

Leaf Prints

Let's make leaf prints using two different art materials! Step four:

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Step one:

Collect leaves. Fallen or fresh should both work!

Step two:

For painting, choose your first leaf and turn it over so that you paint the surface with the bumpy veins on. Cover the whole area.

Step three:

Turn it over onto the paper and firmly press down on it for a few seconds.

Mess Factor

Slowly lift from one edge and have a look at your painted print!

Step five:

For crayon leaf printing, choose a leaf and place vein-side up underneath a piece of paper.

Step six:

Rub a crayon over the paper to reveal the print.



Leaves

- Paper
- Crayons
 - Paint sticks (or paint if you're feeling messy!)

The Benefits:

A fabulous opportunity to learn about different trees and colours whilst taking in the benefits of being outdoors when collecting the leaves.

Creating with natural objects offers an in depth advantage for children to investigate them up close and boost their curiosity and critical thinking.

> Sedric Says Using new materials when being creative can boost concentration and curiosity levels.