Crafting a 'Kaboom' for Kids (Safely)

Blow something small up

KID YES DAY

Explosive

Ideas

- 🗕 Start a fire
- Slime bomb booby trap
- Light fireworks

Can we...

Waaaahhhhh...! The house catches fire! And the yard... and the dog... and the world! I don't have the skills to supervise this safely.

A lot of our stuff is flammable...

No!

The Workaround

Consider these steps to get from the original idea to a modified version that is just as fun (and also safe & practical).

- Identify the main draw: What is it about the idea that excites your kid(s)?
- 2 Identify obstacles, set parameters, plan ahead and be ready to problem-solve.

B Find a fun (and safe) pivot idea.

With a few collaborative nuts, bolts and tweaks to the initial idea, your kid has an exciting concept creation that's ready to go!

The Win

- COLOUR BURST: Enjoy this <u>'exploding lunch bag'</u> activity outside.
- **ERUPTING SOAP:** Easy and affordable to do indoors with a microwave with minimal mess and all the fun pop!
- BLAST-OFF ROCKET: Power up your thrusters! How high into the sky can you launch it?
- WATERMELON BOMB: How many elastic bands does it take to make this big fruit go 'boom'?
- MAGICAL FIRE: Don't just light a campfire—add a 'spark' of fun
- KALEIDOSCOPE VOLCANO: A twist on the classic lavapalooz.

Don't forget to wear eye protection, like goggles!

- Add a twist to your classic, explosive science experiments by adding a splash of colour to the ingredients.
- Ditch the apron and wear something white when making colourful items explode & splatter—it'll be a fun souvenir!
- DIY **fire starters** to get your campfire going easily and quickly.



WHEN OTHERS SAY NO, WE SAY YES!

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