

Rainy Day Umbrella

TIME: 60+ min

MATERIALS

- Cardstock
- Pencil
- Oil pastel (all colours)
- Construction paper (to match various skin tones)
- Tempera paint (I use pucks)
- Paintbrush & water
- Tinfoil
- Scissors
- Glue stick



STEPS

- Sketch an umbrella onto the card stock with the pencil. Make sure there are clear umbrella sections.
- Use oil pastel to colour in the umbrella. Choose any colours you'd like. I tell the students that the handle should be black or brown but their top can be any colour.
- Paint the background a shade of blue, or grey (if that's an option).
- Choose a piece of paper that best fits your skin tone. Cut out an arm and a hand that will hold the umbrella.
- Glue it onto the paper so that it "holds" the umbrella. You may need to cut off some excess arm if it's too long.
- Cut raindrops out of tinfoil and glue them around the umbrella.

