

Monday AM



Resources needed:

- Flour
- Baby oil

The recipe is simple: 8 cups of flour & 1 cup of oil (we used baby oil). Mix it up really well until all of the oil is incorporated into the flour. It will still look like flour (albeit full of teeny tiny lumps from the bits of oil), but it is moldable just like **Moon Sand**! You can add some food colouring to the flour!

Monday PM

Tape name paintings (SS)

- Thick white paper or card
- Tape
- Paint
- Scissors
- Pen

1. Have the children tape out their name on the white card
2. Let the children paint over the paper and tape any colours they choose
3. Let dry
4. Remove tape



Monday PM

Flight school paper aeroplanes (SS)



Whilst the children are folding up their planes the educator (or a student who wants to) can make or set up a target board out of A3 and cut gaps for the planes to fly through and label how many points they get for each target

Then tally the scores each round or run a knockout cup

Tuesday AM



Resources needed:

Jumbo sidewalk chalk (check out your local dollar store too)

a tree branch (rocks work great too)

All you need is a sizable tree branch, like you see in the pics, and some jumbo sidewalk chalk, which you can find at most dollar stores. And some water.

I would recommend starting off with the dry chalk and let your kids rub it back and forth on the branch. Different textures and surfaces on the branch will offer different experiences with the chalk. Kids just love it.

After a little time with dry chalk painting (go as long as they seem engaged) offer a small bowl of water for dipping the chalk. Wet chalk will offer a whole new sensory experience that kids love even more. They will dip and dunk the chalk and paint paint all over the branch.

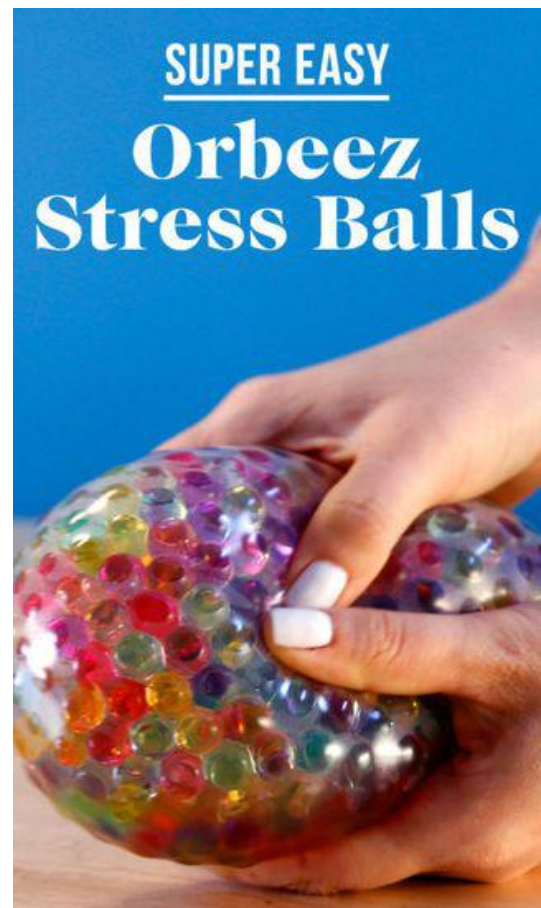
The colors look really different between the wet and dry chalk. It's really interesting to see.

Tuesday PM

Orbeez stress balls (SS)

- Orbeez
- Water
- Large bowl
- Funnel
- Empty plastic bottle
- Clear balloons

1. Pour a generous amount of Orbeez into a large bowl.
2. Fill the bowl with water and let it sit overnight. In the morning, you should be rewarded with a pile of bright, squishy water beads.
3. Use a funnel to fill the empty plastic bottle with Orbeez.
4. Blow up the balloon to create space for the Orbeez, then twist the opening to keep the air from escaping.
5. Stretch the balloon opening over the top of the plastic bottle.
6. Let the balloon untwist, then turn the bottle upside-down to pour the Orbeez into the balloon.
7. Remove the balloon from the bottle, squeeze out the extra air and tie it off.



