

Glitter Tornado

Materials Needed:

Quart-size jar, preferably with smooth sides, with two-piece lid

Water

Food coloring

Dishwashing Soap

Glitter and/or Seed Beads

Instructions:

1. Fill the jar with water, leaving a half-inch or so of space at the top.
2. Add about 2 Tablespoons of dishwashing soap and a couple of drops of food coloring. To witness the effect of debris being swirled around by your tornado, add a sprinkle of glitter and/or some small beads.
3. Screw on the lid, check for leaks, and give everything a shake to mix it all up.
4. Set the soapy water spinning by moving the jar in a circular swirling motion for 5 to 10 seconds. Stop swirling, hold the jar up to a light or window, and witness the awesome power of nature.

