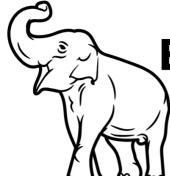
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## **ELEPHANT TOOTHPASTE**

# science experiment

#### WHAT I NEED:

- □ 12 oz plastic bottle
- ☐ Hydrogen peroxide (3%)
- Dish soap
- Dry yeast
- Warm water
- Baking sheet or shallow tray

#### WHAT TO DO:

- 1. Prepare yeast solution by adding dry yeast to warm water and wait a few minutes until it becomes frothy.
- 2. Pour 2 inches of hydrogen peroxide (3%) into the bottle.
- 3. Place bottle on baking sheet/tray.
- 4. Squeeze in a good squirt of dish soap.
- 5. Pour in yeast solution (3 tablespoons).

#### **HOW DOES IT WORK?**

Yeast contains an enzyme called Catalase



It breaks down into Oxygen, Gas, & Water



Oxygen gets / trapped by the soap





### Draw a picture of what your experiment looked like!

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