

Learning with Roald Dahl

George's Marvellous Medicine



and

Revolting Recipes

GEORGE'S MARVELLOUS MEDICINE

Children can have lots of fun making up *scrumdiddlyumptious* recipes. Make sure that children understand that recipes such as the one George makes for his grandma are only PRETEND!

- **Read aloud** the pages from *George's Marvellous Medicine* when he is collecting the ingredients to make his concoction – shampoo, face cream, hair remover, deodorant.
- **Ask the children to list what they might put in a nasty mixture.** Some might write their list as a rhyme while others may like to draw their ideas.

REVOLTING RECIPES

Unlike George's medicine, the recipes in *Revolting Recipes* actually can be made and eaten. Snozcumbers sound particularly tempting. Perhaps you could make one in a cooking lesson.

- **Masses of writing can come out of these activities;** write a menu with all the different awful recipes, do a restaurant review of the finished 'dishes' or just write up the original recipe ideas as a poster to go on display.

WARNING:

Just remember to take care that nothing nasty gets eaten!



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