

# Color Mixing



## Materials

- washable markers
- coffee filters
- water

## Step 1

Fold the coffee filter into quarters.



## Step 2

Color on your coffee filter! You can make any design you'd like.



## Step 3

Once you add your design, keep the filter folded and dip both ends into water for about 5 seconds.



## Step 4

Be patient! Lay the filters flat and let the water get to work. As the water is absorbed the colors will start to blend.



## Step 5

Once your filters look like the ones on the left you can open them up. The water will have transferred the color to the whole filter. These will still be wet so give them some time to dry while they are open.



## Step 6

Get creative! You can use the dried filters for just about anything. Based on the materials you have at home, you can make the dried filters into something new. Pipe cleaners are great for getting creative. Try to make a flower or a butterfly!

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