1. GATHER SUPPLIES

For Fondant:
- 1 bag of mini marshmallows (8 ounces / 4 cups)
- 2 tablespoons water
- 1 bag powdered sugar (4 cups)
- Microwave-safe bowl
- Spatula

For Popsicle:
- Mixing bowl(s)
- Gel food coloring (red, white, blue)
- Disposable food-handling gloves
- Rolling pin
- Popsicle sticks
*Optional: Popsicle molds

2. MAKE FONDANT

- In a microwave-safe bowl, microwave marshmallows and water for 30 seconds. Mix, then add more time as needed until the mixture is a liquid.
- Add powdered sugar 1 cup at a time to the mixture. Stir until the mixture turns into a dough consistency (TIP: It is easiest to mix and knead with your hands. Use shortening on your hands since the mixture will be sticky).

3. SEPARATE FONDANT AND CREATE COLORS

- Put on disposable gloves. Separate the fondant into 3 balls.
- Place a few drops of blue gel coloring into one ball, a few drops of red gel coloring into another, and leave one ball coloring free to make white. Mix the coloring into the blue and red balls with your hands.

4. ROLL OUT THE FONDANT or shape with your hands

- Form a small rectangle of each color and lay out horizontally.
- Stick a popsicle stick in the bottom of the blue rectangle.
- Add the white and then red rectangles and gently pinch them together. Smooth out with your finger.
- With another popsicle stick, press vertical lines into the front of the “popsicle” for added detail.

5. SHOWCASE YOUR CREATION AND ASK THE QUESTION!

Is it CAKE?!