

Tissue Paper Process

Materials needed:

130# Watercolor paper or heavyweight paper
Tissue paper – assorted colors
Plastic spray bottle for water

Procedure:

1. Cover your work surface with newspaper or plastic.
2. Use a water bottle to spray water onto your paper, making sure that the entire paper is wet.
3. Tear or cut the tissue paper into different shapes (you can control the shapes by using scissors or you can tear freeform, random shapes).
4. Place the tissue shapes onto the paper, covering as much of the surface as you wish. As you place shapes on the paper, overlap to create new shapes and colors. Spray each piece of tissue with water.
*If desired, you can put **entire sheets** of tissue paper on the drawing paper, spraying each layer thoroughly with water before adding a new layer.
5. When done, spray the entire paper/tissue paper with water.
6. Allow to dry completely.
7. When the tissue paper is dry, it will be very easy to remove. Pick up one edge of the tissue paper and remove it from your paper.
8. If desired, use colored pencils, markers, paint/gel pens to enhance the paper.