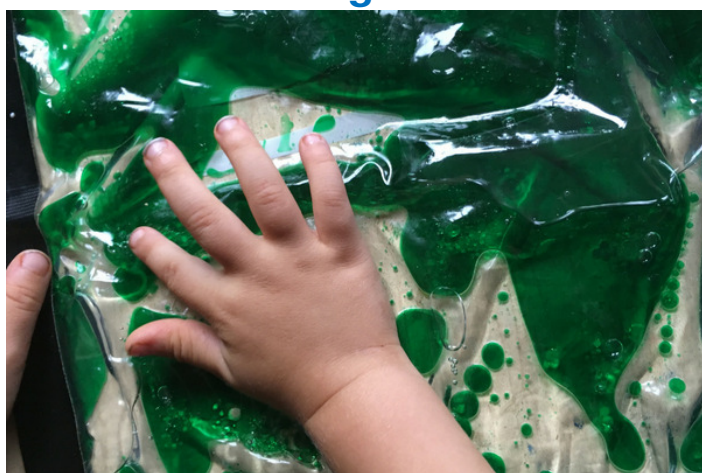




Oasis – 29th October
This week – sensory art

Have some fun experimenting
with ways of handling different materials

Oil and Water Bag



This is a fun resource for little ones to play with just to see what happens when they press on it! Take a gallon freezer bag and put strong tape around the three closed sides to ensure against leaks. Then pour in $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of baby oil. Drip in some food colouring and then add about $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of water. Push most of the air out and leave a little air at the top before carefully sealing.

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Cotton Wool and Pegs

This is a great way for small hands to have some control over printing with cotton wool. Use a muffin tin as your palette, putting a different colour in every dip. Then make your “brushes” by pinching pieces of cotton wool with a peg and popping one in each colour. This also keeps the colours fresh and unmuddied, too.





Bubble Wrap Boogie



Who doesn't like a little dance? Add some paint and bubble wrap into the mix and you have a fun session! Help your little one to cover the more textured side of a large piece of bubble wrap with paint. Keep the colours clean by having a big brush in each colour. Tape a large piece of paper, lining paper or card to a board. Carefully

turn the bubble wrap over and place it face-down onto the paper. Then help your child to dance and stomp over it so that the bubble wrap prints onto the paper. It can move around a little, too! If you want you can add more paint and repeat. The fun is in the doing, and you may get some fun results, too!

Ice Painting

This, too, is all about the experimentation. Fill a plastic container, washing up bowl or storage box with ice cubes. Then let your child loose with paint and chunky brushes! They'll love seeing the paint on the ice and moving it around. So simple but so absorbing!



HAVE FUN!!

