



## **Homemade Rice Flour Paste**

Based on Japanese rice paste or library paste our homemade rice flour paste is made from the flour recycled from our rice grinder exhibit! It is allergen free, washes out well, and can be made at home. Kids love making the paste as much as they love using it!

### **Recipe**

3/4 cup rice flour

2 tablespoons sugar

3/4 cup cold water

2 plus 1/2 cups boiling water

Mix the rice flour, sugar and the cold water in a medium size pot and stir until smooth. Add the boiling water and bring to a boil over low heat stirring constantly. Heat and stir until the mixture thickens. Add 1/2 teaspoon of cinnamon oil or mouth wash to prevent spoiling. This paste will last up to a week in the cupboard at home.

If your paste dries out, or isn't sticky enough add Elmer's glue to desired consistency for a no fail paste!

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