

Mono Print

Age: 3-7 Group size: 4-10

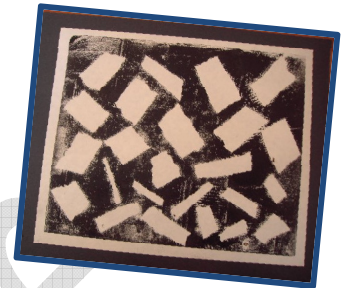
Duration: 15 mins



Preparation time: 15 mins

Resources

- Newspaper
- Sugar paper to print on
- Printing ink
- Rollers
- Printing plate – large wall or floor tile, old waterproof placemat, rigid plastic, thick glass or just a smooth table top

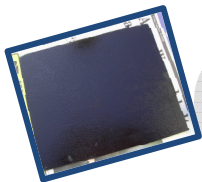


Preparation

Each child will need a tile, 2 rollers, a piece of paper to print on, a wad of newspaper and some spare sheets for tearing. Squeeze a pea sized amount of ink onto the centre of each tile.

Activity

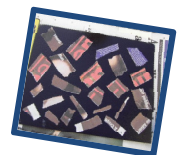
If there is enough equipment, children can do this all together one step at a time.



Sit the tile on the wad of newspaper. Use a roller to spread the ink all over the tile, leaving a smooth matt finish.

Tear the newspaper into strips and place onto the tile to make a random pattern.

Place the sheet of printing paper on top of the tile,



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and then cover it with another sheet of newspaper. Use the clean roller and roll all over, pressing the printing paper onto the tile. It is best to stand up to do this.

Take the newspaper off and peel the printing paper off the tile to reveal the mono print.



Golden Time

