

# Skittles Rainbow

Make your own rainbow using just Skittles candy, a plate and some water.

**Time to complete:** 15+ minutes

**Age Group:** 4yrs+

## Materials:

- Skittles Candy
- Plate(s) - Needs to have a lip so water doesn't overflow
- Water

## Instructions:

1. Arrange your Skittles candy on the perimeter of your plate
2. Very gently, pour water into the centre of the plate until it starts to touch the skittles. Pour the water until it comes  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the way up the side of the skittles
3. Be very careful not to knock or bump the plate while the water is being poured
4. Be patient and watch your rainbow appear!!

## Extension Activities

- Make predictions to what will happen to your rainbow if:
  - You use different shapes of plates (Oval, Rectangle, Square)
  - You use different temperatures of water
  - You use different candy (M&Ms or Smarties)

