minibrum *** Our Playmaker's Winter Playdough Recipe

Ingredients:

128g Plain flour

64g table salt

2 tbsp or 41g cream of tartar

2 tbsp or 35ml vegetable oil

237 ml water

Gel food colouring/s of your choice

1 tsp scents e.g. cinnamon, peppermint extract, orange extract

Equipment:
Microwave
Large microwave proof bowl
Wooden spoon
Table spoon
Tea spoon
Measuring jug

- 1. Put the plain flour, cream of tartar and salt in to the bowl and mix.
- 2. Put the water and vegetable oil together in the measuring jug.
- 3. Slowly mix the water and oil into the four mixture a little bit at a time to stop lumps forming in the batter.
- 4. Add your scent or spice of choice and mix.
- 5. Cook the mixture on full power for 3 minutes, stirring the mixture every minute. Be careful when doing this as the mixture will be hot.
- 6. Leave to cool for 15 minutes.
- 7. Knead in a little bit of gel food colouring at a time until your happy with the colour. If using several colours divide your dough before add the colours.

Top tip - store your dough in an airtight container in the fridge for up to a month!

Ready, Steady, PLAY!

What will you create with your play dough? You could add other materials like leaves or pinecones, building bricks or paper straws? How could you add new textures?