

ST PAT'S SENSORY PLAY

There are so many fun ways to mix up sensory play for special days! Take any one of our sensory play recipes and give it a green theme for St. Patrick's Day. Simple items such as a black plastic pot and gold coins are a perfect touch on a budget.



TREASURE HUNT IN OOBLECK

Dive into a sea of squishy, slimy Oobleck and embark on a treasure hunt adventure. Hide small treasures like plastic coins or shiny beads in the Oobleck and challenge children to find the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow.

RAINBOW COLORED RICE

Create a pot of vibrant, rainbow-colored rice and let little hands explore the textures and colors of the rainbow. Use different shades of food coloring to dye the rice and watch as children marvel at the sensory delight.



HOW TO DYE RICE

Learn how to dye rice here quickly and easily!

HOMEMADE SHAMROCK PLAYDOUGH

Whip up a batch of homemade playdough using our favorite recipe and let your imaginations run wild. Mold, shape, and create shamrocks, leprechauns, and other St. Patrick's Day-themed shapes for hours of creative fun.

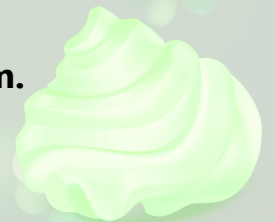


GREEN AND GOLD SLIME

Get ready to stretch, squish, and squeeze with our magical green and gold slime recipes. Mix up a batch using simple ingredients like glue, borax, and food coloring, and watch as children delight in the sensory experience of playing with gooey, stretchy slime.

SHAVING CREAM MESSY PLAY

Dive into this messy sensory bin filled with fluffy shaving cream. Add a few drops of green food coloring to create a festive St. Patrick's Day-themed sensory experience that's perfect for sensory exploration and messy play.



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SENSORY BINS

Sensory bins are a fantastic hands-on learning activity for young kids. Here's everything you need to know about making sensory bins.

Lucky Charms Sorting: Fill a sensory bin with a mix of Lucky Charms cereal and challenge children to sort the marshmallow shapes by color or shape using tongs or their fingers.



Pot of Gold Sensory Bin: Fill a bin with black beans or coffee beans and hide small gold coins or treasures for kids to discover. Other sensory bin fillers include:

Kinetic Sand
Dyed Rice
Shredded paper or grass
Pom Poms



Rainbow Pasta Sensory Play: Dye cooked pasta in vibrant rainbow colors using food coloring and let children explore the sensory delights of running their fingers through the slippery noodles.

Rainbow Foam Sensory Bin: Mix up batches of colored foam using dish soap, water, and food coloring, and let children explore the textures and colors of the rainbow in a fluffy, sensory-filled experience.

Leprechaun's Garden Sensory Bin: Fill a bin with soil or kinetic sand and add miniature pots, fake flowers, and small gardening tools. Then, children can engage in pretend play as they tend to their own little garden.



Clover Leaf Sensory Bin: Fill a bin with green shredded paper or green sensory filler and hide foam clover leaves for children to find and explore.

Gold Nugget Dig: Fill a bin with sand or kinetic sand and bury small gold-painted rocks or nuggets for children to dig and discover using shovels or scoops.

St. Patrick's Day Sensory Soup: Fill a bin with water and add green food coloring, glitter, and plastic shamrocks for children to mix and stir as they create their own magical sensory soup.



Rainbow Pom-Pom Sorting: Fill a bin with colorful pom-poms and provide tweezers or tongs for children to sort by color into matching containers.