
(30 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1190°F | :05



Large Round Slumper

8628: 14.8" x 2.6"
(38 x 7 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :20



Bowl

8651: 15.6" x 2.4"
(40 x 6 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :45
8652: 16.1" x 3.4"
(41 x 9 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1215°F | :15



Oval

8744: 15.4" x 9.8" x 1.7"
(39 x 25 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :40



Oval Dish

8536: 8.1" x 5.2" x 1.3"
(21 x 13 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1220°F | :20



Short Oval

8919: 11" x 4.4" x 1.2"
(28 x 11 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :10



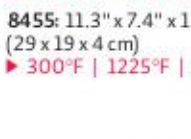
Long Oval

8920: 10.9" x 4.5" x 0.6"
(28 x 11 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1215°F | :20

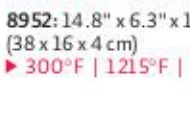


Snack Tray

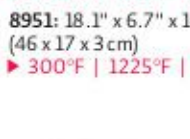
8961: 9.8" x 6.7" x 1.2"
(25 x 17 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:30



8455: 11.3" x 7.4" x 1.5"
(29 x 19 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :20



8952: 14.8" x 6.3" x 1.7"
(38 x 16 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1215°F | :20



8951: 18.1" x 6.7" x 1.3"
(46 x 17 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :10



Ball Surface

8746: 5.8" x 1.7"
(15 x 4 cm)
▶ 200°F | 1220°F | :20



Ball Surface

8733: 14.8" x 2.1"
(38 x 5 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :05



Deep Form Step Two

8990: 15" x 7.3"
(38 x 19 cm)
See Mold Tips: Deep Form



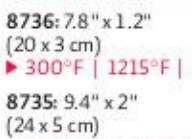
Deep Form Step Three

8991: 12.6" x 8.2"
(32 x 21 cm)
See Mold Tips: Deep Form

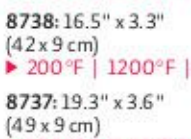


Pyramid Casting Mold

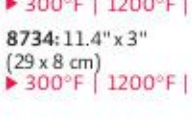
8948: 6.7" x 6.7" x 4.7"
(17 x 17 x 12 cm)
See Mold Tips: Pyramid Casting Mold



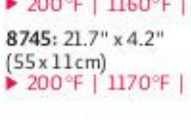
8736: 7.8" x 1.2"
(20 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1215°F | :05



8738: 16.5" x 3.3"
(42 x 9 cm)
▶ 200°F | 1200°F | :05



8735: 9.4" x 2"
(24 x 5 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :30
8734: 11.4" x 3"
(29 x 8 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :20



8737: 19.3" x 3.6"
(49 x 9 cm)
▶ 200°F | 1160°F | :20
8745: 21.7" x 4.2"
(55 x 11 cm)
▶ 200°F | 1170°F | :05



Heart Casting Mold

8948: 3.9" x 3.5"
(10 x 9 cm)
See Mold Tips: Heart Casting Mold

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Mini Soft Edged Plate

8963: 6.1" x 6.1" x 0.8"
(16 x 16 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 2:00



Small Dish

8926: 8.5" x 8.5" x 1.3"
(22 x 22 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 2:15



Soft Edge Platter

8985: 9.1" x 9.1" x 0.9"
(23 x 23 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 1:20



Retro Party Bowl

8936: 16.9" x 16.9" x 3.9"
(57 x 18 x 6 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :35



Yin-Yang Plate

8341: 11.4" x 11.4" x 0.9"
(29 x 29 x 2 cm)
▶ 250°F | 1265°F | 1:30



One-Square Dish

8934: 3.5" x 3.5" x 0.9"
(9 x 9 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:15



**Square Bowl,
Simple Curve**

8647: 12" x 12" x 2.5"
(31 x 31 x 6 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 1:00



**Square Bowl,
Double Curve**

8648: 11.8" x 11.8" x 2.1"
(30 x 30 x 5 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 1:00



Four-Square Dish

8935: 6.7" x 6.7" x 0.9"
(17 x 17 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1240°F | 1:00



**Soft Edge Four
Square Platter**

8342: 14" x 14" x 1.2"
(36 x 36 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 2:20



Very Gentle Curve

8982: 18" x 18" x 2.3"
(46 x 46 x 6 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1160°F | :05



Square Slumper A

8636: 4.5" x 4.5" x 0.8"
(12 x 12 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1180°F | :05



Square Slumper B

8998: 3.4" x 3.4" x 0.9"
(9 x 9 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :05



Square Plate

8901: 3.3" x 3.3" x 0.8"
(8 x 8 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:30



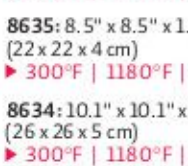
Square Platter

8638: 9.6" x 9.6" x 0.8"
(25 x 25 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:30

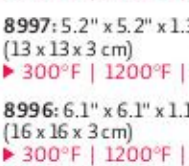


Square Nesting Plate

8757: 5.5" x 5.5" x 0.9"
(14 x 14 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 0:20



8635: 8.5" x 8.5" x 1.5"
(22 x 22 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1180°F | :05



