



5 ways to make fake snow

1. **Baking soda and shaving cream.** Mix together 1 pound of baking soda, and slowly add shaving cream until you reach the perfect snowy consistency. Let kids knead the fake snow with their hands until it's all combined.
2. **Baking soda and water.** Pour 1 cup of baking soda into a bowl, and add water one tablespoon at a time. Use a fork or a whisk to stir the two ingredients together, adding more water as you go. When it's light and powdery, it's ready to play with!
3. **Baking soda and conditioner.** For this recipe, be sure to use white conditioner so your fake snow looks just like the real stuff. Start with 1/2 cup of conditioner, and use a fork to stir in about 3 cups of baking soda. This snow packs very well and is great for making snowmen!
4. **Shaving cream and corn-starch.** Mix equal parts shaving cream (foam, not gel) and corn-starch for this recipe, which makes a dense, foamy snow that is very easy to mould.
5. **Corn-starch and lotion.** Mix together equal parts corn-starch and lotion for this crumbly snow recipe. If you're looking for a more powdery snow, add slightly less lotion than corn-starch.
6. **Bonus tips!** To give your fake snow extra flair, try adding glitter or even essential oils. Helpful hint: The Scout Elves love adding peppermint oil because it reminds them of their favourite white Christmases! You can also pop your fake snow in the freezer to make it cold to the touch just like real snow. Provide kids with cookie cutters, plastic utensils and snowman decorating supplies for maximum fun.

