

## **Watercolor Salt Painting**

**Let's create!** Salt absorbs water and water dilutes watercolor paint, so what happens when you combine the two? A swirling color creation! What will you make with your watercolor salt painting? An ocean full of fish? A nebula deep in outer space?



## **Materials:**

- Watercolor paper or any thick paper
- Watercolor paint
- Watercolor brushes
- Salt
- Water

## Steps:

- 1. Wet your paper by brushing on some water with your paintbrush.
- 2. Add watercolor paint to your paper.
- 3. Sprinkle salt in different places on your paper
- 4. Add more Watercolor paint and see what happens as the salt and the water react!

## **Caregiver Tip:**

Try out different combinations of water, salt, and paint. What effect does each new combination create?



