**IMPORTANT**

**Before undertaking the Magnetic Slime workshop, please be aware of the dangers of Neodymium Magnets. All metal objects should be far enough away from the magnet plus if a person/persons has a fitted pacemaker they cannot conduct this experiment. The magnet is small so children must be supervised at ALL times.**

* First open the pot of clear PVA. This will be your mixing bowl.
* Now add 40ml of water to the bowl and mix with the PVA. Mix thoroughly.
* Now add the Borax solution very gradually to create a very runny slime. The slime should be runny to the point where you cannot pick it up. DON’T ADD TOO MUCH BORAX!
* Now add 1 tsp of Magnetite Powder into the mixture and distribute throughout using your spoon.
* Add the 2nd tsp of Magnetite Powder and repeat the mixing process.
* Assess your slime consistency. If it is still too runny you may add borax sparingly.
* Now have fun and hold the Neodymium magnet to the slime and watch what happens.

Science:

Because Iron Oxide filings are mixed with the slime, the slime becomes magnetised. This means that it will be drawn to the magnet.