

Frozen Banana Bites!

Your children will go bananas over this easy and fun snack.

Materials:

- \circ 1-6 oz yogurt cup (any flavor)
- 1/2 cup of cereal (any flavor)
- o 1 banana
- \circ 4 wooden popsicle sticks
- o Waxed paper
- o 1 small tray
- o 1 small bowl
- 1 small flat plate
- Plastic knife
- o 2 spoons
- Paper towels
- Cutting board
- Airtight freezer container

Try It!

- 1. Cover the tray with waxed paper.
- 2. Pour yogurt in the bowl.
- 3. Pour granola or cereal on the plate.
- 4. Peel and cut the banana in half. For smaller pieces, cut again into fourths.
- 5. Stand banana pieces on the cut side. Insert popsicle sticks.
- 6. Dip banana in yogurt, make sure the banana is completely covered.
- 7. Roll yogurt covered banana in granola or preferred cereal.
- 8. Place the banana on the tray covered with wax paper.
- 9. Repeat steps 6-8 with the rest of the bananas.
- 10. Place the tray into the freezer until frozen for at least one hour.
- 11. Enjoy!
- 12. Transfer bananas not eaten right away into an airtight freezer container.

Guiding Questions:

- What is your favorite fruit?
- Where do bananas come from?
- What do you think it will taste like?
- How would you change the recipe?

Learning Behind the Play:

- Practice math skills by cutting and measuring.
- Practice the skills necessary to follow step-by-step directions.
- Teach life skills by introducing your child to cooking.

Take It Further:

Let your child pick the flavor of yogurt and cereal brands.