

# HANC's Homemade Face Paint

## Ingredients:

- corn starch
- white cold cream or thick lotion
- vegetable oil
- water
- various food colorings or powdered eye shadows
- body or face powder

## Supplies:

- small mixing bowl
- measuring cups & spoons
- spoons or craft sticks for stirring
- small cups or plastic bottle caps
- small containers with lids for storage
- various paintbrushes and/or make-up brushes & sponges
- cotton balls or powder brush

## Base Recipe for 6-8 colors:

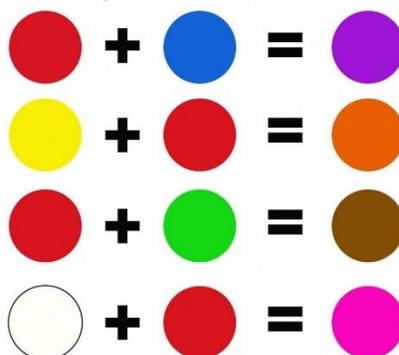
- 1/4 cup corn starch
- 1/4 cup cold cream or lotion
- 1.5 tsp water
- 1/4 tsp vegetable oil



## Directions:

1. Place all ingredients for the base recipe into a small mixing bowl.
2. Mix the ingredients with a spoon or craft stick until smooth and creamy.
3. Divide the mixed base into 6-8 equal amounts and place in small cups or bottle caps.
4. For each color, add food coloring one drop at a time and mix thoroughly (use the end of a spoon or a craft stick) until it is the desired color. *(Another coloring agent to try is powdered eye shadow – scrape with a knife into the base and mix for desired color).*
5. Use the paintbrushes and or make-up brushes & sponges to apply your face paints. Take turns with an adult or friend to paint each other's face with your desired design. Make sure to keep it smooth against your skin to avoid goopy blobs of paint!
6. When your design is finished, have an adult lightly dust the painted area with powder (using cotton balls or powder brush). Then use a slightly damp paper towel to gently wipe off the extra powder – this will help to dry your face paint and make it last longer.
7. To wash off, use a face cloth with soap and water to wipe the paint away. It may leave a slight color in some spots – this will come off after several washings.

## COLOUR MIXING



**NOTE:** Since your base is white, a small amount of red will make pink; use more red to get red.