FINGER PAINT

Objective: This is a wonderful sensory activity for children and also because in this case is a group work enhance their social skills and sense of belonging. We talk about what we can do together as a group. We were reading about fantasy dragons and they agree to paint a dragon using different colours.. To add more stability we tape the paper to the table.

Material: Finger paint four colours and enough to each poster paper or paper craft.

Procedure: We talk about dragons and ask the children what they will like to paint as a group then after they decide what to paint we will introduce the material paper and the finger paint. We will show the children how to do it, let them explore the material and start with the part that they would like to do. What part of the body they are painting, if they want to move around to paint another part. We let them explore the possibilities and meanwhile we will take notes about what they are doing and saying.

The activity finish when the children end it. Then they will help with the clean up.

Extension: Read story about dragons and castles, ask the children what else we can paint as a group. What other part of our body can use to paint?Ask the children to tell a story about their painting.