

Leaf Print Rainbow

Make a colorful rainbow with leaves, paint, and paper. Challenge yourself to create your own unique rainbow. If you want to show off your leaves, visit at texastreeid.tamu.edu.

SUPPLIES

- Leaves: Various shapes and sizes
- Paint: Your favorite colors
- Brush: For painting leaves
- Water: To rinse the brush
- Paper/Surface: For leaf prints



INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1 Take a walk in your yard, neighborhood, or local park. Look closely at the trees and their leaves. Choose leaves that catch your eye.
- 2 Gather enough leaves to match the number of paint colors you plan to use.
- 3 Apply paint to the back of each leaf. Use a different color for each leaf.
- 4 Press the painted side of the leaf onto paper to make prints. Repeat with each color.
- 5 Add any other illustrations or decorations to your artwork as you like.

BONUS: Identify and label the types of leaves you used.

