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Cardboard Prints

The Element of Line

Directions:

1. Cut rectangles out of cardboard.
2. Squeeze washable paint onto a plate or a plastic lid.
3. Dip cardboard in the paint and then stamp it onto the paper.
4. Use the lines made by the cardboard to create a design or picture of your choice.



What learning is taking place:

- Art projects develop literacy when children use artistic elements to represent objects, stories, or ideas.
- Open-ended projects develop creative thinking skills and imagination
- The use of recycled materials teaches children social responsibility and conservation

Questions to ask your child:

- What can you tell me about your picture?
- Where did you get your idea?
- Tell me how you stamp lines with cardboard.
- What kinds of lines are you using in your artwork?