What is Pointillism?

Pointillism is a painting technique in which the artist uses small colored dots of paint to create a pattern or image. This technique is a branch of Impressionism and was created by artists Georges Seurat and Paul Signac. Take a look at some of their pieces below!

Right: Georges Seurat, A Sunday Afternoon on the Island of La Grande Jatte (1884-1886)

Left Paul Signac, La Baie (1907)
For today's activity, you'll need watercolors, q-tips, and some blank paper.

Use the q-tips and watercolor to create dots on your paper. You can create an image or an abstract pattern! Just experiment with the Pointillism technique!