



29 stencils, assortment of brushes, eye kit, release paper (for storing stencils on)

Acrylic paints - used for stenciling

Pre-painted room - painted with latex paint (semi-gloss or satin recommended)

Brushes - 10-20 foam brushes of various sizes, 1 fine-tip brush for touch-ups and the eyes, and foam roller(s) for the larger stencils

Ball-point pen - used for drawing eyes

Chalk - used for sketching hills

Paper plates - used to hold acrylic paints

Paper towels and baby wipes- used for keeping stencils clean

Scissors - used for separating stencils and cutting away any extra plastic

1. Paint background colors. For a scene with sky and hills, you will need two colors of latex paint. Paint the sky and hills and let dry.

*Tip! If you want the hills to come above the furniture, use chalk to mark out where the furniture will be, and then sketch the hills.

Tip! An easy way to paint hills is with a paint roller.

*Tip! Save background color paint for touch-ups.

2. Prepare the stencils. The kit contains six sheets with several stencils on each sheet.

*Tip! It's a good idea to test the layout of your design prior to stenciling. Before peeling the stencils off the paper backing, use scissors to divide the large sheets into individual stencils. This will allow you to tape them to the wall first and to try different variations to see what you like best.

*Tip! You can use scissors to cut away any extra plastic on the stencils. This will allow you to get closer to the baseboards and/or paint objects closer together at the same time.

3. Stencil the walls. The stencils have a self-adhesive coating, so no tape or glue is required. Simply peel, stick, paint, remove and reuse.

a. PEEL: First, peel the stencil from the paper backing. The stencils are tear-resistant, but it is best to be careful. If you feel a hang-up, stop and peel from another direction.

b. **STICK:** Next, place the stencil on the wall and rub it down with your hand, making sure that all inner edges are down to avoid any bleeding.

c. **PAINT:** Then, with a foam brush apply a thin coat of acrylic paint with a gentle patting or stabbing motion (or roll it on thinly if using a roller). Apply a second coat as necessary.

*Tip! Practice with something simple like a cloud.

*Tip! To avoid bleeding, make sure not to put too much paint on the brush. 2 or 3 light coats will work much better than one thick one. Also, after you wash your brush make sure it is completely dry before using it again. Squeeze the water out with a hand towel and use a hair dryer to speed things up.

*Tip! You can create depth to a scene by layering. For example, paint flowers in front of the tree and then paint a snail in front of the flowers.

*Tip! To paint in the eyes of the animals, refer to the eye kit provided.

d. REMOVE: Finally, after the paint is semi-dry, remove the stencil from the wall. Paint in any areas left unpainted due to stencil bridges (plastic areas of the stencil that hold two edges together and are necessary to preserve its structure).

*Tip! Store the stencils on the extra sheets of release paper.

e. REUSE: The stencils can be reused efficiently approximately 5-10 times.

*Tip! When reusing a stencil, place it on the wall and press down with a paper towel. This will help keep it clean and prevent excess build-up. You can remove dried paint on the stencil with a baby wipe.

Make sure to check out our instructional videos at www.MyWonderfulWalls.com

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Acrylic paint

Acrylic paints are conveniently available through our website in Paint Kits and at craft and fabric stores. We recommend the Americana and FolkArt brands. Be aware that some hobby acrylic paints are more watery than others. Watery acrylics will cause bleeding under the stencil. We do not recommend Anita's, Delta Ceramcoat or any metallic hobby paint.

Acrylic paint kit (sold separately at www.MyWonderfulWalls.com)

Below is a list of the colors we have found work well together for this kit. *Please note that the quantity of paint we suggest is an estimate. The amount of paint you actually use will depend on the size of the room and the number of times you paint each design.* Note that these are merely suggestions. Don't be afraid to channel the inner artist within or, if you prefer, simply mimic what we have already done. There are endless possibilities of how the mural can be painted.

Acrylic paint
Brand: Americana

forest - boy version



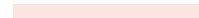

Qty.	Flavor	Size
1	Snow (Titanium)White DAO1	8oz.
1	Hauser Light Green DA131	8oz.
1	Dark Chocolate DAO65	8oz.
1	Golden Straw DA168	2oz.
3	Burnt Orange DAO16	2oz.
2	Hauser Medium Green DA132	2oz.
1	Ocean Blue DA270	2oz.
1	Toffee DAO59	2oz.
2	Milk Chocolate DA174	2oz.

forest - girl version

Qty.	Flavor	Size
1	Snow (Titanium)White DAO1	8oz.
1	Dark Chocolate DAO65	8oz.
2	Snow (Titanium)White DAO1	2oz.
1	Golden Straw DA168	2oz.
1	Burnt Orange DAO16	2oz.
1	Bubblegum Pink DA250	2oz.
1	Carousel Pink DA274	2oz.
4	Foliage Green DA269	2oz.
2	Hauser Medium Green DA132	2oz.
1	Turquoise Blue DA268	2oz.
1	Toffee DAO59	2oz.
2	Milk Chocolate DA174	2oz.

