



1. Apply a very thin coating of cornstarch to the mold and the fondant/gumpaste side that will be pressed down into the mold.



4. Using light, quick strokes roll with a small rolling pin until trimming blades cut through the fondant/gumpaste completely. Press fondant/gumpaste once again into the mold cavity to ensure a detailed impression is made.



7. To unmold, pull the mold lip outward and down while pushing the bottom edge of the mold upward. Keep performing this action around the mold in order to release your fondant/gumpaste from the cavity surface.



2. Sheet the fondant/gumpaste to a thickness that will fill the mold cavity to the base of the trimming blade, not to the top of the trimming blade (see diagram on the right).



5. Remove trimmed outer portion of fondant/gumpaste and then place finger on outside of the trimming blade and press the blade inward and down into the cavity. This step will finish the edge of the fondant perfectly.

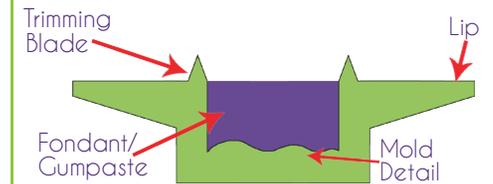


3. Place sheeted fondant/gumpaste on the top of mold and press down firmly with the palm of your hand.

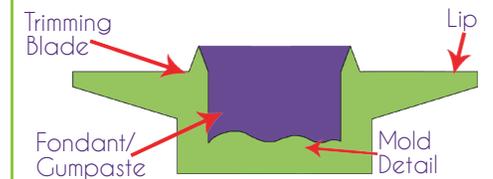


6. If your mold has "windows," use a needle tool to remove any fondant/gumpaste from the window cavity. To finish the edge of this opening, press the window trimming blade outward and down into the cavity.

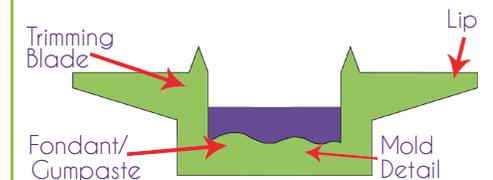
## How To Fill Your Mold



Fill mold to the base of the trimming blade for correct thickness.



Do not fill to the top of the trimming blade. End product will be too thick.



For thin pieces, under-filling is okay as long as bottom details are filled and covered.