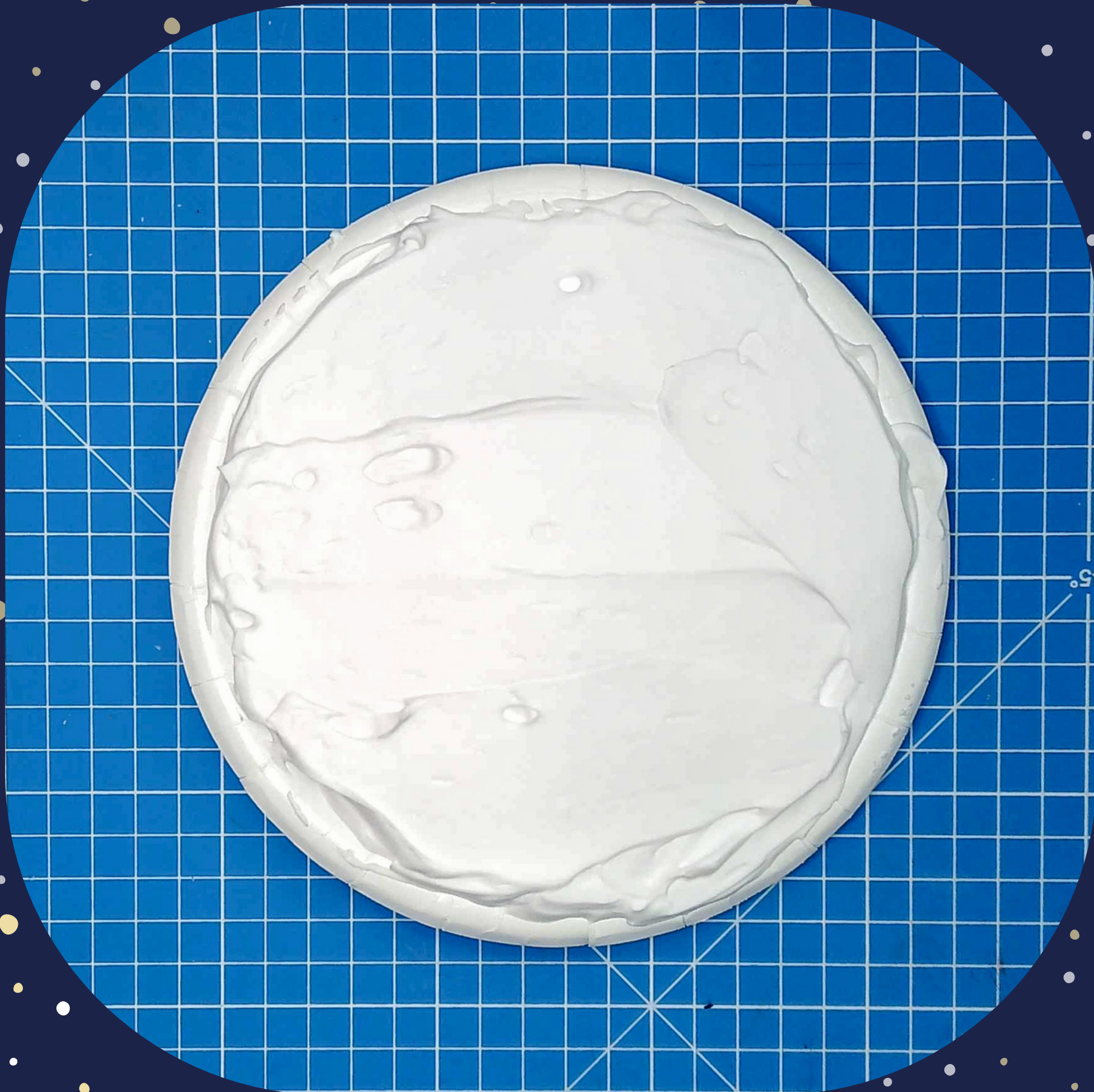




## Materials

- Shaving cream (foam, not gel)
- Food coloring (liquid, not gel) or liquid watercolors
- Toothpicks or bamboo skewers
- Copy paper, white
- A plate with low rim or wax paper
- Scrap cardboard, squeegee, or rubber spatula
- Newspaper or tablecloth to protect your work area
- Paper towels for clean up





Using your rubber spatula or a piece of scrap cardboard as a squeegee, spread shaving cream on your plate or wax paper. Try to make the top flat and level. If using a plate, ensure the level of the shaving cream is over the rim. Make sure the shaving cream is formed into a roughly circular shape.





