

Insect Symmetry Painting



Materials Needed

- Paint
- Pencil
- Paper
- Scissors

Instructions

- Fold a piece of white paper in half.
- Draw an outline of one butterfly wing along the crease (or whatever insect you choose). Then cut the shape out.
- Unfold the paper and you should have a butterfly!
- On one side of the butterfly, paint any abstract pattern that you like. Make the paint thick as you draw.
- Fold the insect in half and press the two-sides together to transfer the paint pattern onto the other side.
- Open and look at how the sides compare.
- **Are they the same?**
- **Do you see the symmetry?**