

Playdough Painting

Age: 2 years and up



What's needed

Playdough in a variety of colors (use edible playdough with younger children)
Stocking or large stationery boxes
Construction paper
Art fixative (spray glue)

What to do

1. Line the bottom of the box with construction paper.
2. Use the colored playdough to roll, pat and mold pictures on the paper.
3. Let dry completely (a day or two), then an adult can spray with a clear fixative.

Variations: Give the children two balls of primary colored playdough. Let them mix the two colors to make a third. An excellent color mixing activity! Mix playdough with different extracts, matching the extra with the appropriate colors. Strawberry, lemon, banana, lime and orange extract work well.

What children will learn

Creative expression