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Sponge water bomb making (SS)



- Coloured Sponges
- Rubber bands
- Scissors

Steps

1. Have children cut out strips from the sponges
2. Lay 12 sponge strips next to each other and stretch the rubber band over the middle
3. Fold the rubber band as needed
4. Spread out the sponge strips to create a ball
5. Add to water and toss back and forth with a friend

Wednesday AM

Resources needed:

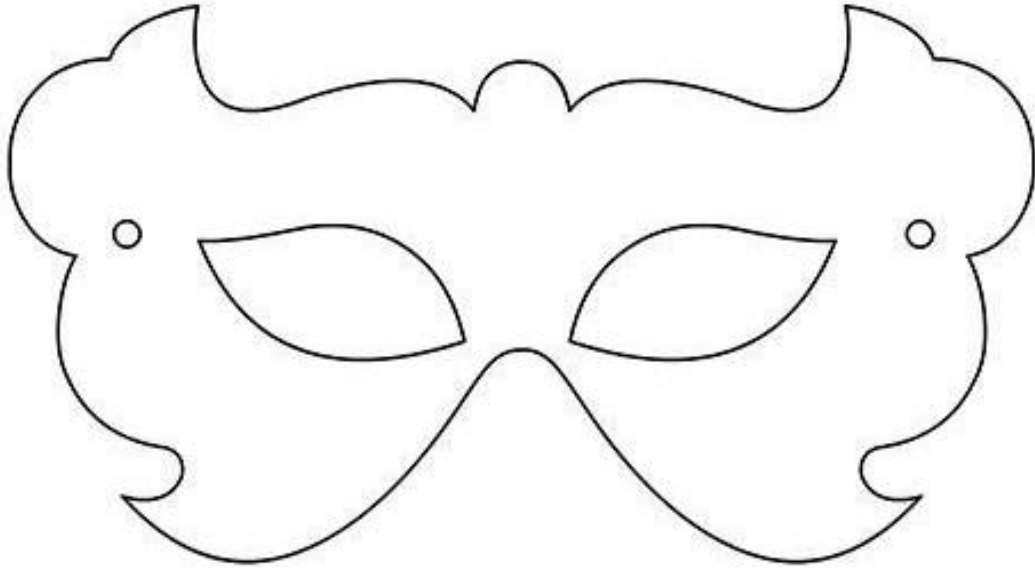
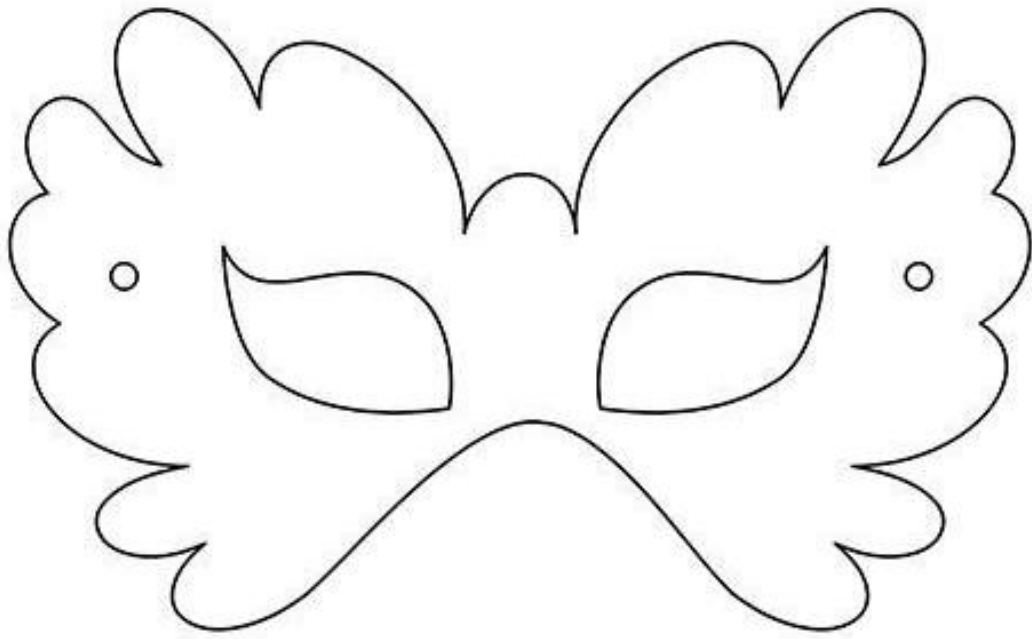
Mask template

Cardboard

Feathers

Coloured paper

Photocopy mask template below. Children will trace mask shape onto cardboard. They will then cut these out and decorate them. Elastic can be fastened to the edges, then left to dry!



