

HOW TO!

INVISIBLE INK MESSAGES

Instructions:

1. First, add 1 Tablespoon of baking soda to 1/2 cup of water.
2. Stir the baking soda into the water to make the “invisible ink”.
3. Use q-tips to draw a picture with the invisible ink on paper.
4. While you are waiting for your paper to dry, mix up your color changing-solution. First, add 1 teaspoon of turmeric to 1/2 cup of rubbing alcohol.
5. Stir the turmeric into the rubbing alcohol. (Note: The solution can stain a little bit. I used a white plastic bowl, which was not the smartest, because it was a little difficult to clean afterwards. You might want to use a glass bowl.)
6. After the paper is dry, put gloves on and use a paper towel (or paintbrush) to apply the color-changing solution to the paper to reveal the secret message! (Note: We used paper towels, but our hands were all a little orange for a few hours afterward, so you might want to use a paintbrush instead!)

