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SWIRL PAINTINGS

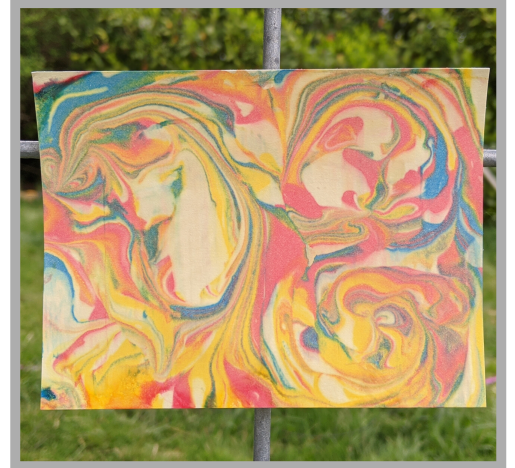
Kids can learn about mixing primary colors with this unique painting process.

MATERIALS

- Foaming shaving cream
- Red, blue, and yellow tempera paints
- Tray or pan with sides
- Popsicle stick, dowel or chopstick
- White or light colored paper
- Spatula or scraper

INSTRUCTIONS

1. In the tray or pan, cover a medium size area with shaving cream.
2. Drop, drip, drizzle, or splat paint on top of the shaving cream.
3. Use the stick to swirl the paint around. Be careful not to over-mix the shaving cream and paint. This is a great time to observe all of the mixed colors.
4. Place your paper on top of the shaving cream and paint mixture. Gently press down on all sides of the paper.
5. Carefully lift your picture off the tray or pan.
6. Use the spatula or scraper to scrape off the paint and shaving cream. The swirls of colorful paint will remain on the paper.
7. You can create multiple prints from one round of shaving cream and paint.



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