

## **Gingerbread**

## **Edible Paint Recipe**

## You will need:

Flour

Salt

Ground ginger

Cinnamon

Nutmeg

Water

Mixing bowl

Squeezy bottles

Paintbrushes/pots

Thick card/cardboard

## Method

- 1. Mix  $\frac{1}{2}$  a cup of flour and  $\frac{1}{2}$  a cup of salt together.
- 2. Add 1 tablespoon of ginger, nutmeg and cinnamon to the mixture, to create colour and smell.
- 3. When the ingredients are combined, add a little bit of water at a time until you get the desired consistency. The more water you add, the thinner and less 'puffy' the paint will become.
- 4. You may like to use the paint to explore the texture and smells with fingers and hands, or use paintbrushes/squeezy bottles to paint gingerbread pictures.
- 5. Putting the finished painting into the microwave for a few seconds, will result in a lovely 3D picture.



<sup>\*</sup>Please note that although this recipe is safe for children to taste and explore with their mouths, it is not intended for them to eat in large quantities.

<sup>\*</sup>This recipe is intended to be used as soon as it has been made and not to be stored for future use.