

NATURE LOVERS:

Butterfly Investigation



Observe butterflies as they flit around in your yard or in the neighborhood. **Use your investigative skills.** Do the butterflies seem to prefer blossoms that are pink, red, yellow, orange, or are they more attracted to shades of blue and green?

IF you don't happen to have see any butterflies, you can still enjoy this butterfly craft!

SUPPLIES for CRAFT

2 Coffee Filters Water-based Markers
1 Pipe Cleaner Small Spray Bottle



Decorate each coffee filter with the markers in a specific pattern or random coloring. Spray the filters lightly with water allowing the colors to run together in a tie-dye design.

When the filters are dry, pinch together each one in the middle to form upper and lower wings for the butterfly. Twist the pipe cleaner to hold the wings together. Curl the ends of the pipe cleaner to form antennae shapes for your butterfly.

