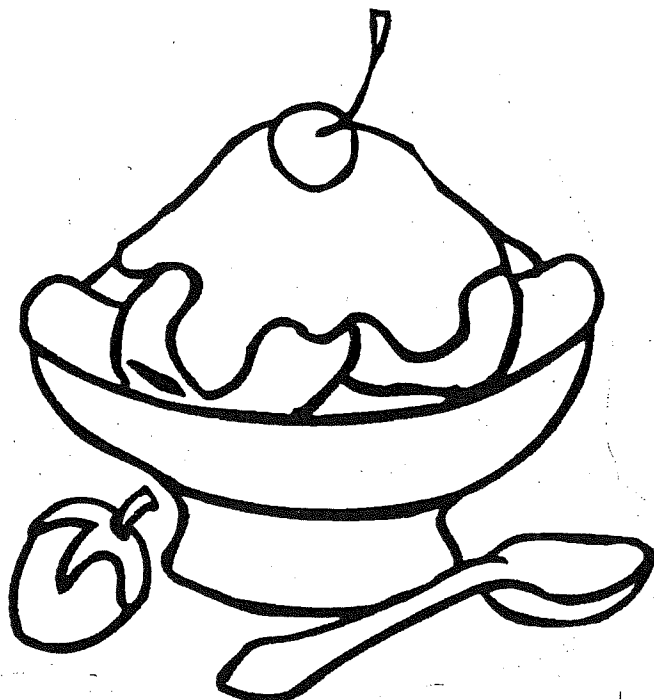


Soup's On!

In today's storytime about SOUP we learned ways to practice the pre-literacy skill of **print awareness**. Cooking by following a recipe is one way to show that written words represent real things. Next time you cook, read aloud from the recipe and narrate what you are doing. Better yet, get the kids involved! Let them help you measure, pour, or mix. The Library has hundreds of cookbooks with kid-friendly recipes. Even the youngest children will get a kick out of this one— **Ice Cream Soup!**



BELIEVE IT OR NOT!

Ice cream soup—what a treat! How simple can you get?

STUFF:

- 4 to 6 big scoops of the ice cream of your choice
 - $\frac{1}{4}$ cup chocolate syrup or hot fudge
 - $\frac{1}{2}$ pint of whipping cream, whipped
- Garnish: raspberries*

STUFF TO DO:

1. Scoop the ice cream into bowls, and let it melt.
2. With the chocolate syrup, make a pretty design on top of each serving.
3. Add a dollop of the whipped cream to each serving, and garnish.

Makes four to six servings