

Rainbow Gloop

What you need

- 2 cups of corn flour
- 1 cup of water
- Food colouring
- Suitable tray or shallow container

How to Make

1. Mix the corn flour and water, aim for a fairly thick consistency.
 2. Spread the gloop on to the tray.
 3. Dot the food colouring in various places.
 4. Then drag your fingers through the gloop moving the colours around.
- A little tip; It can become messy so a plastic table cloth may be useful or play outside!

How to extend.

Add other items into the gloop glitter, sequins or even spiders!

Encourage the children to use all their fingers one at a time or all together to create marks and patterns.

Pour the gloop on to foil or shiny coloured paper to create a different effect.

Learning Opportunities.

This activity helps to develop their fine motor skills, which assists with early writing.

It encourages them to use their imagination and language skills as they tell you what they can see and what is happening.

You can use this technique to create new and exciting worlds. Creating habitats, swamps and alien worlds, just let the child lead the way.

