How to Make Ice Cream in a Bag

If your kids are craving a deliciously delightful craft to bust up boredom this summer, then we promise they’ll absolutely adore this How to Make Ice Cream in a Bag recipe. This budget-friendly kids’ recipe is made from ingredients that you probably have at home, meaning no last-minute trips to the store. Kids of all ages will love experimenting with making their own tasty treats by mixing a few simple ingredients together and shaking them up in a bag. Before they even know it, they’ll be enjoying delectable ice cream that they can garnish with their favorite toppings like chocolate syrup, colorful sprinkles, and, of course, a cherry on top.

This DIY kids’ craft is perfect for large groups of kids, making it perfect for classrooms, Girl Scout troops, or youth groups. This free craft for kids is an excellent project for elementary students, as it combines a fun hands-on project with beginner science and chemistry. This edible kids’ craft teaches kids the chemistry behind ice, salt, and exothermic reactions, making it ideal for teachers. The best part about this easy recipe is that kids can enjoy their yummy desserts after their science lesson. Whether your kids make this cool homemade ice cream recipe at home or school, we guarantee this kids’ craft is sure to become a quick favorite.

- **Estimated Cost:** Under $10
- **Time to Complete:** Under an hour
- **Materials:** Food
- **Primary Technique:** Food Crafting
- **Materials List**
  - 1/2 cup milk
  - 1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
  - 1 tablespoon sugar
  - 4 cups crushed ice
  - 4 tablespoons Kosher salt
  - 2 quart-sized plastic bags
  - 1 gallon-sized freezer bag
  - Hand towels or gloves to keep freezing from freezing
  - Your favorite ice cream toppings!