

Pebble Art

You will need:

- A smooth pebble, big enough to draw on.
- Paint – poster paint or acrylic paint is best.
- A permanent marker pen.
- Paintbrushes – thin ones are best as you can add more detail.
- Clear varnish - nail varnish would work.



Pebble art has become a really popular hobby. People decorate pebbles and then hide them in all kinds of places, such as parks, beaches and even shopping centres. When you go on a pebble hunt, you can either keep the pebbles you find or hide them again for someone else to find. You could get the adult with you to take a photo of a pebble if you are going to re-hide it. There are Internet groups on social media where an adult could post a photo of the pebble you have found.

1. Paint your design. You may wish to add outlines using your marker pen.
2. Once the paint is dry, you might want to add this message on to the back of your pebble: 'Pebble Art. Keep me or re-hide me.' You could get an adult to do an Internet search to find a local pebble art group and find out what message they put on pebbles.
3. Once everything is dry, cover the entire pebble in clear varnish.
4. Hide the pebble, perhaps in somewhere like a park.

