



Painting with a Scientist 6: Ravens

Adapt this art project to the time and materials you have on hand! You can paint a square canvas with acrylics like Science Mom does in the demonstration, or color this page using markers, crayons, or colored pencils. Whichever approach you take, we hope you enjoy learning about these incredible insects along the way!

Three Cool facts:

- *A group of ravens is called an unkindness. Baby ravens are called chicks.*
- *Ravens are closely related to crows and both birds are among the most intelligent of all non-human animals. Their problem solving, counting, and communication abilities are similar to dolphins and chimpanzees!*
- *There are 10 species of ravens worldwide, which inhabit every continent except Antarctica. The common raven and thick-billed raven are the largest species, standing 66 cm (26 inches) tall.*