

# MOUSE COLOR GRAPH INSTRUCTIONS

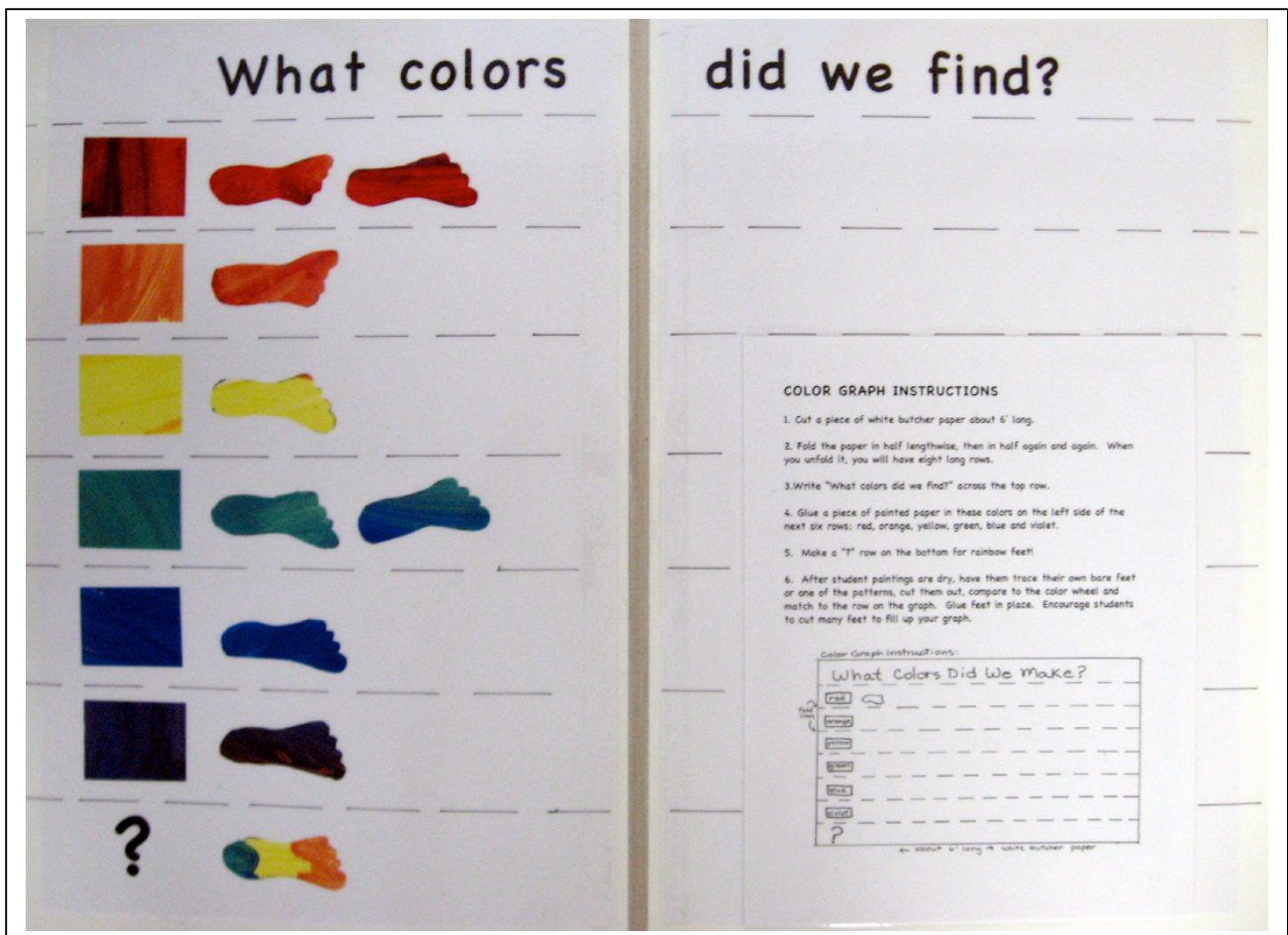
1. Cut a piece of white butcher paper about 6' long.
2. Fold the paper in half lengthwise, then in half again and again. When you unfold it, you will have eight rows lengthwise on your paper.

Write "What colors did we find?" across the top row.

3. Glue a piece of painted paper in these colors on the left side of the next six rows; red, orange, yellow, green, blue and violet.

3. Make a "?" row on the bottom for rainbow feet!

4. After student paintings are dry, have them trace their own bare feet or one of the patterns, cut them out, compare to the color wheel and match to the row on the graph. Glue feet in place. Encourage students to cut many feet to fill up your graph.



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(to the tune of Three Blind Mice)

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And now he’s green from his nose to his shoe!**

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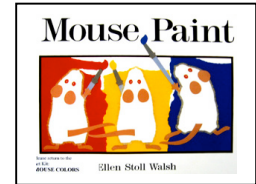
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