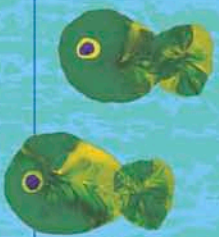


Hand and cardboard prints

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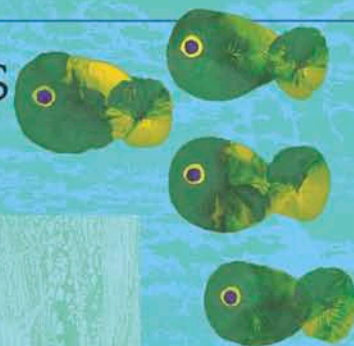
You'll need to be near a sink and have lots of paper towels to wipe your hands.



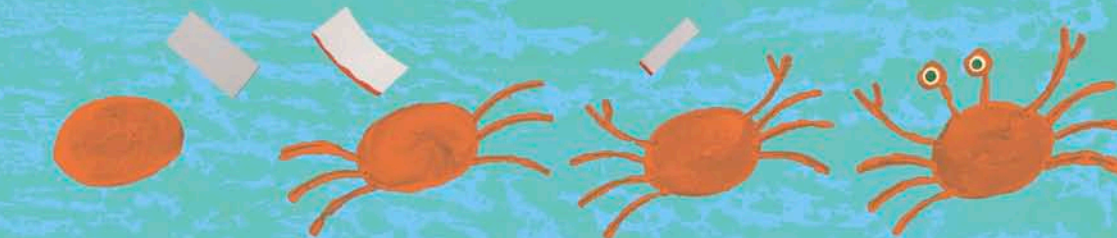
1. For the background, brush some plastic foodwrap with blue paint.



2. Lay some paper on top of it and press lightly. Lift off the paper and leave it to dry.



Crabs



1. Print the crab's body with your thumb. Cut a piece of thin cardboard, about 3cm long.

2. Dip the edge of the cardboard into paint and use it to print legs. Curve it as you print.

3. Use a small piece of cardboard to print V-shaped pincers on the front legs.

4. Print stalks for eyes. Do the eyes with a fingertip. Add dots when the paint is dry.

Fan fish



1. Dip the edge of a piece of thin cardboard into two or three colours of paint.

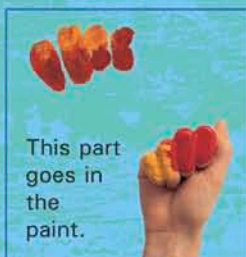
2. Press it onto your paper, then twist one end to make a fan shape. Turn the paper.

3. Print another fan to finish the body. Then print a narrower one for the tail.

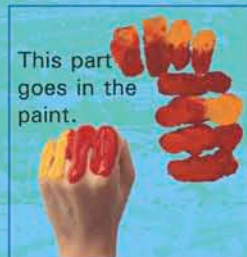
4. Print the fins with cardboard. Do the eye with a fingertip when the paint is dry.



3. For a seahorse, pour two shades of ready-mix or poster paint onto a pad of newspapers.



This part goes in the paint.



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4. For the head, press the top of your fingers into the paint. Print them on the paper.

5. Press your knuckles into the paint. Turn your hand sideways and print a body.

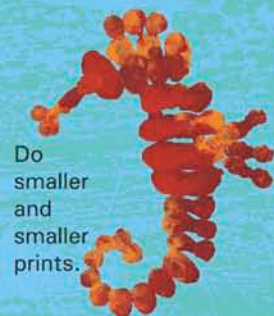


6. Put paint on your little finger as far as your knuckle. Print a long snout with it.



This is the start of the tail.

Fins



Do smaller and smaller prints.



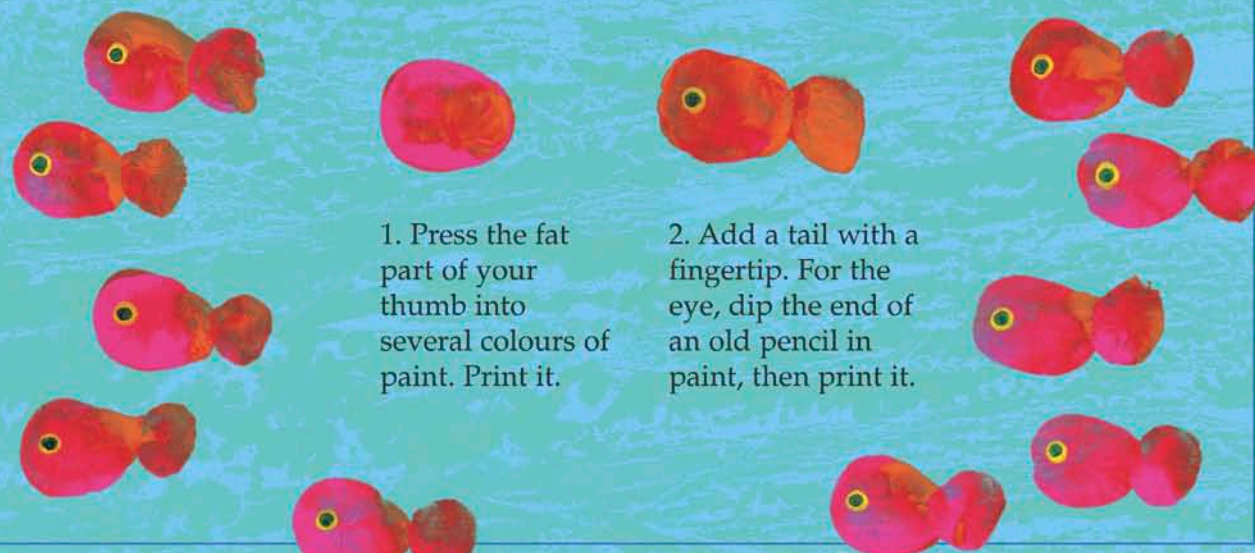
7. Use the same finger to print three fins and three more prints below the body.

8. Use a fingertip to add two prints at the end of the snout. Print some along the head.

9. Finish the tail by doing several prints with a fingertip. Curve them around.

10. Dip a fingertip in a bright colour and print an eye. Add the middle when it's dry.

Little rainbow fish



1. Press the fat part of your thumb into several colours of paint. Print it.

2. Add a tail with a fingertip. For the eye, dip the end of an old pencil in paint, then print it.