Oobleck Recipe

Prepare to get MESSY!

Recipe:

- 1 cup water
- 1.5-2 cups corn starch
- a few drops of food coloring of your choice

Directions:

- 1. Start with the water in a bowl and start adding the corn starch to it.
- 2. When you're getting close to adding 1.5 cups of the corn starch, start adding it in more slowly and mixing it in with your hand. You want it to be a liquid AND solid.
- 3. If too soupy, add in cornstarch in small amounts until consistency is satisfactory.
- 4. Add in food coloring *optional

Science Topics to Bring Up

- 1. The difference between liquids and solids
- 2. Discussing pressure (how the oobleck feels different if you poke it quickly vs. slowly with your finger).
- 3. Drop items/toys and see if any float