



Home Activity - Number Pattern

Materials

- White Paper
- Drawing Pencil and eraser.
- Scissors
- Colored pencils, markers, wax crayons in 2 colors.

Artist Link

Jasper John - Numbers in Color 1959

<http://projects.mcah.columbia.edu/courses/russianart/images/medium/0495/60.jpg>

Preparation for Activity

- Collect drawing materials from one of the complementary color pairs.
Blue and orange
Red and green
Yellow and purple

Instructions

- Fold the white paper in half to make a book, then half again, repeat folding in half two more times to make 16 rectangles when you open the paper up.
- Cut out a block of 9 rectangles, 3 across and 3 down.
- Draw a number, in sequence, in each box as large as you can to fill the shape. Make them thick so you can color them in.
- Color in the design with the color selection you have chosen. Experiment with the materials mixing them together to cover the white background. Find out what happens if you mix the two colors together.

