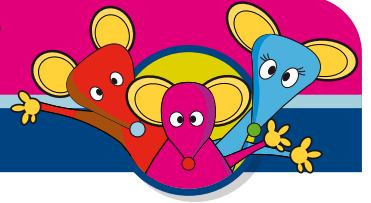


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How to make Blue Mouse's Playdough

Ingredients

2 cups of flour
1 cup of salt
1 tablespoon of cooking oil
1 cup of water
Food colouring

You will need

Bowl
Spoon for mixing
Rolling pin
Pastry cutters

1. Mix the flour and salt together.
2. Add food colouring to the cup of water and pour into the mixture with the cooking oil.
3. Mix together very well with your hands (this is messy bit and I love it!)
4. Cut out shapes or make a model of your favourite mouse!
5. Bake in an oven on a very low setting 120 C, 250 F or Gas 1-2 for 2 hours. It can take a while to get hard, smaller objects work better.



TIP: Sometimes I don't put food colouring in but I paint it in bright colours when it is dry, You can make play things for your shop or a picnic for your teddy bears. I keep my playdough in cling film and put it in the fridge so I can play with it again. If it gets sticky mum adds some more flour. But be careful, my friend Loz was very upset. She made me and then dropped me on the floor. My poor tail fell off!

Note: These are activities for you and your child to enjoy together. The safety of your child is obviously very important. Please use caution when using an oven.