Drop about five drops of red food coloring onto the shaving cream randomly. Repeat with yellow food coloring.





Use your toothpicks to swirl the red and yellow together.





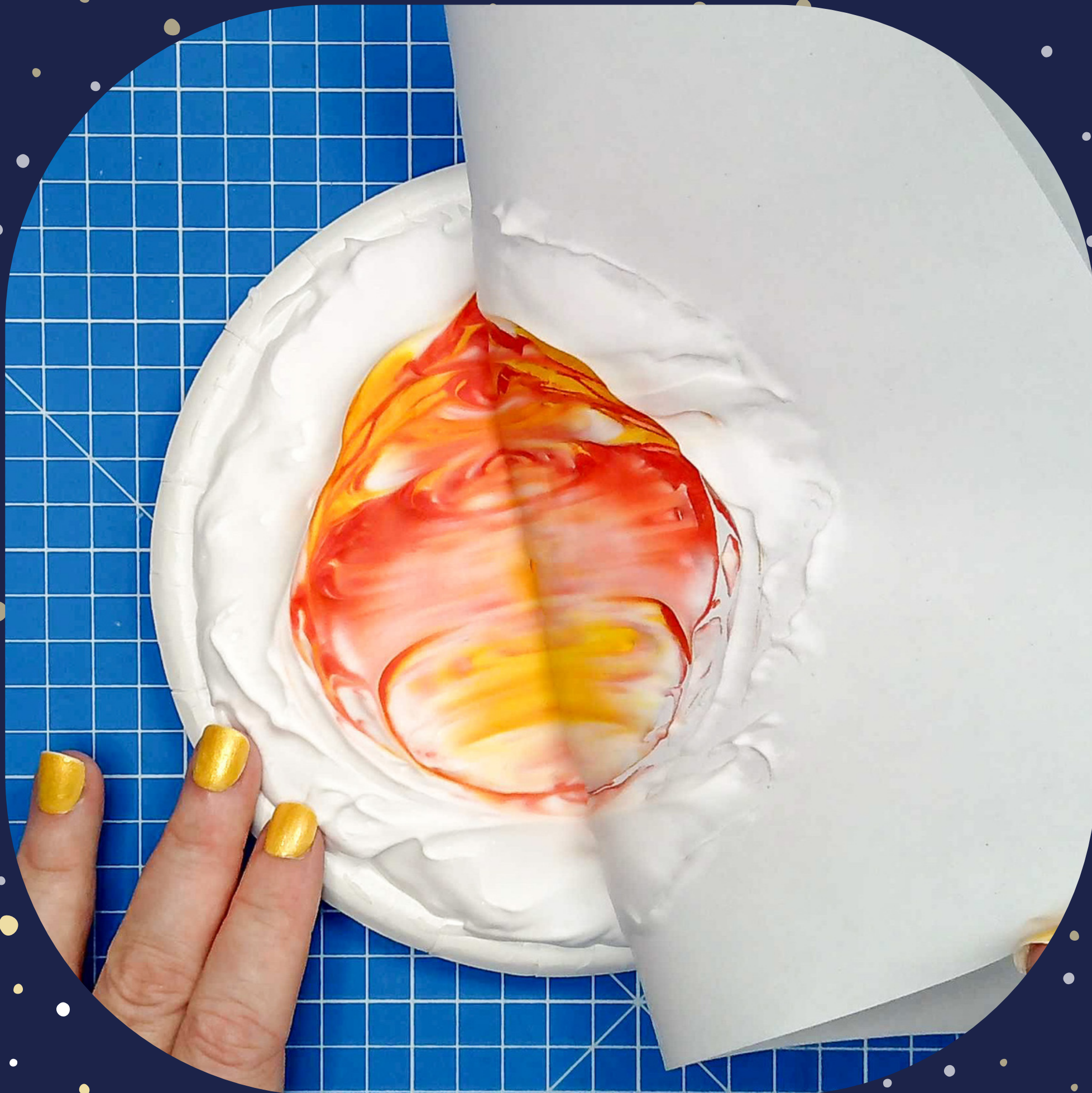
Keep swirling until you have a design you like.





