

Salt Art

Goal: The goal of this activity is to encourage students to think creatively and experiment with a new style of art.

Materials -

- Cardstock. Use colorful cardstock for a color boost!
- Glue
- Salt
- Liquid watercolors or food coloring
- Paintbrush
- Cups

Procedure -

1. Squeeze glue onto cardstock. "Draw" with glue on your paper by squeezing glue onto the cardstock to make lines.
2. Sprinkle salt over all the glue lines. Make sure to cover the glue as much as possible.
3. Tilt the card stock to remove the excess salt. Dump the extra salt into a cup or tray to reuse for another art project.
4. Dip a paintbrush in liquid watercolors or food coloring mixed with a little bit of water. Gently hold the tip of the paintbrush near the salt. The paint will flow off the paintbrush and onto the salt.
5. Add color to all the glue lines and then let dry.

☆ Tips: Try pipettes instead of a paintbrush if you'd like! You can also use a tray to capture any excess salt to keep your workspace clean.

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