



Green Jello

Ages 3 years—4 years

Objective: The child will follow directions to help make jello & explore ways it can be distributed.

Materials needed:

Green Jello Mix

Ice Cube Tray

Plastic cups

Plastic spoons

Large Bowl

Procedures

1. This activity is for St. Patrick's Day!!!!
2. Have your child help you make the jello, following the directions on the box.
3. Have child help you pour the jello mixture into an ice cube tray. Place in the refrigerator for about 4-5 hours; until hardened and jellied.
4. Afterwards, take the jello cubes out and put the jello ice cubes into a large bowl.
5. Have child sit at a table, give them cups and spoons.
6. Tell them to transfer the jello cubes into the cup from the bowl using the spoon only.



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7. This activity builds hand-eye coordination, balancing skills, and transfer distribution abilities.

8. It is fun for a young child to make the jello, “play with it” using cups and spoons, then eat it for snack!!!

9. Use describing words to teach/tell/ask your child how the jello feels? Cold, wet, squishy, mushy, gooey, soft, sticky, and green are all words you can use to describe the jello with child.

Milestones to meet:

The child can help follow directions to make jello. The child builds hand-eye coordination and balancing skills by transferring jello cubes from a bowl to a cup using a spoon only.

Evaluation:

Did this lesson work for your child? Why or why not?