

Making Bubbles

Like it or not, kids had many chores to do throughout history! One chore that had to be done was laundry, since people didn't have washing machines to do it for them. Since clothes were washed by hand, it took a long time and could become very boring. But, doing laundry meant BUBBLES! You can bet kids would sometimes play with them.



- Step 1: Locate the following items in your camp kit:
 - Aluminum Pan
 - Dish Soap ($\frac{1}{4}$ cup pre-measured)
 - Corn Syrup ($\frac{1}{4}$ cup pre-measured)
 - Pipe cleaners
 - Wire
 - 1.5 cups of water (*not included in kit*)

NOTE: This recipe can get very sticky. You may want to do this outside!

- Step 2: In your aluminum pan, combine water, dish soap and corn syrup. You will want around 1.5 cups of water, $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of dish soap and $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of corn syrup.
- Step 3: Mix the ingredients together.
- Step 4: Make bubble wands from the pipe cleaners and wire. See if one works better than the other.
 - Change the size and shape of the loops to see if it changes what your bubbles look like!
 - Find other things around your house - yarn, thread, etc. - and see if you can make bubbles with those.
 - If you have dish soap and corn syrup, change the recipe in the aluminum tray to see if it makes better bubbles!