Wednesday PM

Stained glass animals (SS)

- Black construction paper
- Clear contact paper
- Tissue paper in a variety of colors
- Scissors

1. Draw and then cut out the animal template from black paper.
2. Cut out the middle of the animal leaving approximately 1/2" of the outside intact. Discard the center you just cut out.
3. Peel the backing paper off of the contact paper and stick your animal outline onto it. Cut the excess contact paper off.
4. Cut a small circle out of black construction paper and stick it on the contact paper for the eye.
5. Cut a small curved shape out of black construction paper and stick it on the contact paper for a smile.
6. Stick the tissue paper onto the fish making sure to overlap the pieces.
7. Trim off any tissue paper that hangs over the black outline of the fish.
8. Hang up on a sunny window.



Wednesday PM

Scavenger hunt (CS)

If the item described is small and can be moved bring it with you, if its too big or not movable you can draw a picture of the item described.

1. From dirt, to paint, and everything in between, I'm your number one companion in keeping clean.
2. A full one puts a smile on your face. You keep on going like it's a race. But as my contents start to diminish, you'll start to think if you're ready to finish. What am I?
3. Feeling cold? Then don't forget me! Throw me on before you go. I'm nothing special, everyone has me. People wear me when the temperature's low.
4. Take a gulp to cool yourself down. When it comes to beverages, I wear the crown. Not quite as sweet as soda or juice, but no other drinks could exist without my use.
5. Stepping out? Wear me first! I'll protect your feet from the worst.
6. Strong and sturdy, count on me! Just keep me locked, and you'll see. Tall and solid, all homes have me. To get me open, you'll need a key.
7. With four strong legs, I stand with pride. But please, don't hesitate to take a ride. Though I love to stand all day, I was made for your rump to stay.
8. I'm almost like your favorite chair, but my seat's a little bare. There's not much there, I will admit. But I'll keep it clean when you've had too much to eat.
9. Keep me open, keep me closed. There's really nothing I oppose. But when it rains, or when it's cold, to keep me shut is what you're told.
10. Here I come and there I go. I move really fast, anywhere I go. That's why you take me when you're in a hurry. When I zoom by, I might look blurry.
11. Tall and strong, I stay outside. The sun, the rain, they're by my side. I give birds homes and help you breathe. I even give you fruit to eat.
12. Step and step and step, you go. To reach the top, you will start low. With every step, the goal you'll reach. Although the journey might make it hard to breathe.

- From dirt, to paint, and everything in between, I'm your number one companion in keeping clean. (Soap)
- A full one puts a smile on your face. You keep on going like it's a race. But as my contents start to diminish, you'll start to think if you're ready to finish. What am I? (Plate)
- Feeling cold? Then don't forget me! Throw me on before you go. I'm nothing special, everyone has me. People wear me when the temperature's low. (Jacket)
- Take a gulp to cool yourself down. When it comes to beverages, I wear the crown. Not quite as sweet as soda or juice, but no other drinks could exist without my use. (Water)
- Stepping out? Wear me first! I'll protect your feet from the worst. (Shoes)
- Strong and sturdy, count on me! Just keep me locked, and you'll see. Tall and solid, all homes have me. To get me open, you'll need a key. (Door)
- With four strong legs, I stand with pride. But please, don't hesitate to take a ride. Though I love to stand all day, I was made for your rump to stay. (Chair)
- I'm almost like your favorite chair, but my seat's a little bare. There's not much there, I will admit. But I'll keep it clean when you've had too much to eat. (Toilet)
- Keep me open, keep me closed. There's really nothing I oppose. But when it rains, or when it's cold, to keep me shut is what you're told. (Windows)
- Here I come and there I go. I move really fast, anywhere I go. That's why you take me when you're in a hurry. When I zoom by, I might look blurry. (Car)
- Tall and strong, I stay outside. The sun, the rain, they're by my side. I give birds homes and help you breathe. I even give you fruit to eat. (Trees)
- Step and step and step, you go. To reach the top, you will start low. With every step, the goal you'll reach. Although the journey might make it hard to breathe. (Stairs)

Thursday AM

Maracas

Resources needed:

- Toilet paper rolls
- Duct tape
- Rice
- Scissors

Cover the end of one toilet paper roll with duct tape.

