



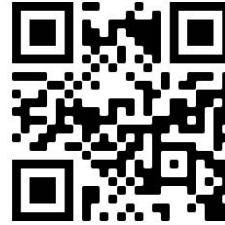
If You Give a Mouse a Cookie Activity

Encourage sensory play in your early learning environment with salt dough cookies!

Required Materials:

- Flour
- Salt
- Warm Water
- Mixing Bowl (Item #70258)
- Spoon
- Measuring Cups (Item #24458)
- Baking Sheet
- Oven
- Acrylic Paint (Item #30446)
- Paint Brushes (Item #84704)

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Optional Materials:

- *If You Give a Mouse a Cookie* (Item #15979)
- *If You Give a Mouse a Cookie Puppet and Props* (Item #52293)
- *New Sprouts® Bake It!* (Item #31839)
- Modge Podge
- Cookie Cutters

1. Mix Dry Ingredients

Mix $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of flour with $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of salt.

2. Add Water

Slowly add $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of warm water into your dry mixture while stirring. If mixture is still powdery, add small amounts of additional warm water until a dough-like consistency is created.

3. Knead Dough

Knead your salt dough until fully mixed. Roll golf-ball-sized balls of dough and flatten to form a cookie shape or use cookie cutters.

4. Bake

Place your salt dough cookies onto an ungreased baking sheet and bake at 248°F for 3 hours. Let them fully cool.

5. Decorate

Paint your freshly baked salt dough cookies with acrylic paint and seal with Modge Podge (optional).

