- **Template Example: Spray Paint Letter Design**
- **Materials Needed:**
- Spray paint (various colors)
- Cardboard or sturdy paper
- Stencil letters (can be cut out from paper or purchased)
- Masking tape
- Protective mask and gloves
- Drop cloth or old newspaper
- **Steps:**
- 1. **Preparation:**
- Lay down a drop cloth or old newspaper to protect the work area.
- Choose your colors of spray paint.
- 2. **Create Stencil:**
- Use cardboard or sturdy paper to create stencil letters or purchase pre-made stencils.
- Ensure letters are an appropriate size for your project.
- 3. **Secure Stencil:**
- Position the stencil on your desired surface.
- Use masking tape to secure the stencil in place, ensuring no paint leaks.
- 4. **Spray Painting:**
 - Shake the spray paint can well before use.
- Hold the spray can about 6-12 inches away from the stencil.
- Apply a light, even coat of spray paint over the stencil.
- Avoid over-spraying to prevent drips.
- 5. **Drying:**
- Allow the paint to dry completely before removing the stencil.
- If needed, apply a second coat for more vibrant colors.
- 6. **Finishing Touch:**
- Carefully remove the stencil once dry.
- Touch up any areas as needed with a fine brush.
- 7. **Display:**
- Allow the finished letters to cure for 24 hours before displaying.
- Enjoy your newly designed spray paint letters!
- **Design Idea: **
- Create a gradient effect using two or more colors by spraying them in layers.
- Use contrasting colors for a bold look or metallic shades for a modern touch.