



Hide-N-Seek Discovery

1 Year—2 years

Objective: The child builds their knowledge and vocabulary when finding objects that they see.

Materials needed:

Large Macaroni Noodles (uncooked)

Dried beans (uncooked)

Large Soda or Juice plastic jug bottle (Liter works great for this)

Small objects that will fit through lid hole of bottle (need 2 of each of these) Such as: 2 paper clips, 2 colored rubber bands or balloons, 2 pennies or dimes, 2 clothespins, 2 popsicle sticks, & 2 cotton balls

Procedures:

1. Before beginning this activity, fill up the bottle halfway with noodles and beans. Add in 1 of each of the items. Close bottle tight, and shake up.
2. With your child, show them each object (the 1 of each left out of the bottle). Help them look at the bottle and discover/find the objects with



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you.

4. When the object is found out of the bottle, set it aside and look for the others inside of the bottle.
5. Repeat discovering for objects until all objects have been found or child has no further interest.

Milestones to meet:

The child can look at objects and find them. The child builds their vocabulary by hearing names of objects that they see. They try to repeat words they hear.

Evaluation:

Did this lesson work for your child? Why or why not?

