

Mud



Level 1

Complete 5 of these:

- Jump in muddy puddles in your wellies
- Try barefoot walking in mud
- Use mud to create a painting of a local scene
- Build mud castles
- Dig for worms and watch how they move
- Put muddy soil in a container and grow seeds. Plant them outside when they are strong enough to survive.
- Paint with 'Magic Mud'
- Make mud pies
- Have an archaeological treasure hunt

Level 2

Complete 6 of these:

- Make small bricks from mud, once they are dry and hard use them to create a small animal shelter
- Using natural items create 3-D art using mud as the base
- Leave a muddy handprint trail
- Leave messages in the mud for others to find
- Build a bird's nest outside and see how difficult it is to use mud
- Using mud that you have dug up, create a sculpture
- Look for creatures which live in mud
- Make a target and throw mud balls at it

Level 3

Complete all of these:

- Look for animal prints in the mud and make Plaster of Paris casts
- Make a wormery
- Have fun wellie wanging
- Filter muddy water
- Adopt a garden patch, a garden bed or container and see how successfully you can grow vegetables and flowers – this is soil (with compost etc.), not mud! There may be risk of glass and stones.
- Learn how to use a washing machine to deal with muddy clothes after you have had an experience in the mud