



## Make your own Easy Chalk

Want to get outside and enjoy a fun outdoor activity? Then our At Home Easy Chalk activity is for you. With a few ingredients you can mix your own chalk and spend hours creating bright and colourful drawings outside.

### Materials

- Cornflour
- Food colouring
- Water
- Bowls
- Brushes, spoons, button buds or other tools to paint with

### Method

Step 1. Gather all your materials



**Step 2. Add one cup of cornflour to your bowl.**



**Step 3. Add 1 cup of water to the cornflour. You always need to have 1-part cornflour and 1-part water for this easy mix.**



**Step 4.** Use your brush or spoon and mix until there are no lumps and the mixture look nice and smooth. Now you can use it as white chalk or you can follow the next steps to add colour.



**Step 5.** Divide the mixture into bowls depending on how many different colours you would like. We had 4 different colours and used 4 bowls. Add the food colouring to the mixture. Make sure you mix the colour in well.





Now it is time to have fun. Did you know that you can mix your own colours? If you use the primary colours: red, blue and yellow- you can mix any other colour. Red and yellow makes orange, blue and red makes purple.

Try and mix a little bit of blue and yellow and see what you get. Just be careful not to mix them all together because usually it makes a yucky brown. Now you can create beautiful paintings, write a message or paint a hopscotch and get some exercise as well. Have fun.

