Moon Sand

Ingredients:

- 4 cups flour
- 1/2 cup baby oil

Method:

- 1. Mix together the flour and oil, getting in there with your hands until it doesn't feel oily anymore.
- 2. It takes a bit of kneading, so keep at it!

Play Suggestions:

- 1. Add small cups (empty apple sauce, yogurt cups, etc.).
- 2. Place spoons in the bin for scooping.
- 3. Add sand toys.
- 4. Dig, fill, and dump using construction toys.
- 5. Build structures by adding loose parts.
- 6. Add letters or numbers to sand and make prints.
- 7. Sprinkle cocoa powder to make "dirt".

Play Snow

Ingredients:

- Baking soda
- Shaving cream (fluffy kind not gel)
- Bowl
- Measuring cup

Method:

 Pour 1 cup of baking soda in a bowl and add in shaving cream slowly until you get the snow consistency that you like.

Play Suggestions:

- 1. Add animals to create a winter scene.
- 2. Add sparkles or colouring to create different coloured snow.

Salt Dough

Ingredients:

- 1 cup of flour
- 1/2 cup of salt
- 1/2 cup of cold water

Method:

- 1. Add all the ingredients and mix until combined.
- 2. Knead until mixture has a smooth texture.
- 3. This recipe will harden over time and can be painted when the creation is dry and hard.

Play Suggestions:

- 1. For quick-dry dough, use oven on low heat.
- 2. Create a "family tree" using handprints as leaves.
- 3. Add seasonal spices to the dough.
- 4. Create ornaments for special occasions.

Play Dough - Method 1

Ingredients:

- 3 cups of flour
- 1/4 cup of salt
- 1 tablespoon Cream of Tartar
- 2 cups of boiling water
- 3 tablespoons of oil

Method:

- 1. Add boiling water to bowl.
- 2. Add any colouring or food flavouring if desired.
- 3. Add salt and stir until dissolved.
- 4. Add oil, flour and Cream of Tartar.
- 5. Stir until combined and knead until desired consistency is reached.

Play Suggestions:

- 1. Add Kool-Aid.
- 2. Add pure cocoa.
- 3. Add food colouring.
- 4. Add sand.
- 5. Add oatmeal.
- 6. Add glitter.
- 7. Add spices.
- 8. Add sticks/stones.
- 9. Add animals, people, or statues.
- 10. Use muffin liners or tins.
- 11. Roll dough into snakes and create unique shapes or letters.