

Frozen Paint

Target Age:

Middle Three-Year-Old

Materials You Will Need:

tempura paint, two or three small containers, popsicle sticks, paper, paint brushes

Skills Learned:

- * Cause and Effect
- * Concept Development
- * Creative Expression
- * Imagination

Activity Category:

- * Science Adventures

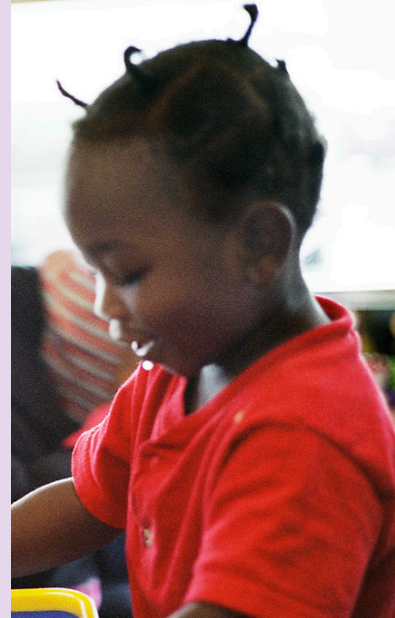
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What To Do:

Fill each container with a separate color of paint. Invite your child to paint a picture, then ask your child to predict what would happen if he/she put the paint in the freezer? Does your child think the paint will freeze? "Will it change color?" "How long will it take?"

Cover each container with plastic wrap and insert a popsicle stick in each. Freeze the paint overnight, then let your child paint with these paint popsicles the next day. Were your child's predictions true? Is it harder or easier to paint with the frozen paint?



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