

Simply Soft

Materials for one:

construction paper
soft craft items, such as cotton balls, yarn,
and feathers
paintbrush
glue

Art process:

1. Brush glue on part of the paper.
2. Press soft craft items on the glue.
3. Repeat Steps 1 and 2, arranging materials as desired.

Scribble and Tear

Materials for one:

white construction paper
colored construction paper
crayons
glue stick

Art process:

1. Draw a scribble design on the white paper.
2. Tear the drawing into several pieces.
3. Glue each piece, crayon-side up, to the colored paper.





Fabulous Foil

Materials for one:

aluminum foil
plastic wrap
markers
tape

Art process:

1. Choose a marker and draw a design on the foil.
2. Repeat Step 1 with different markers, overlapping the designs. *(After the drawing is finished, cover it with clear plastic wrap and tape the loose edges to the back of the foil.)*

Smooth Design

Materials for one:

hair spray (for teacher use only)
construction paper
sidewalk chalk
water

Art process:

1. Dip a piece of chalk in water and draw on the paper.
2. Repeat Step 1 using different colors of chalk. *(Spray the artwork with hair spray to keep the chalk from rubbing off the paper.)*



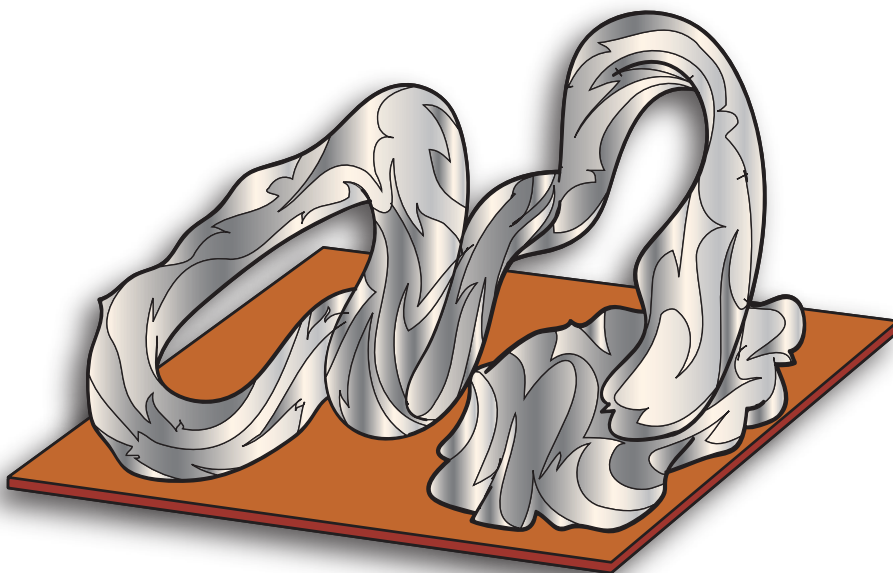
Sandy Formation

Materials for one:

sandy dough (recipe on page 123)
medium-size seashells
craft stick

Art process:

1. Squeeze, pinch, and stroke the dough to investigate its texture; then mold the dough as desired.
2. Use the craft stick to add designs.
3. Embellish the sculpture by pressing shells into the dough.



Foil Fun

Materials for one:

aluminum foil scraps
cardboard
squeeze bottle of glue

Art process:

1. Twist, roll, or scrunch the pieces of foil.
2. Squeeze glue on the cardboard and press the foil pieces on the glue.



Dip and Drop

Materials for one:

cotton balls
construction paper
shallow pans of paint

Art process:

1. Dip a cotton ball in a pan of paint.
2. Drop the cotton ball on the paper.
3. Repeat Steps 1 and 2 using different cotton balls and colors of paint.
4. Remove the cotton balls from the paper and discard them.

Bubble Prints

Materials for one:

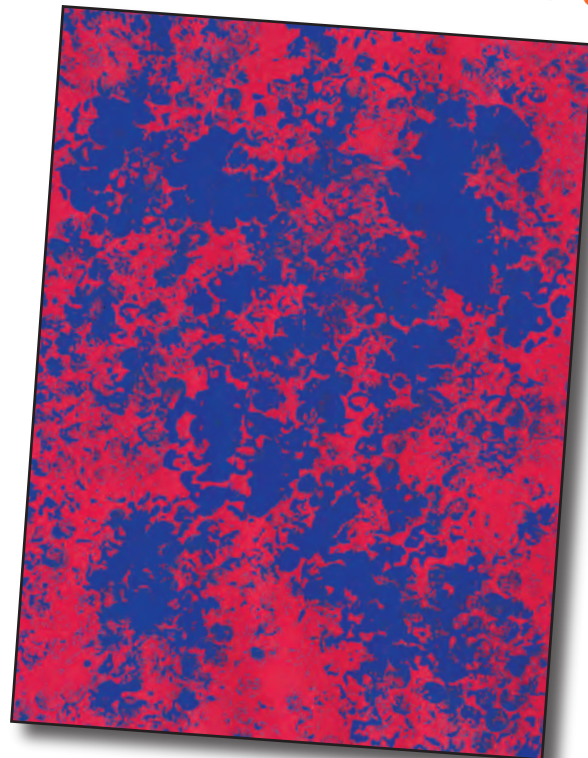
Bubble Wrap cushioning material
construction paper
shallow pan of paint
tape

Setup:

Fold the cushioning material in half bubble-side out and tape the sides together, leaving the end open like a mitten.

