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Materials:

- Four candy coated chocolate candies (all the same color)
- Two 9 oz. plastic cups
- Two 3 oz. paper cups
- Two 4 sq. inch pieces of aluminum foil
- a timer
- a pencil
- hot water
- cold water
- containers to hold the hot and cold water such as mugs

Preparation:

- 1. Place one square of foil under one of the 3 oz. paper cups.
- 2. Place the foil and cup into the second 3 oz. cup.
- 3. Repeat with the second square of foil until you have two foil boats.









Procedure:

- 1. Label the 9 oz. cups (one HOT and one COLD)
- 2. Fill each cup with their respective temperatures of water to the faint line about an inch from the top of the cup.
- 3. Place a candy in each foil boat.
- 4. Put one boat in each of the cups of water.
- 5. Drop a candy into each of the cups of water.
- 6. Record your observations of all four candies for 3 minutes.
- 7. Do not disturb the candies during your observations.







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- 8. At the end of the 3 minutes, remove the foil boats containing the candies.
- 9. Using the eraser end of a pencil or your finger, gently press on each candy.
- 10. Record your observations.



- 11. To remove the candies in the water, carefully pour the water back into the container that you used to collect it.
- 12. Press each of the candies.
- 13. Record your observations.



