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Movement Mondays: Touchable Art Scavenger Hunt



Explore your house to collect materials to create artwork that you can touch.

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Supplies

Found Objects, Paper

Instructions

Step 1: Search your house for materials and objects that you want to use in your artwork. Look for things that have **texture**. Feel what you have found. Is it soft, hard, rough, smooth?

Step 2: Create more texture by ripping pieces of paper. Roll strips of paper to make curls, crumple it to make a rough texture, or cut or rip small slits to create fringe.

Step 3: In addition to the material's texture, look at the colors. What colors do you want in your artwork? Each color can convey an emotion. How does the color red make you feel?

Step 4: Once you have collected materials for your artwork find a place to set up your assemblage. You can create your artwork on a piece of paper, on the floor, or on a table.

Step 5: Think about how you want to arrange the materials to create your artwork. What are the colors and textures of the materials that you have collected? How can you use these characteristics to express a feeling with your art?

Step 6 (Optional): Take pictures of your artwork and share them with your friends and family.

Vocabulary

Found object — a thing that someone else has given or thrown away that is often repurposed by artists

Texture - the feel, appearance, or consistency of a surface or a substance.

