

Butterfly Painting

Take a piece of paper and fold in half. Draw the outline of a butterfly on one side of the paper. Encourage your child to paint a pattern on this side of the paper with the outline of the butterfly. Make a pattern or shapes if they can. Encourage your child to stay in the lines. Once completed, carefully fold over the paper and press down. Carefully open and reveal your beautiful butterfly! Take the time to identify the patterns they made.



Decorate your home with your child's masterpieces!

By completing this activity with your child you will cover the following areas of the EYFS

Physical development (Painting - fine motor skills and gross motor skills),
Communication and Language development (listening and following instructions),
Numeracy (colours and shapes. Early explorations of symmetry), **Expressive Art and Design** (creating patterns, using painting techniques).