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## Drips & Drops

Place fizzy paint tablets on your paper. Using the water dropper, drip a few drops of water on the tablets. Use your paint brush to grab color from the tablets and make designs with your colors.



## Designs

Use your white crayon to draw on the paper. Wherever you draw will protect the paper from your paint. This is called a “resist”. After drawing, spritz your paper with water then add fizzy paint powder.

When dry, add more designs and drawings with the markers or black crayon.

## Finishing

- 1.) When your art is complete and fully dry, place a sticky square on each corner of the front of your paper.
- 2.) Hold a frame over the art and place on top of the sticky squares when it looks centered.
- 3.) Flip over and place a plastic hanger in the center of the top of your art so it's able to hang.

Enjoy this unique and fun way to mix and make color!

# Fizzy Paint

## Mix & Make Watercolors

**Did you know** that painting has been around for a very long time? Evidence of painting has been found from thousands of years ago. The oldest paintings have been found across the world in numerous caves. People would grind up different colors of dirt and minerals from the earth and paint with them. Most paint is made from just a few materials: a pigment which gives paint color, a binder which holds the color to the surface being painted, any additives that may enhance the paint consistency and a solvent which is used to thin the paint and apply to a surface.

In this kit you'll have an opportunity to create your own paint and colors using our special fizzy paints! Have you ever seen paint bubble and fizz? Just add water to these fizzy paint tablets and see what happens!

**CAUTION:** Do not eat the paint tablets.

### Important Information about the Paint Tablets

- The paint tablets included are non-toxic, watercolor paints that may stain porous surfaces or textiles so be careful!
- Cover your work surface and wear a smock or old clothes. Clean up any spills immediately while the paint is still wet.
- Have water and paper towels handy for cleaning and drying your brushes.
- You will need to select a work area where your project can dry undisturbed for several hours or overnight.

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# Fizzy Paints

Fizzy paints are small solid tablets of color. When water is added, they start to bubble and fizz! Although the tablet may look purple, when you add water it will turn red, the orange will turn yellow, and the blue will stay blue.

## Paper

We've included two types of paper for you to try out, watercolor paper and art paper. Try them both out for different results.

Watercolor paper has a bumpy texture and will absorb your paint a little more than the art paper. Art paper has a smooth surface and allows your paint to move and run freely.

## Mortar & Pestle

Use these together to crush and grind your fizzy paints into powder.

Place a fizzy paint tablet in the mortar (small bowl) and use the pestle to crush and turn it into powder. If you're not mixing the tablets to make a new color, be sure to clean out the mortar before crushing a different tablet color.



## Creating Colors

- 1.) Cover your work surface with white paper so you can see the colors you're creating. You will also need a cup of clean water handy for cleaning your water dropper before using it with a different color.
- 2.) Fill your plastic containers with clean water about 3/4ths of the way full.
- 3.) Add Fizzy Paint tablets to your containers following the Color Mixing Guide to the right. Use the water dropper to add the drops of color indicated. Remember to clean it before picking up a new color. →

*Keep your colors safe by placing the lids on, or try creating your own mixtures for new colors!*

## Spritz

- Use the water spritzer to wet your paper then add the powdered fizzy paint or a fizzy paint tablet to the surface. Watch it fizz and spread over your paper.
- Try adding a fizzy paint tablet or two into the water spritzer container. Spray your paper with the colored water!



## Color Mixing Guide

### Primary Colors

**Red** = 3 Red tablets

**Yellow** = 2 Yellow tablets

**Blue** = 2 Blue tablets

### Secondary Colors

**Orange** = 1 Yellow tablet + 12 Red drops

**Purple** = 1 Red tablet + 1 Blue pellet + 12 Blue drops

**Green** = 1 Yellow tablet + 30 Blue drops

### Tertiary Colors

**Red Orange** = 1 Yellow tablet + 1 Red tablet

**Red Violet** = 1 Red tablet + 1 Blue tablet

**Teal** = 1 Yellow tablet + 1 Blue tablet + 15 Blue drops

**Lime** = 1 Yellow tablet + 4 Blue drops

**Blue Violet** = 1 Blue tablet + 12 Red drops

**Yellow Orange** = 1 Yellow tablet + 4 Red drops

