

# Blowing Bubbles

**Age: 2 years and up**

## What's needed

Bubble blowing solution (purchased or homemade recipe below)  
Bubble blowers (straws, strainers, etc.)



## What to do

1. Children can experiment with different types of bubble blowers—straws, strainers, anything with perforations or holes in it.
2. It sometimes takes younger children a while to learn how to blow out of a straw rather than suck in.
3. Compare the results of blowing bubbles on a windy day and a calm day.

### **Bubble blowing solution recipe:**

1/2 cup regular dish washing liquid (not the type used in dishwashers)  
4 or 5 cups water  
Cooking oil

Add the water to the dish washing liquid. Add a touch of cooking oil to make the bubbles strong, and you have bubble solution.

## What children will learn

Fine and gross motor skills; imagination

