

BEE KIND COOKIES



Anchors



20 minutes



Friendship



Baking

WHAT YOU NEED

- Oreo Cookies
- White Chocolate Buttons
- Yellow icing pens
- Edible eyes (black and white fondant will also work here)
- Paper plates

All the above can be purchased in Sainsbury's or Tesco including 'Free From' ingredients for children who require it.

In the Bible it says that we should "be kind to one another" (Ephesians 4:32 ESV). God wants us to be kind to everyone no matter who they are, and we should treat them nicely and with respect, just like the Good Samaritan who helped the man who was hurt. Decorating cookies together as a group is a fun way to unwind after games or following on from scripture time and can build friendships. This will help us think of ways we can be kind to each other.

Make a bee cookie and as the young people are enjoying them, they can remember to "bee" kind to those around them.

Please check allergies in your young people's annual consent form prior to this activity.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Have everything prepared on plates so the young people will have what they need.
2. Talk to the young people about how we can be kind to others and think of different ways we can show this, such as inviting someone who is alone to come and play with you.
3. Encourage the young people to wash their hands and roll up their sleeves.
4. Stick two white chocolate buttons into the cream filling of the Oreo Cookie so that they stick out and look like wings.
5. Using the yellow icing draw stripes across the top of the Oreo Cookie
6. Then put 2 small drops of icing at the top of the Oreo Cookie to stick down the eyes, if you do not have edible eyes roll up some black & white fondant into little balls for eyes.
7. Enjoy!