

Ann's Creative Corner

(Project provided by Kid's Care Preschool)

Project #123 Clouds

- Create some various cloud shapes out of firm white paper such as some light poster board or cardboard type paper.
- In a bowl mix some shaving cream and white non-toxic children's glue to an even consistency.
- Pour some of this mixture onto a textured surface such as shown in the photos below. (Bubble paper can work for this too)
- Let the children enjoy the texture of the "mixture" as they explore the feel of it. (Be sure that the children do not have any allergies to the Shaving Cream)
- When they are done exploring, take the cloud shape and place it over the mixture to make the "Print".
- It should come out as a nice textured print with raised points.
- Let Dry. The Glue and Shaving Cream mixture will hold the shape as it dries.
- Make many clouds. Make various sizes. Use various colours of paper. Use various textures of paper. Explore with.

Activity: Go for a walk on a nice cloudy day. Observe the clouds. Lay on a dry surface such as the grass or maybe your patio and look how the clouds change shapes.

Book or Felt Story:

"Sometimes It Looked Like Split Milk"

This is a very good story where the clouds change shape. Also very good "Sharing" felt story as it has many shapes to share and take turns with. Very simple and great for recognition and language Skills!

