

Sunscreen Painting Science Activity

I bet kids would be more willing to wear sunscreen after doing this activity. It really shows them the effects of sunscreen and the sun. Plus it's a simple and low supply activity that's educational too.

What you'll need

- Sunscreen
- Construction paper
- Paint Brushes

Steps

1. Pour some sunscreen onto a paper or regular plate
2. Supply the dark construction paper and the sunscreen on the plate to your kids with the paintbrushes
3. Tell them to paint a picture with the sunscreen on the dark paper
4. Lay the pictures out in bright sunlight, secured with rocks on the corners
5. Leave the pictures out in the sunlight for about 2 hours
6. Talk to your kids about how the pictures have faded because there's no sunscreen on that spot and how it's darker where the sunscreen was

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