Fill the toilet paper roll halfway with rice.

After the rice is inside the roll, cover the other end of the roll with duct tape.

Decorate the roll with textas!



Thursday PM

When I grow up posters (SS)

- White paper
- Pencils
- Texters
- Crayons

This is an activity to be made into a display

1. Have the children draw themselves as what they want to be when they grow up
2. Please ensure their name is visible and that they do some of background as we want these to be displayed around the centre



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Fireworks in a glass (SS)

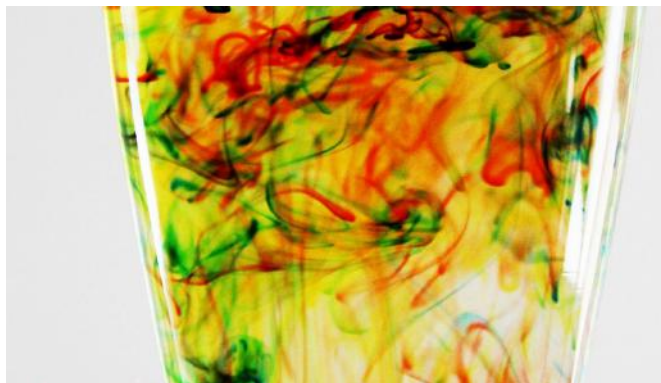
- **Food colouring**
- **Warm water**
- **Oil** (vegetable, olive – any will work)
- **2 glasses or clear cups**

Step 1 Fill a glass 3/4 of the way to the top with warm water

Step 2 In a separate glass add a few table spoons of oil and add 4 drops of food colouring – of differing colour

Step 3 Using a fork, give the oil and food colouring mixture a good mix to break up the 'colour beads' into smaller ones

Step 4 Carefully pour the oil & food colouring mixture into the glass of warm water and wait for the magic to happen!



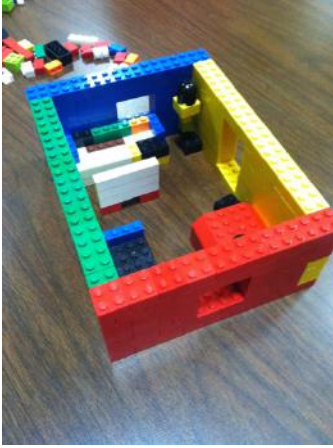
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pics on the website for more explanation

Friday AM

Construct the best house out of Lego/blocks!

Children will construct houses out of blocks and the best will be awarded!



Friday PM

Twirligig paper spinner (SS)

- paper (we used [this colored paper](#))
 - [long wooden skewers](#)
 - Glue (both a glue stick and a [hot glue gun](#))
1. Cut 8 strips of paper. I cut it from the long side of the paper, 11 inches long. They are just over 1/2 inch in width. I used 8 different colors to make it rainbow and colorful. But you can do it all from one piece of paper, too!
 2. You will also need to cut 4 circles for attaching the paper strips. My circles are a 1 1/2 inches in diameter.
 3. Start by rubbing glue from a glue stick all over one of the circles. Arrange one end of the paper strips evenly around the circle. Keep adding glue as they overlap around the circle. Cover the top with another circle to secure them in place.
 4. Now you will do the same with another circle. This time bring the other ends of the paper strips up and attach them to the circle. Once they are all attached with glue, cover again with another circle to secure them.
 5. Now you are going to put the wooded skewer through the center of both circles of paper. I started the hole with a pin, then pushed the pointy end of the skewer up through the center of the paper spinner.
 6. On the top circle, cover the top with hot glue to keep it from moving.
 7. Reach the glue gun in to the under side of that top circle and add some hot glue there, too. This will keep the whole top section from moving as the spinner toy spins.
 8. The bottom hole will need to be stretched out just a little bit. Just move the skewer around in the hole to make it a little wider. This will allow it to spin freely.

