

# Top Tips for Cardboard Creations

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In this resource children will explore the possibilities of cardboard. Children will utilise our ethos of [design through making](#), working with materials to learn about the properties as they go. As well as improving dexterity skills, children will be encouraged to push the boundaries of imaginative design. Make cardboard worlds related to a topic or give children the opportunity to be inventors. This activity is perfect for EYFS and SEND as well as Primary Level children, and can be adapted according to abilities.



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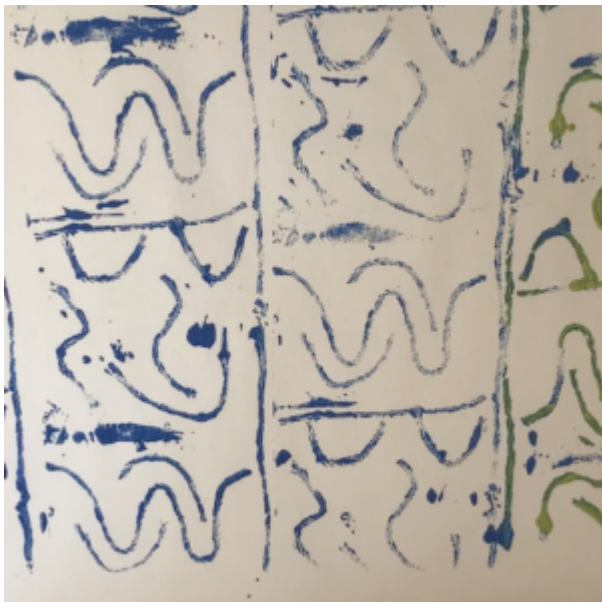
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"I really like how this resource provides lots of interesting and exciting ways for poster paint to be used. It combines observational drawing and painting with more abstract pattern providing a breadth of exploration. Giving learners the



opportunity to explore the properties of poster paint as well as seeing how it responds to different materials will help to nurture imaginations as well as providing support for the development of basic skillsets.” – Rachel, AccessArt

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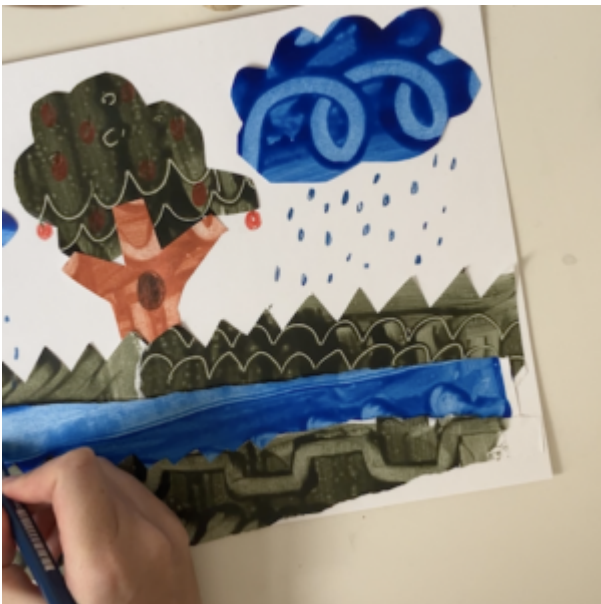


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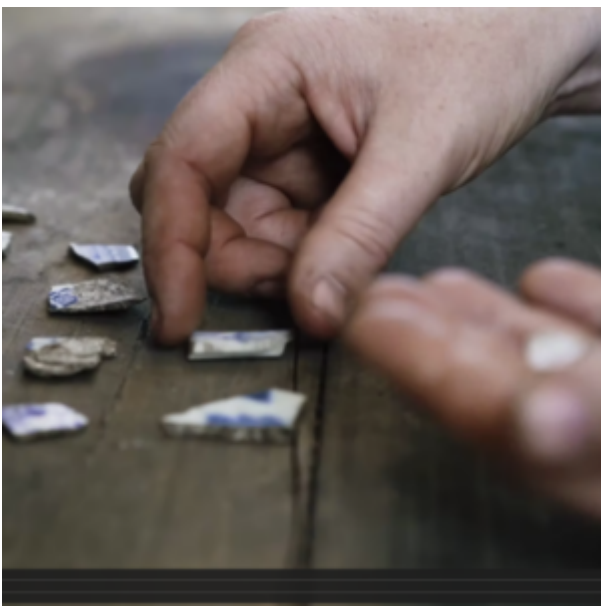
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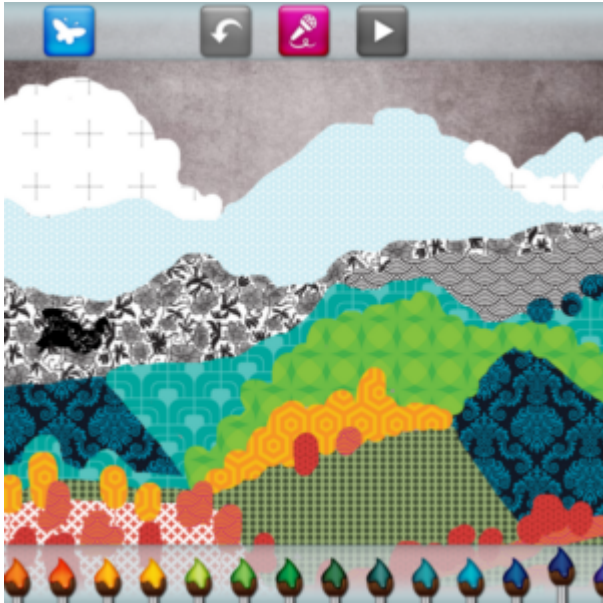


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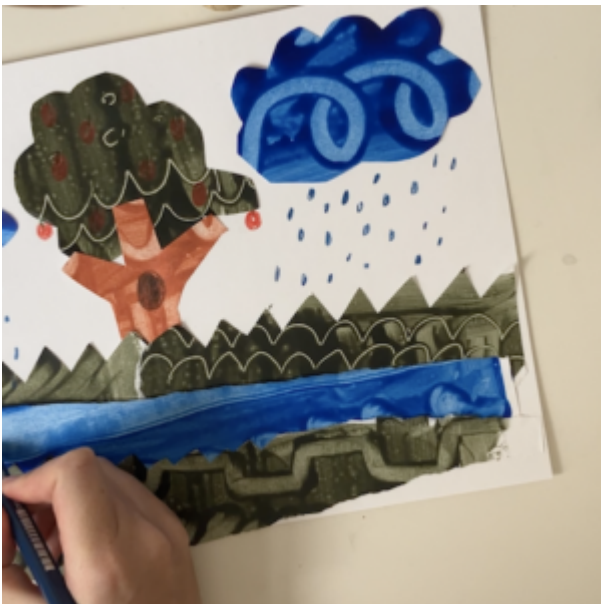
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