



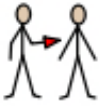
Gloop



Glorious



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You

will



need:



cornflour

2 cups



water

1 cup



kitchen utensils



food colouring



Steps:

1. Place the cornflour into a large container.
2. Add a few drops of food colouring into the centre. Have water ready for your child to pour in.
3. Encourage your child to pour the water into the large container.
4. Mix the cornflour, food colouring and water together.



Now



let's

play!

- Add different colours to different bowls of gloop.
- Add different natural scents to the gloop e.g. orange/lemon zest.
- Use a range of kitchen utensils for your child to experiment with.
- Add in washable favourite toys to the gloop e.g. plastic farm animals/cars.

What's



next?

- Discuss with your child what the gloop feels like/smells like/looks like, developing their senses vocabulary e.g. wet, slimy, cold.
- Discuss and describe the changes in texture with your child e.g. 'When we squeeze the gloop it feels hard, but when we stop it's runny again – how strange?!'
- Mix different colours of food colouring together and discuss with your child what happens, making predictions e.g. 'What do you think will happen if we mix the yellow and blue gloop?'