

## CLAY School at Home

### No Clay, No Problem!

Hands on learning with clay is great. But when working from home not everyone has a bag of clay they can use.

Here are some alternatives you can use and a simple recipe for salt dough.

### Clay Alternatives:

- Playdoh
- Modelling clay
- Salt dough
- Mud! (For some things)

### Salt Dough Recipe

#### Ingredients:

- 1 cup (250g) plain flour
- ½ cup (125g) table salt
- ½ cup (125ml) water

#### Method:

- Add the flour and salt to a bowl
- Gradually add the water until the mixture comes together in a ball
- Your dough is then ready to use!
  - o Roll it out
  - o Make a model
  - o Create fun shapes
- If you find your dough a little sticky – just put some extra flour on your hands and work area
- Once you have finished playing with your dough, if there are any pieces you would like to keep you can cook it:
  - o Preheat the oven at its lowest temperature
  - o Place your pieces on a baking tray lined with greaseproof paper
  - o Bake for 3 hours
  - o Once cooled, you could then paint your work

