



Winter Sun

F-005

Art Cards by Kids is an exciting fundraising opportunity for elementary schools across North America. This high-profit artwork fundraiser brings creativity into the classroom in a fun, educational, and rewarding way for students, families, and teachers alike.

We created these step-by-step instructions and videos to help teachers in the classroom guide students in creating amazing artwork for the fundraiser. Videos can easily be projected or displayed in the classroom for students to watch with guidance from their teacher. Please make sure your school has registered already and you have received our specially sized custom art sheets from the coordinator at your school before starting. Happy artistry!

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Description:

Create a beautiful winter picture with a glowing sunset, colorful sky, and tall, snowy trees. Let your creativity make this winter scene come to life!

Materials Needed:

- Acrylic paint in white, deep blue, black, red, orange, yellow
- Large and medium paint brushes
- Black felt pen
- Paper towel
- Water

Difficulty Level: Grade 1-3

See the corresponding step-by-step video to these instructions on our website under the same title.

F-005 Winter Sun Art Project Instructions:

1. Prepare Your Art Sheet Paper

- a. Place your Art Cards by Kids Art Sheet upright on the table with the vertical arrows on the left side facing up.
- b. Gather your painting supplies

2. Write your name

- a. At the top, write your name, teacher's name, age, and grade in big, bold letters using a marker or pen—no pencil!

3. Paint the Background

- a. Use your large paintbrush and deep blue paint.
- b. Paint the entire background blue and let it dry.

4. Paint the Sun's First Ring

- a. Take your large brush and yellow paint.
- b. Paint a big ring on the left side of the paper.

5. Blend the Second Ring

- a. While the yellow paint is still wet, use the same brush and orange paint.
- b. Paint a second ring inside the yellow one, lightly blending the two colors together.

6. Fill in the Last Ring

- a. While the orange paint is still wet, use the same brush and red paint.
- b. Fill in the last part of the sun, blending the colors together gently.

7. Paint the Trees

- a. Once the sun is dry, use your medium brush and black paint. Draw four vertical lines for trees that reach up three-quarters of the page.
- b. On each tree, paint three branches on both sides of the tree trunk.

8. Add Snow

- a. Use a sponge or medium paintbrush to blot white paint about 1 inch thick along the bottom for snow.
- b. Make sure to cover the bottoms of the trees. Let it dry.

9. Sign Your Name

- a. Once everything is dry, use a black felt pen to sign your name above the snow.

10. Let It Dry Completely

- a. Let the entire painting dry completely before handling or stacking it.

Complete!