

Tactile / Fine Motor - Level 1

1.4.3 Finger Painting

Encourage the child to paint with their fingers. Drawing lines, circles and painting their fingers with assistance as required.

Purpose

To promote tactile awareness

To promote kinaesthetic awareness (movement)

To promote fine motor development

To promote creative play and planning

To promote eye-hand co-ordination

Observations

Does the child like the paint on their hands?

Which finger will they isolate?

Can they copy movements?

Do they use one hand more than the other?

Equipment

Paper

Different coloured finger paints