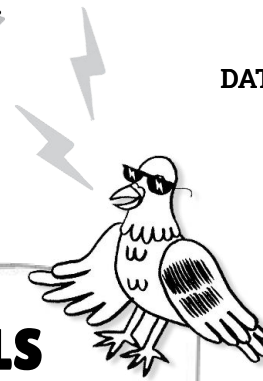




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Tuna a Meal Fit For a Cat

MATERIALS

- ★ 2 small glass bowls
- ★ Salt
- ★ Sugar

THE SALT & SUGAR TASTE TEST

Taste tests are a fun way to explore the sense of taste. Try this simple, quick activity to explore how our sense of taste can detect a difference between two things when our other senses cannot.

ACTIVITY
WOW TO:

- 1** Pour a **1/4 teaspoon of salt** into one bowl and the same amount of sugar into the other bowl
- 2** Present the two bowls to someone and ask them to explore the contents. How do the contents look? How do the contents feel? Ask if they can tell the difference between the two?
- 3** Have them taste the salt and sugar one by one. The easiest way to do this is for them to lick a finger, press it in the salt or sugar and taste.
- 4** Ask if they can name what they tasted, how it tasted (sweet/salty), and whether they could tell the difference between the two.