

Making Playdough

The video is American so they suggest 'Canola' oil but vegetable oil also works just as well. The lady in the video makes 4 different colours. You can do one batch and put all the ingredients in 1 bowl rather than splitting it over 4. You also don't have to use food colouring, we've made a 'natural' colour and the children love it just as much. You can add an essence or extract if you want to give it a scent, but you don't have to.

When you store it you can put it in a sandwich or freezer bag, cling film or even a Tupperware or clean takeaway tub (this is what we often use in school). If you have space keep it in the fridge and it lasts longer.

Ingredients:

4 cups of flour

1 Cup of warm water (hot from the tap)

2 table spoons Vegetable Oil

1 ½ cups Salt

Optional Extras:

Food colouring

Vanilla or Peppermint extract

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C2ytbSa3mPg>