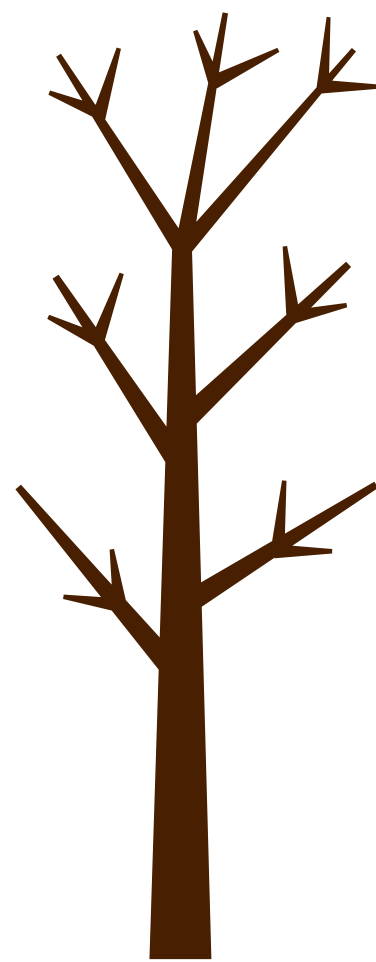
Latex paint (available at home stores)

These are the colors we have used and know look good, but you can find similar colors at any home store (Lowe's, Home Depot, etc.).

forest boy		forest girl	
Spring Waterfall A54-3 Olympic semi-gloss or satin, Lowe's	Everglade Glen 6003-6A Valspar semi-gloss or satin, Lowe's	Frosted Tulip A32-2 Olympic semi-gloss or satin, Lowe's	Everglade Glen 6003-6A Valspar semi-gloss or satin, Lowe's
			

Color swatches on this printed page may be different than actual paint colors.

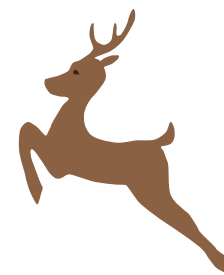
Stencils Included



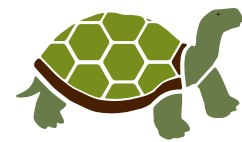
tree trunk
46"h x 17.5"w
(2 pieces)



fox
12"h x 9.5"w



deer
12.5"h x 10"w



tortoise
6.5"h x 11"w



owl
6"h x 4.5"w



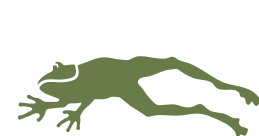
sparrow 1
7.5"h x 6"w



sparrow 2
6.5"h x 7.5"w



rabbit
8"h x 5"w



frog
4"h x 12"w



squirrel
3.5"h x 7.5"w



butterfly
4"h x 5"w



dragonfly
4"h x 6"w



inch worm
1.5"h x 2.5"w



water lily
2.5"h x 3.5"w



lily pad
2"h x 6"w



mouse
3.5"h x 3"w



snail
2.5"h x 6"w



tree leaves large
2 - 6.5"h x 3"w



tree leaves small
2 - 4"h x 2"w



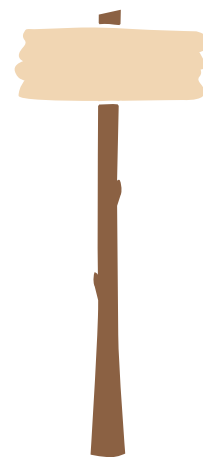
2 tree flowers
4"h x 4.5"w



curly grass
9"h x 5.5"w



cloud
5"h x 11.5"w



sign post
22.5"h x 9.5"w



cattail
20"h x .75"w



cattail leaf
12"h x 2"w



cattail leaf
11.5"h x 2"w



grass
9"h x 7"w



mushroom large
7.5"h x 5.5"w



mushroom small
5.5"h x 4"w



daisy
8.5"h x 4"w



poppy
10"h x 3.5"w



sun
8.5"h x 8.5"w

