Turner

Painting in the style of Turner

You will need:

Yellow, red, blue, black and white tempera paint.

Thick and thin brushes

Art paper

A thin sheet of wood

PVA glue

Experiment on Art Paper:

- 1) Using plenty of yellow, brush on thick strokes horizontally across the page.
- 2) Add a small amount of red paint to your brush and stroke horizontally across the page, blending the two colours as you paint. (This will make shades of orange)
- 3) Create lighter areas using the same method with white paint.
- 4) Brush across a tiny amount of blue or black to highlight darker areas. (The red/yellow (orange) paint will go brown).
- * Try not to over-blend. The best effects will come from streaks of colour that are not entirely mixed.

Paint on wood:

- 1) Undercoat your wood with a thin layer of white paint. Allow to dry.
- 2) Blend a little PVA glue with your tempera paints before you begin.
 This will help thick layers of paint bond with the wood without cracking.
- 3) Use method described above to create your own Turner style painting on wood panel.