Healthy Holiday House

Materials you will need:

- Cardboard base or cookie sheet
- Aluminum foil
- 2 ½ packets plain instant oatmeal
- 1 box whole grain graham crackers
- 2 ½ 100% fruit leathers
- 1 head broccoli
- 1 can mixed nuts (unsalted)
- 1 bag thin whole wheat pretzel sticks
- 1 container honey
- 1 jar natural peanut butter
- 1 box low sugar cereal well shaped to make roof tiles
- 1 bag golden raisins or mixed raisins
- 1 bag dried apricots or mixed fruit
- 1 container unsweetened dried coconut, ground fine
- Colorful fresh fruit(s) of your choice

Cover a cookie sheet or large piece of cardboard in tin foil. You may want to tape it in place on the bottom.

1. Make a base

2. Mix up the mortar

   - Make a packet of plain instant oatmeal. Add less water till it is extra thick. Add a tablespoon of honey to this and let sit for 10 minutes until it has thickened.

3. Build the walls

   - Using the oatmeal mixture, stand the tree inside the apricot. Glue to the base using the honey or natural peanut butter. Make it look authentic. Glue to base using the honey or natural peanut butter.

4. Design walkway

   - Cut fruit leather into small rectangles (like bricks) and arrange in a walkway to the house. Use different colors and arrange in small rectangles (like bricks) and arrange in a walkway to the house.

5. Add trees and shrubbery

   - Using fresh broccoli, make trees and bushes. Make different size trees by using different size florets and stems. Break florets apart to make bushes. Make different size trees by using different size florets and stems. Break florets apart to make bushes.
Add rocks to the garden by adding mixed nuts and raisins. These can be glued using honey or natural peanut butter.

When everything on the house is complete, sprinkle the shredded coconut over the house and let it snow!

When the walls of the house feel dry and sturdy, add windows. This can be done by flattening a golden raisin using a rolling pin or by applying a lot of pressure. Make the hangers golden raisin squares using natural peanut butter. Glue them on top of the roof to close off the front and back walls of the house. When sturdy, layer graham crackers over the triangles to lie flat on the roof. When the roof is complete, add extra decorations with dried fruits, trees etc... Design the roof inlays by cutting 2 pieces of graham crackers into triangles. Glue these on top of the roof using cereal. Layer shingles on the roof. Natural peanut butter works best as the glue.

Create a door by cutting a piece of graham cracker with a knife. Add window treatments and a door handle with small pieces of whole wheat pretzels. These can all be glued to the house using honey or natural peanut butter. Glue to walls using honey or natural peanut butter. Use a knife or kitchen scissors. Layer around edges to walls using honey or natural peanut butter. When the walls of the house feel dry and sturdy, add windows. This can be done by flattening a golden raisin square using natural peanut butter. Glue them on top of the roof to close off the front and back walls of the house. When sturdy, layer graham crackers over the triangles to close off the roof. When the roof is complete, add extra decorations with dried fruits, trees etc... Design the roof inlays by cutting 2 pieces of graham crackers into triangles. Glue these on top of the roof using cereal. Layer shingles on the roof. Natural peanut butter works best as the glue.

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