8997: 5.2" x 5.2" x 1.3"
(13 x 13 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :05



8900: 5.3" x 5.3" x 1"
(13 x 13 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1240°F | 1:30



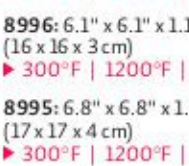
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(30 x 30 x 2 cm)
▶ 250°F | 1240°F | 1:15

8758: 7" x 7" x 0.8"
(18 x 18 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 0:25

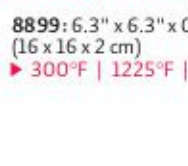
8759: 8.6" x 8.6" x 1"
(22 x 22 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 0:10



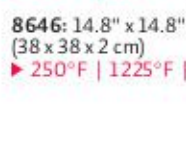
8634: 10.1" x 10.1" x 1.9"
(26 x 26 x 5 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1180°F | :05



8996: 6.1" x 6.1" x 1.1"
(16 x 16 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :05



8899: 6.3" x 6.3" x 0.9"
(16 x 16 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 1:30



8646: 14.8" x 14.8" x 0.8"
(38 x 38 x 2 cm)
▶ 250°F | 1225°F | 1:30



Soap Dish

8981: 6" x 4" x 0.8"
(15 x 10 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1215°F | 1:00



Circle in Square

8453: 5.9" x 5.9" x 1.6"
(15 x 15 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:30



Flat Slumper

8972: 10.6" x 10.6" x 1.1"
(27 x 27 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1170°F | :05

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Small Rectangle

8945: 9.5" x 5.4" x 1.5"
(24 x 14 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:15



Medium Rectangle

8949: 11.4" x 9.1" x 1.3"
(29 x 23 x 3 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :45



Party Platter

8539: 19.8" x 12.8" x 1.8"
(50 x 33 x 5 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 1:45



One Candle Bridge

8903: 7.2" x 5.1" x 2"
(18 x 13 x 5 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:30



Four Candle Bridge

8902: 12.4" x 5.7" x 1.6"
(32 x 15 x 4 cm)
▶ 250°F | 1250°F | 2:00



Simple Curve

8642: 15.6" x 13.1" x 2.8"
(40 x 33 x 7 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1170°F | :05



Serving Tray

8947: 14.8" x 9" x 0.9"
(38 x 23 x 2 cm)
▶ 250°F | 1225°F | 1:20



Concave Dish

8933: 13.9" x 9.5" x 1.7"
(35 x 24 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :45



Convex Dish

8932: 13.5" x 9.7" x 1.4"
(34 x 25 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | :45



Soft Edge Platter Long

8962: 14" x 9.4" x 0.9"
(36 x 24 x 2 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1225°F | 1:00



Double Curve

8960: 9.4" x 8.7" x 1.7"
(24 x 22 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1220°F | :10
8643: 15.9" x 13.6" x 2.9"
(40 x 35 x 7 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1215°F | :10



Lamp Bender Conic

8740: 12.2" x 10.4" x 3.8"
(31 x 27 x 10 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :15



Lamp Bender

8964: 6" x 4.9" x 2.1"
(15 x 12 x 5 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :30
8725: 10.1" x 8.5" x 3.7"
(26 x 22 x 10 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :20



Square Drop Out

8957: 9.5" x 9.5" x 0.7"
(24 x 24 x 2 cm); Inside
5.4" x 5.4" (14 x 14 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:30 *



Rectangular Drop Out

8923: 15.4" x 8.7" x 0.9"
(39 x 22 x 2 cm); Inside 10.2"
x 3.7" (26 x 9 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 2:00 *



Channel Plate

8456: 12.6" x 4.1" x 1.4"
(32 x 10 x 4 cm)
▶ 200°F | 1200°F | :25
8944: 17.1" x 4.8" x 1.6"
(44 x 12 x 4 cm)
▶ 200°F | 1200°F | :15
8257: 22.6" x 6.9" x 2.4"
(57 x 18 x 6 cm)
▶ 200°F | 1200°F | :10



Rectangular Slumper

8924: 12.2" x 7.4" x 1.7"
(31 x 19 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :05
8925: 14.8" x 7.4" x 1.7"
(38 x 19 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1200°F | :05
8929: 16.5" x 11.9" x 2"
(42 x 30 x 5 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1170°F | :05



Oval in Rectangle

8454: 9.1" x 6.1" x 1.5"
(23 x 16 x 4 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:30



Ellipse Drop Out

8955: 17.7" x 10.8" x 0.9"
(45 x 28 x 2 cm); Inside 13.6"
x 6.9" (35 x 18 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:30 *



Drop Out Ring

8633: 7.1" x 0.4" (18 x 1 cm);
Inside 3" (8 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:30 *
8632: 8.9" x 0.4" (23 x 1 cm);
Inside 4.9" (13 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:30 *
8631: 10.8" x 0.5" (28 x 1 cm);
Inside 6.7" (17 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:30 *
8756: 13.3" x 0.5" (34 x 1 cm);
Inside 7.5" (19 cm)
▶ 300°F | 1250°F | 1:30 *

* This schedule is for making a shallow plate. The mold is placed directly on the kiln shelf—not elevated.

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