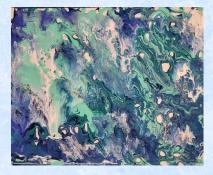
Paint Pour Ocean Canvas

Supply List:

- Cups
- Popsicle sticks
- Acrylic paint colors
- Pouring medium
- Canvas 8x10
- Tray
- Drinking straw
- Thumb tacks





Tips: Before beginning, we recommend preparing your workspace by covering the table with a plastic tablecloth and wearing painting clothes!

Step One: Place thumb tacks around the back of the canvas frame so that it sits raised in the tray.

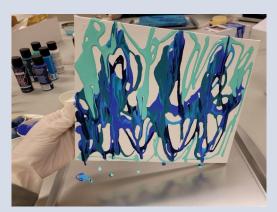


Step Two: Pour some of each color into its own cup, enough to cover the bottom. Add the pouring medium into each color (about a 2:1 ratio of medium to paint). Use a popsicle stick for each color to **slowly mix** together. Fast mixing can cause bubbling.



Step Three: Now the fun part! Using one color at a time, pour onto the canvas. Add all of the colors desired. Then slowly tilt the canvas to watch the paint drip and mix. Encourage the paint to cover the sides - use your finger to coat if necessary. Changing the direction of the tilt will cause the paints to mix differently.





Step Four: Experiment with a blowing technique by pouring paint onto the covered canvas and using the straw to blow air to disperse it. The harder the air flow, the more paint will be affected.

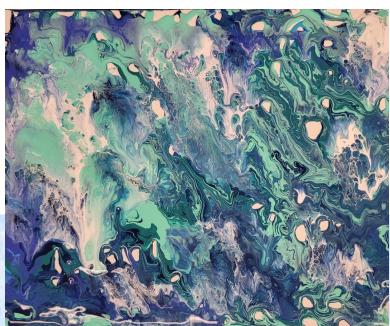


Step Five: Allow to dry for 24 hours!

Anita's All Purpose Acrylics were used for the ocean paint pour in the colors Deep Blue Sea, Navy Blue, Royal Blue, Island Blue, Light Turquoise, and White. The pouring medium used was Pouring Masters Gloss Pouring Medium.

Personalization Ideas: Every paint pour is different! Experiment with colors, pouring placement, blowing directions and more. Don't forget to show us your fabulous creations on our Way Public Library Facebook page!





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