

PAPER BATIK

supplies needed:

manila drawing paper ~ squares are nice ~

~ younger = smaller ~ older = larger ~

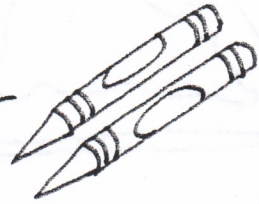
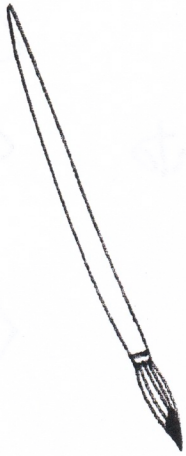
crayons ~ last years broken ones work well!

black liquid tempera

paint brush

sink or dish tub filled with water

newspaper



1. draw a very simple design, patterns are good, on manila paper pressing hard to get good solid coverage. Fill the whole paper with your design coloring right out to the edges. Dark colors work well for outlines, don't forget to use spaces with white. Forget details - keep it simple + bold. Use bright colors next to dark colors for contrast.
2. wet paper (dip into tub) enough to make it pliable to crumple up into a ball. Gently. Don't squeeze too hard. Open it carefully and lay on a piece of newspaper.
3. Paint entire paper with Black tempera (Not too thin, not too thick)
4. Rinse black paint off by dipping into tub of water gently rubbing to remove excess paint.
5. Dry flat on clean sheet of newspaper.

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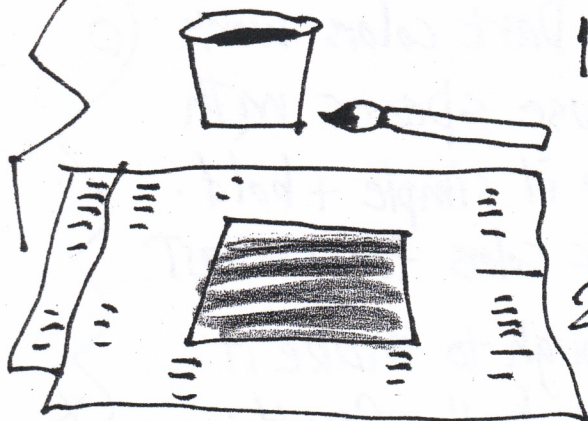
STATIONS:

#1. CLEAN WATER



1. Dip colored paper into clean water.
2. Gently squeeze out water

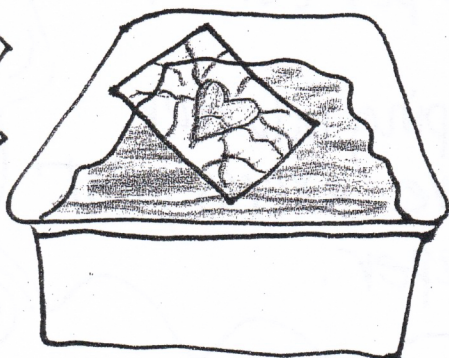
#2. PAINTING AREA



newspapers

1. Black tempera mixed with a little water to make creamy consistency.
2. Paint over entire colored picture. Cover it black!

#3. RINSE PAINT



1. Rinse black paint off picture gently. (THIS WATER GETS REALLY BLACK)

#4. DRYING

1. Dry on newspaper lined counters or desks

or sink