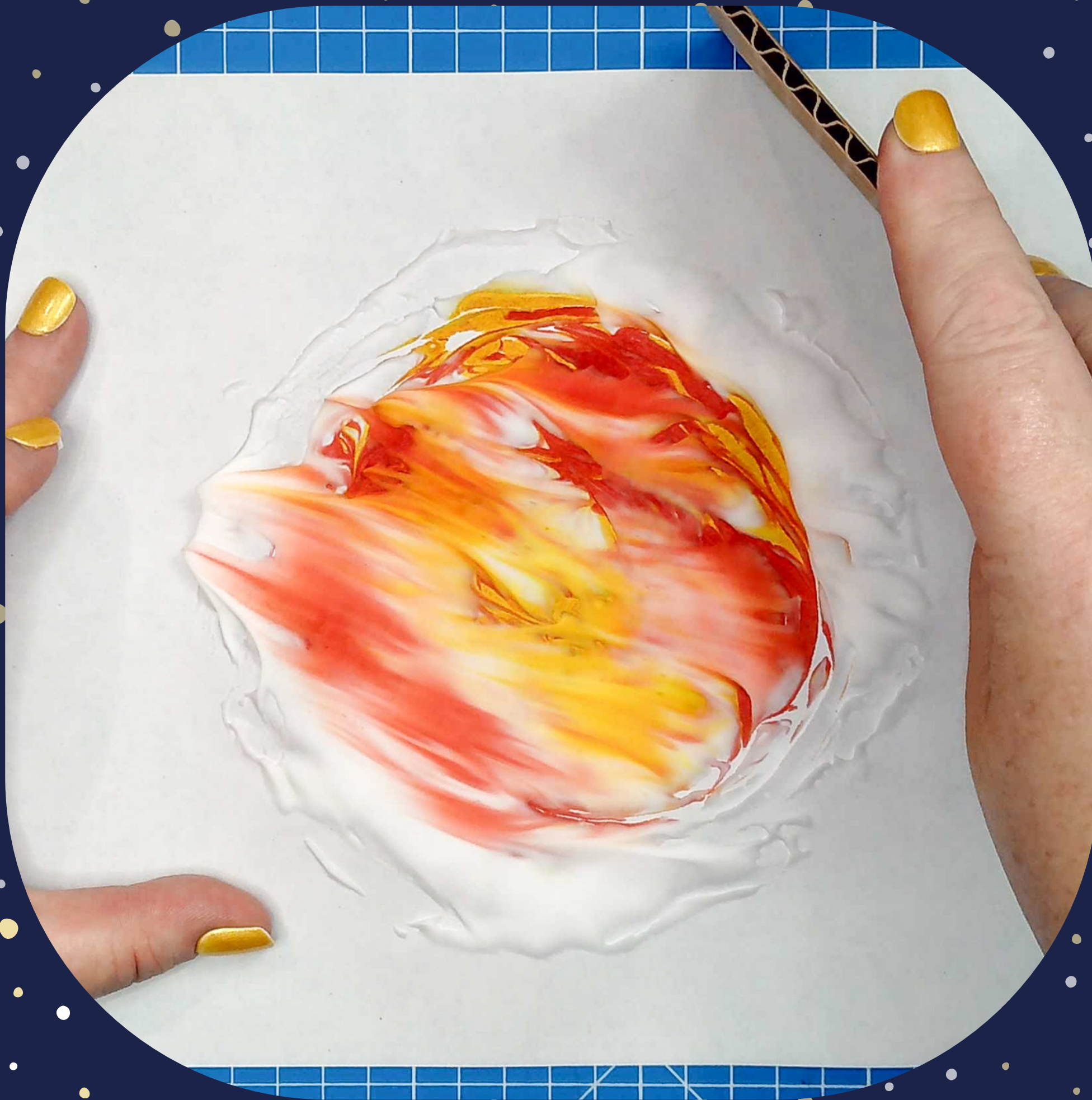
Gently press your paper on top of the shaving cream and food coloring. Press down lightly and wait a few seconds so that your paper absorbs the dye. The longer you let it soak, the more dye you will transfer, but the wetter your paper will be. Experiment to find the best results.





Carefully pull the paper off of the shaving cream and lay it flat on your work surface. It may not look like much at this point, but that's ok.





Using your spatula, squeegee, or scrap cardboard, gently scrape the shaving cream off the paper, revealing your design. Try to do this in one swipe across the entire print. Don't scrape too hard.





If you need to do a second pass, make sure you wipe off your squeegee. Once you've swiped, blot off any extra shaving cream with a paper towel.





Let the paper dry completely before you touch it. Otherwise, it may smear.