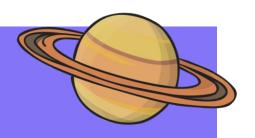
Bubbling Planets

Science Experiment



Method

- 1. Show the children some pictures of each planet and talk about the different colours and sizes of each planet.
- 2. Choose a planet that you would like to make and decide what colours you will need.
- 3. Mix a cup of baking soda with about $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of water.
- 4. Add your choice of colours to the mixture.
- 5. Try patting the paste together to form the shape of the planet. If it is too runny, add some more baking soda. If it's too crumbly, add some more water.
- 6. Once you have made your choice of planets you can let the bubbling begin.
- 7. Put the planets on a plate and using the eye dropper/pipette, start dripping vinegar onto the planet.
- 8. Watch as the planet fizzes away.

You will need:

Baking soda

Liquid watercolours / food colouring (various colours depending on what planet you choose to do)

Water

Vinegar

Eye droppers / pipette

Planets Word Mat



