







How to Make Teachers Disappear



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- 21 • The tongue of a slimy worm 
- 27 • Fluff from a bat's belly button 
- 35 • 8 drops of blood from a witch's finger 
- 41 • 20 chicken's toenails wrapped in cobwebs 

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- 52 First, get all of your ingredients together and
- 60 chop them into little pieces. Next, put them
- 71 into a pot and place it over a burning hot fire.
- 79 Then, stir them together with a long, wooden
- 87 spoon until the mixture goes thick and sticky.
- 97 Finally, pour some into a glass and wait for it
- 105 to cool. Give to your teacher and wait...



Questions



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 - Pour the mixture into a glass.
 - Chop up the ingredients into little pieces.
 - Stir them together with a wooden spoon.



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Pupils' own responses, such as: No because snakes do not have eyebrows so you would not be able to get them.



4. How many chicken's toenails do you need for the recipe?

You will need 20 chicken's toenails for the recipe.