

Art Palette Activity

Suggested activity location

Outdoors to collect materials
then back in the classroom

Prep time 5 minutes to print
off the A5 Double Art Palette
templates provided (PDF)

Activity Time - 15-20 minutes



Template Art Palette



Finished Art Palette

You will need

Art palette template—best printed on card or sturdy paper (see PDF)
Leaves of different colours - to be collected by group whilst out in park
Double sided sticky tape—to be applied to template before distribution
Collection bags for each child or one between two

Instructions

This activity can be completed whilst in the park, however it is easier completed indoors.

The children will have collected leaves of different colours in their brown bags.
If the leaves are wet, allow them to dry before using them.

Ask the children to peel off the backing paper from the double sided sticky tape
(and bin) before adding their leaves. They can opt for a collage of different colours
or they can make a design, for example a tree shape image.

Curriculum links

The world around us—Interdependence

Pupils should be enabled to explore:

- How living things rely on each other within the natural world;

Art and Design

Pupils should be enabled to:

- engage with observing, investigating, and responding to first hand experiences, memory and imagination;
- collect, examine and select resource material to use in the development of ideas;
- look at and talk about the work of artists, designers and craft workers from their own and other cultures; appreciate methods used in the resource materials and use their appreciation to stimulate personal ideas and engage with informed art making;
- develop their understanding of the visual elements of colour, tone, line, shape, form, space, texture and pattern to communicate their ideas.

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