

Black History Month Celebration 2021

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Bubble Wrap Ocean Painting

Written for Dr. Andy Hall Early Childhood Education Center: Ages 3, 4, 5 years old and up.

SUPPLY LIST

- White Cardstock
- Bubble wrap (4" pre-cut square)
- Paint (cool colors)
- Foam ocean stickers
- Foam dauber, or cotton ball with clothes pin

WATCH THE VIDEO

Watch Miss Carrie from Cedarhurst show you step-by-step how to complete the Bubble Wrap Ocean Painting.

Remember to have Fun! Being Creative does not mean that our projects will all turn out the same or exactly like the example. Practice the steps below and then have fun creating whatever you like. Please post pictures and/or videos online so we can see what you created.

CREATE! - Step-by-Step instruction, as demonstrated in the video

1. Cover your work station with newspaper or plastic table cloth.
2. Take out cardstock and place on table.
3. Take out bubble wrap and feel its texture. (Pop! haha)
4. Dip dauber into blue paint and dab onto the bubble wrap. (bumpy side)
5. After paint is on bubble wrap, turn over, and press painted side down on paper gently.
6. Repeat!
7. When finished, remove paint and dauber from student. Use a wet wipe or paper towel to clean your hands.
8. Pass out ocean animal stickers. Practice those fine motor skills by peeling off the back of the paper and then sticking the sticker to your painting anywhere you like!

CLEAN UP! Be a good helper and clean up your mess! 😊

Once completed find a spot to display your art and please share pictures with Cedarhurst so we can see how your project turned out!

LESSON EXTENSION

Let's Talk About It – Have you ever been to the ocean? What would you like to do at the ocean? Build a sandcastle, swim, or hunt for seashells? Do you think you will see a mermaid?

Book suggestions – Refer to Cedarhurst's website for a complete list of our Black History Month – 2021 mermaid themed books you can hear read aloud or order copies for your personal library.



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