

You will need:

- Sticks (1 for each paint brush)
- Lots of interesting pieces of nature
  - String
  - Poster paint
  - Paper
- Bowl or Saucer for the paint
  - Scissors



Collecting your nature for this activity is half the fun. Go on a walk and see what interesting things you can find. Look for different textures and patterns. Talk about which pieces of nature you think will make good prints. Leaves, flowers, fir cones and feathers all work well.





Making the nature paint brushes is easy:  
Simply attach a piece of nature to each stick using a piece of string.



Painting with nature paint brushes

Lay out your paper and get some pots of paint. Pour the paint onto saucers or into bowls to make it easier to dip your paint brushes in. Explore the different patterns and textures each of the paint brushes can create.

