



Have a go at home - making playdough

Ingredients:

- 2 cups plain flour
- 1 cup salt
- 1 tbsp oil
- 1 cup cold water
- 2 drops food colouring

Tips:

Too sticky?

Add flour!

Too dry and crumbly?

Add water and knead!

Do you want it to last?

Add cream of tartar!

If you need to add extra ingredients, only do small amount at a time.



Method:

1. Mix the flour and salt together in a large mixing bowl
2. Add the cold water, oil and colouring and mix together
3. When your ingredients are well mixed, take them from the bowl and place onto a flat greaseproof surface
4. Roll up your sleeves
5. Knead well for a few minutes, until the dough feels like playdough and is no longer sticky

With your child, have a try following this simple play dough recipe at home. This is the recipe we follow at nursery. Store it in an airtight container, if left in the elements too long it will begin to dry.