

Bubble Fun

1. Learn about bubbles – is a bubble a “sphere”? Look up the definition in a dictionary. Discuss as a group/class.
2. Using florist wire have each child make one end into any shape except a circle. What shape will the bubble be? Gently blow a bubble. What shape is the bubble? Students should observe each other’s bubbles.
3. What are the ingredients for bubble solution?
4. Have a bubble contest: Who can make the longest bubble? Who can make the largest bubble? Who can make the smallest bubble?
5. Look around your home/church for other things to use as bubble wands – be creative and see what happens! (Cookie cutters, plastic that holds juice bottles together, etc.

Helps

3. Bubble Recipe:

4 ½ cups Water

½ cup dishwashing detergent

½ cup glycerin (you can find this at a pharmacy) or corn syrup

1. Combine water and detergent.
2. Stir well, but do not shake.
3. For stronger bubbles, add ½ cup corn syrup or glycerin, or more detergent.
4. Experiment with different brands of dishwashing detergent until you find one that works best for you.

Playing with bubbles can be messy and slippery! Try blowing bubbles outdoors! Watch your step so you don’t fall on slippery spills.