



# Playing with baby (Treasure Baskets)

Babies are on an exciting journey of discovery and as they learn how to sit up they want to find out about the world around them. If you fill the basket with lots of exciting household objects you will give baby an exciting experience. Treasure baskets are simple and cheap to make but fun and effective for babies and children.

## Treasure Baskets Encourage:

- Exploring texture
- Using senses
- Learning names and use of objects
- Grabbing and holding



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Ideal resources to put in your treasure basket:

- Sponges
- Brushes
- Pans
- Pegs
- Combs
- Keys
- Cup
- Spoons
- Flannel
- Toothbrush
- Purse
- Gloves
- Ribbons
- Scarf
- Feathers
- Curling Rollers
- Acorns
- Leaves
- Rolling Pins
- Empty Jewellery Box
- Whisk
- Pastry Brush
- Egg Cups
- Bottle Brush
- Tennis Ball
- Measuring Spoons
- Make Up Brush
- Large Corks
- Shells