

Where do you get butter from?



Jayden, you and I had such great discussion about mushrooms a couple of weeks ago that when I found the poisonous plants book this morning I knew you would be interested in looking at it with me. While we were going through the book you noticed a picture of buttercups, and you told me that butter comes from buttercups. You told me that once you found lots of buttercups in your garden, you picked the petals and put them in a bowl, added water and put them in the fridge for one hundred years - but nothing happened. Then you added lots more petals to the water and it turned into butter. You melted the butter and ate it and it was very yummy.

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What learning might be happening here?

Jayden I really love your theory about making butter with buttercups, the way you explained it was very clear. I am always really amazed by the interesting ideas and plans you have, this is very creative thinking.

Opportunities and Possibilities

I would love to try making butter with buttercups at kindy, would you like to do that?

Parents Response

We are all quite interested in where this theory might have come from, is it something that you have been talking about at home?