

# Straw Painting the Sun

Explore the dynamic sun through the fun of straw painting!

## Materials Needed:

Straws; paper plate or circle cut from white paper; red, orange, and yellow food coloring (or liquid watercolors); cups; paper towels.

## Instructions:

Step 1 Cover your workspace with a paper towel. Place a few drops of food coloring or liquid watercolors in cups, one color in each cup. Add about ½ inch (1 ¼ cm) of water to each cup.

**Caution:** Food coloring can stain clothing, skin, or surfaces.

Step 2: Place one end of the straw in the liquid and plug with a finger. Dip the other end of the straw into the liquid and blow through the straw to create a sunburst pattern.

