## Painting with rubber bands

This is a cool way to paint! It is one of those painting ideas for children that they will want to do again and again!

Children would look at the rubber bands and be more than ready to snap them (snap painting). You can set out the baking sheet with rubber bands, paintbrushes and paint for children to discover.

After you put paint on the rubber bands, the paint will start to spatter and fly onto the paper. Repeatedly paint needs reapplying to the rubber bands to be able to keep spattering on the paper.

It is hard to say whether it is the ability to make paint fly or the noise the rubber bands make, that makes this activity so enjoyable for children.

## Applying Paint Hints:

- Applying the paint with a narrow brush seemed to work best. When the paint applied with a wider brush, paint always seemed to spatter on the paper.
- You can use a different paintbrush for each paint colour. This stops the paint from getting mix up when it reapplied.









