



INVISIBLE INK

Write your own secret messages or pictures using things you already have at home!

SUPPLIES

- Plastic table covers
- 2 small cups
- 1-2 tsp. baking soda
- 1-2 tsp. water
- Cotton swabs
- Cardstock paper
- 60 ml rubbing alcohol
- 1/2 tsp. turmeric
- Paintbrushes

ACTIVITY

1. Lay out a plastic table cover or something else to protect the surface of your experiment to guard it from potential stains.
2. In a small cup, combine equal parts baking soda and water. Mix well.
3. Dip a cotton swab in the baking soda mixture and draw a picture or write a secret message on the cardstock paper.
4. Combine the rubbing alcohol and turmeric in another small cup. Mix well.
5. While the baking soda and water mixture is still wet on the cardstock paper, dip a paintbrush into the rubbing alcohol and turmeric mixture, then paint it over your paper to reveal the hidden message.

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