

## **George's Marvellous Medicine Sensory Exploration Story**

To start with, gather different things from around the house that smell different or have different textures. Try to have a mixture of sweet and sour smells as well as strong and mild smells. Some of our favourites in School are washing liquid, shower gel, coffee, mustard and garlic!!

Next, you can listen to the first part of the story on YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mVsSuqfQB34>

Read: "George is alone in the house with his Grandma – the most horrible Grandma that ever was. She was grouchy and grizzly, and grumpy. Luckily, George knows how to cure her of her bad attitude. He decides to brew up an extra-special remedy – A Grandma Medicine!"

- **Explore all the items one by one using smell and touch**
- **Encourage choice making**
- **Put chosen ingredients into a bowl**

Read: "George mixes together all sorts of things and creates the most marvellous medicine for his grouchy Grandma."

**Let your child mix the chosen ingredients with a spoon. You might need to support them with this.**

**Sing together (to the tune of Frère Jacques) while you are mixing:**

*We are mixing; we are mixing,*

*With our spoon. With our spoon*

*Round and round*

*Round and round,*

*Nice and smooth, nice and smooth.*

**Read:** "The problem is, George doesn't know exactly what his medicine will do. From growing into a gigantic ball of air, to growing so tall that she bursts through the ceiling, George's medicine has a number of amazing and hilarious results. What ever happened to Grandma?"