

INDIANA STATE FAIR AT HOME ACTIVITIES

Popcorn Mosaic Art

Ingredients:

- 6 cups popcorn
- 6 cups warm water
- 18 Tbsp. vinegar
- 6 ziplock bags
- Sorting tray (muffin tins or disposable containers)
- Glue
- Card stock or other heavyweight paper

Coloring Popcorn Seeds: (needs to be done 2-3 days prior to activity)

- Add 1 cup corn, 1 cup warm water, 2-3 TBSP of vinegar, and 20-30 drops of food coloring to a Ziplock bag.
- Popcorn needs time to absorb the color, so let it soak overnight.
- Drain the liquid from the corn and spread out on a cookie sheet lined with paper towels to dry for 6+ hours.

Activity:

- Once the corn is dry, place it in a sorting tray.
- Give each child a bottle of glue, a piece of card stock
- The only instructions are to make pictures with the colored popcorn.
- To make it stick, put down glue first, and then place the popcorn on the glue.





