

### Environmental Slime

Make your own slime that's super friendly for the environment and fun!

**Ingredients:** Cornflour (1/2 cup), Natural Food Dye, Water (1 cup), Container, Spoon

1. Measure 1/2 cup of cornflour
2. Add water and food colour together, if you don't have any food colour you can make white 'snowflake' slime.
3. Add 8-10 spoonfuls of liquid to cornflour.
4. Mix! Mix! Mix! Add more liquid if needed.

### Mini Winter Reading Challenge

Everyone is a hero with the Winter Mini Reading Challenge. Discover all about heroes big and small by reading brilliant books! To take part all you need to do is log onto [www.summerreadingchallenge.org.uk](http://www.summerreadingchallenge.org.uk) and read a minimum of three books. Once you've read them, review them on the website and let us know if you would recommend them.

### Paper Snowflakes

Did you know that no two snowflakes are ever the same, just as no two people are ever the same? Make your own unique paper snowflake.

1. Fold paper in half, and then half again (to make quarters). Fold the paper once again.
  2. Get an adult to help you cut random shapes into the paper, snipping off the centre and shaping the edge of your snowflake.
  3. Thinking about yourself, think about what makes you special and write a note on each snowflake
- Hang your snowflakes up to create a snowflake positivity chain.



## Step into Winter Challenge

We'd love to invite you to try some of our special challenges this festive holiday, fun for all the family. Complete these challenges and email your pictures and evidence to [Jessica.Worf@15billionebp.org](mailto:Jessica.Worf@15billionebp.org), tweet us @EastLondon\_CU, find us on Facebook - East London Children's University or visit [www.15billionebp.org/what-we-do/](http://www.15billionebp.org/what-we-do/)

If you have a Children's University passport we will issue one stamp for each activity completed. If you don't have a passport please get in contact to find out more about how you can join East London Children's University.

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### Homemade sweets

Make your own homemade sweets, you can either research a family favourite or make some simple but yummy peppermint creams!

**Ingredients:** Peppermint Essence (a few drops) 450g icing sugar, 4 tablespoons of condensed milk, large mixing bowl, rolling pin, spoon, tray

1. Mix icing sugar and condensed milk together
2. Add a few drops of peppermint essence
3. Mix! Knead! Mix! Until you can make a ball.
4. Put a little icing sugar on your workspace and roll it out, cut shapes, pop in fridge and EAT!

### Become a Weather Presenter

BBC would like YOU to record the weather forecast for this week! Create a weekly timetable of what the weather is predicted to be like for each day with logos, images, and a short sentence. Present your predictions to your family with suggestions for their daily plans so they are aware of all the weather changes!

### Make an Apple Bird Feeder

Make your own Apple Bird Feeder to encourage birds to visit an outdoor space.

- Equipment:** Apple, Seeds, Sticks (x2), String
1. Get a grown up to help you cut the core out of the apple.
  2. Make an 'X' with the sticks and tie them to string so that the apple sits on top.
  3. Make a pattern by pushing the seeds into the apple, then it's ready to hang up!
  4. Record the different birds that visit.