

THE BALL PITT

from age 4

preparation time: 5 min

duration: 30 min

math, counting

MATERIALS

- A3 drawing paper
- Finger paint (like Creall Fingerpaint)
- Balls
- Tape

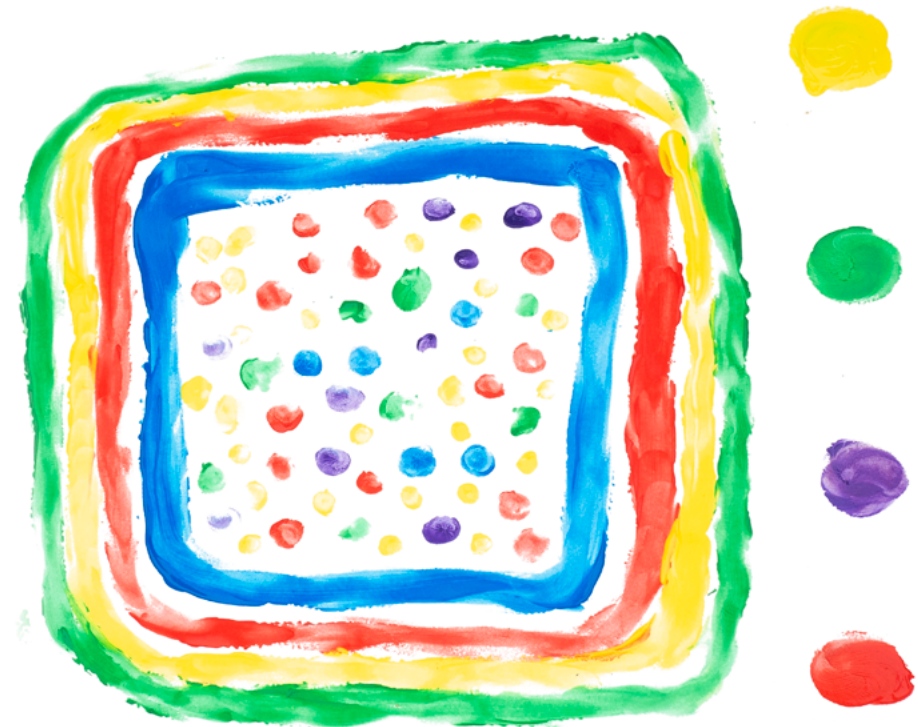
LEARNING OBJECTIVE

Practice knowledge of colours and counting.

START WITH A GAME

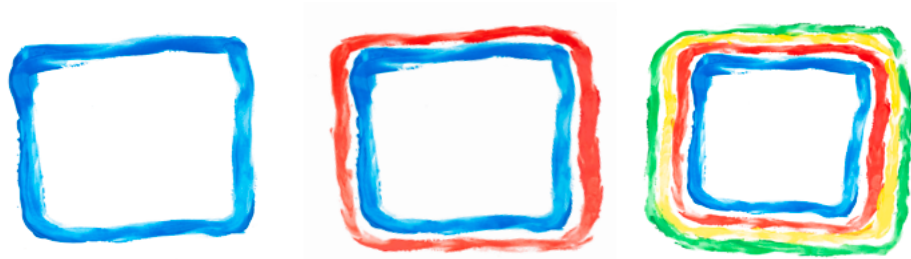
Let's first do a game. Divide the class into groups of 4. Each group sits in a square on the floor, forming a ball pit. The children roll the ball towards each other. Can they do it without letting the ball escape from the ball pit?

Following this game, the groups will go to the tables to make a ball pit with paint.



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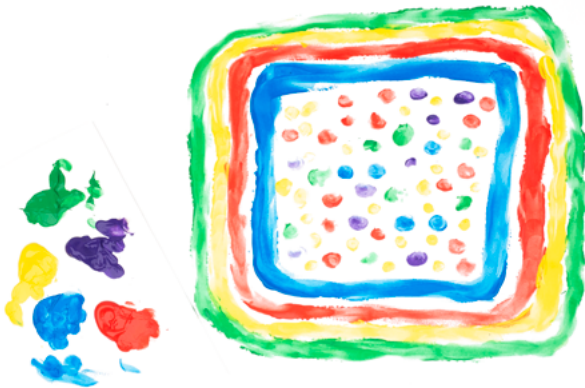
Stick the paper to the table. One of the children will draw a square with fingerprint: the ball pit. The other children enhance the edge of the ball pit with a different colour.

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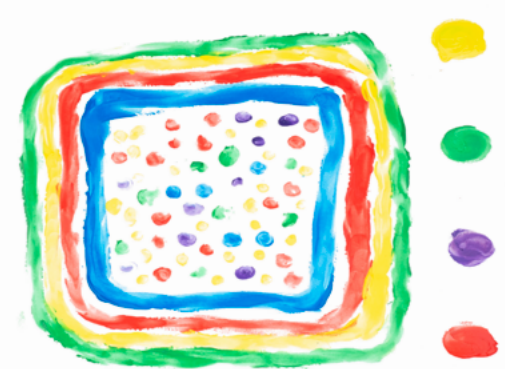
In turns, the pupils draw a ball in a colour of choice. They can make dots or make small circular movements with their fingers.

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Continue until the pit is filled up.

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Count the balls. Let each pupil count one colour or count all colours together. How many red balls are there? And how many blue ones? Etc.