

## Toddlers

# Cornflour Slime

### YOU WILL NEED

- A large bowl
- Cornflour
- A jug of water
- Food colouring (optional)



### WHAT TO DO

Add the food colouring to the water and stir. Put the cornflour into a bowl and add the water gradually, stirring midway through. The quantity of water should be half the quantity of cornflour. Watch your child explore how the slime changes from a solid to a liquid as they touch it.

**Tip:** If they punch the slime it will become solid, changing back into a liquid as they scoop it up in their hands.

### LEARNING & DEVELOPMENT

This activity provides toddlers with an opportunity to explore how they can affect changes to materials, when they see how they are able to change the slime from a liquid to a solid, and back again. This also presents a fantastic opportunity to introduce some new words into their vocabulary, such as dripping, slimy or oozing.