

Abstract Painting Project

Materials needed:

- 3 colours of paint (base, white and accent colour)
- Brushes (large flat brush and small detail brush)
- Canvas
- Water cup
- Paper towel



Steps:

1. Using your large flat brush, paint your base colour horizontally across your canvas. You can add white to either side to achieve an ombre effect. Allow base colour to dry.



2. Using base colour, paint on different sizes of squares and rectangles. Repeat using your accent colour.
3. Repeat step 2, but mix white into your two colours to create a variety of shades. Layer these rectangles on top and start to fill in the space, focussing your paint over the original horizontal base colour.



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4. Continue layering different shapes and sizes of rectangles in various shades of your colours.



5. Get some paint on your detail brush and dip into water. Press tip of brush onto the canvas to create paint drips. Apply drips to rectangles and use all of your colours.



6. Using your detail brush, outline some rectangles with your two original base and accent colours.
7. Done!