

Jackson Pollock

Project: We are going to experience Action Painting just like our hometown artist Jackson Pollack, nicknamed, "Jack the Dripper," creating an abstract landscape.

Process: Based on Pollack's paint style of dripping and splashing, we will paint an abstract landscape on a small or large canvas - you decide. Start with painting a solid "sky" and a solid "foreground". After that I recommend you paint outside if possible. Choose a pallet and water down your paints to a liquid consistency. Take your brushes and tap and drip as you please.

Materials: You will need a canvas or thick board, a smock, a tarp for the floor, watered-down acrylics or tempera paints, and some brushes. Prepare to get messy.