

Marzipan Animals

Recipe taken from Learning is Child's Play - Jan Morrow (Longman)

You will need:

1 Packet of ready prepared marzipan *

Edible silver balls

Currants

Almonds

Liquorice shoe laces

A Little flour

*If you can't get marzipan then you can make a substitute by creaming together; 2oz castor sugar, 2oz margarine, 8oz cake crumbs and a few drops of almond essence.



1. Take a small lump of marzipan, and on a lightly floured surface, mould the marzipan in to a ball.

To make a mouse:

2. Turn the marzipan in to a mouse shaped ball, add two almonds for ears, two currants for eyes, a silver ball for a nose and a small length of liquorice shoe lace for a tail.

To make a hedgehog:

3. Make a hedgehog by using almonds as the hedgehog's quills, two currants for eyes and a silver ball for a nose.

See what other animal ideas you can come up with, by using different ingredients.