Art process:

1. Slide your hand in the mitten.
2. Dip the mitten in the paint.
3. Gently press the mitten on the paper.
4. Repeat Steps 2 and 3 as desired.



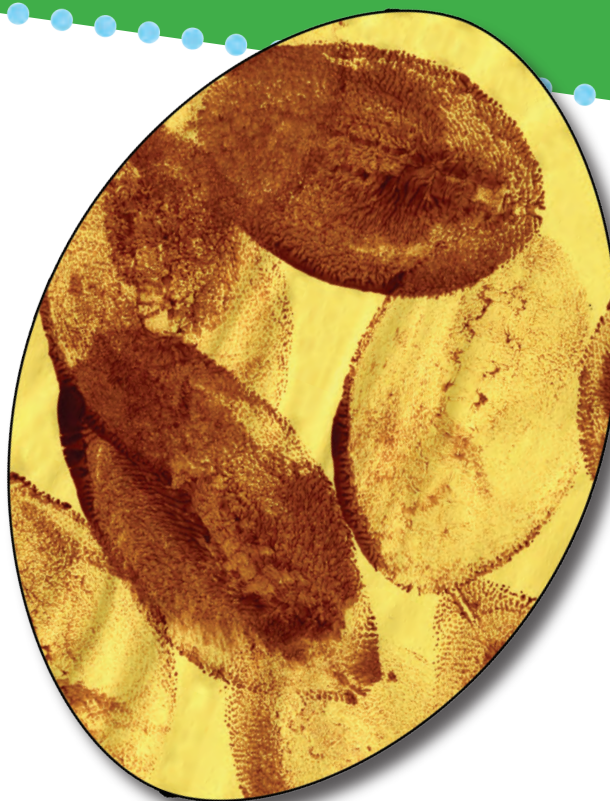
Football Folly

Materials for one:

small football
large oval cutout
shallow container of paint

Art process:

1. Dip the side of the football in the paint.
2. Press the football on the paper.
3. Repeat Steps 1 and 2.



Filter Foliage

Materials for one:

coffee filter
manila paper
containers of fall-colored tinted water
tape
paintbrushes

Setup:

Place a paintbrush near each container of tinted water. Lightly tape the coffee filter to the paper.

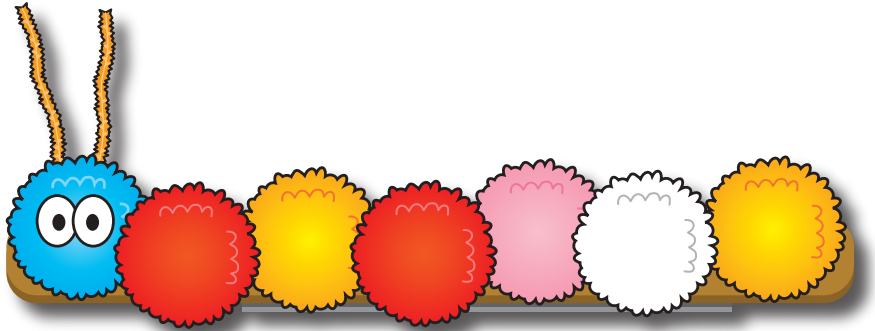
Art process:

1. Brush different colors of tinted water on the filter.
2. When the filter is dry, remove it from the paper.

Colorful Caterpillar Magnet

Materials for one:

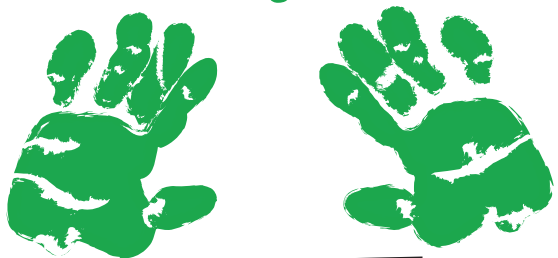
magnetic tape
3" piece of pipe cleaner
large craft stick
pom-poms
eye stickers
glue



Art process:

1. Fold the pipe cleaner in half; then glue it near one end of the stick to make antennae.
2. Glue pom-poms to the craft stick as shown.
3. When the glue is dry, attach the eye stickers to the pom-pom closest to the antennae.
4. Attach a piece of magnetic tape to the back of the craft stick.

Messy Me!



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Materials for one:

camera (for teacher use)
construction paper
shallow tray of paint
glue
marker

Art process:

1. Dip both hands in the paint.
2. Press your hands on the paper to make handprints. *(Photograph the child showing his painted hands.)*
3. Glue a printed copy of the photo to the paper. *(Add the title, child's name, and date to the project.)*

Sandy Dough

Molding with this dough results in sandy creations that stay together.

Ingredients:

2 c. sand
1 c. cornstarch
1½ c. water

Mix the sand, cornstarch, and water in a saucepan. Cook over low to medium heat, stirring the mixture until it thickens. Remove the dough from the pan and knead it when it is cool enough to handle.

Salt Dough

Artwork created with this dough has a natural sparkle.

Ingredients:

2 c. salt
1 c. cornstarch
1 c. water
food coloring (optional)

Mix in a saucepan the salt, cornstarch, and water along with food coloring, if desired. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly until the mixture pulls away from the pan and gathers into a ball. Remove the dough from the pan and knead it when it is cool enough to handle.