



Materials Commonly Found in Homes

Warning: Household objects may not be suitable for all children. Parents exercise caution and use a choke tube to verify safety. Children should be supervised at all times when playing with objects.

Tactually Interesting Qualities

1. Shoe laces with lots of knots
2. Soap Drainers
3. Christmas Stars or anything with acute points
4. Bottle brush, nail brush, hair brush, tooth brush
5. Curlers with prickly or brush feeling
6. Beaded neckless or bracelet's or a string of beads of any sort.
7. Door stoppers
8. Springs & egg beaters
9. Scrub pot cleaners
10. Multiple straws together
11. Mini muffin baking pans
12. Whisks
13. Combs
14. Forks
15. Rubber ribbed spatula handles
16. Lollypops
17. Inner Wrappings from Chocolate boxes
18. Tape
19. Bubble wrap
20. Crumpled up paper (Different kinds sound different)
21. Slinky's
22. Squishy ball toys

23. Tissue Paper in Kleenex box to pull out
24. Cellophane wrapping paper
25. Ribbed card board (find it by peeling layer of card board box)
26. Crushed Water Bottles
27. Soft clothing or blankets
28. Sand, Salt or Water Tray (put little hard objects inside for extra feel)
29. Guitar strings
30. Box full of DVD cases with rounded edge upward
31. Cupboard liner that is bumpy
32. Curling iron, curling iron with bristles
33. Bucket or bowl full of bottle caps
34. Dice
35. Golf Balls
36. Metallic Balloons
37. Candy wrappers
38. Paper hand fans
39. Crushing potato chip in bag.
40. Rubber band ball

Auditorially Interesting Qualities

1. Christmas bells
2. Bubble Wrap
3. Candy Wrappers in a baggie or balloon
4. Metal spoons
5. Keys on a ring
6. Slightly Inflated Balloon
7. Beads of any sort played in a metal bowl, ceramic bowl or hard plastic bowl
8. Door stoppers to boing
9. Pans and wooden spoons to play together
10. Whisks in metal bowl

11. Combs to scratch on interesting surfaces/materials, like piece of screen material.
12. Inner Wrappings from Chocolate boxes
13. Velcro
14. Crumpled up paper (Different kinds sound different)
15. Paper to rip up
16. Triangles and Wind chimes
17. Cellophane wrapping paper in a sock
18. Anything to scratch on ribbed card board
19. Crushed Water Bottles
20. Bicycle Horn
21. Electric toothbrushes or anything that vibrates
22. Tuning forks, Guitar strings, flutes or harmonicas
23. Slinky's
24. Multiple Elastic strips tied tight on each handle across top of pot
25. Bucket or bowl full of bottle caps
26. Dice in any container
27. Ping pong balls in metal bowls
28. Golf Balls dropping in bucket of water
29. Metallic Balloons to crinkle
30. Crushing potato chip in bag.
31. Playing in cupboards or under anything that encloses walls
32. Water bottles with some water to splash back & forth
33. Bottles with crinkled tissue and rice
34. Easter eggs with beans or rice; tape opening edge
35. Boxes or bowls to use as a drum
36. Ripping old kitchen sack towels
37. Bells on shoes
38. Letting air out of balloons
39. Old Sound greeting cards
40. Scratching the sides of wire binder of books/notebooks

Visually Interesting Qualities

1. Old shiny birthday balloons
2. Shiny silverware
3. Flashlight on anything that attracts light
4. Christmas Lights
5. Colored cellophane over end of flashlight
6. Marble balls in a zip lock baggie of hair gel
7. Light Catcher gems on a string
8. Wind chimes
9. Water bottles with colored water
10. Metallic paper
11. 3D image books
12. Potato Chip bags (different kinds) cut in strips & glued in cardboard
13. Bubbles in dark with flashlight
14. Colored bubbles
15. PC Screen that bounces color images when playing music
16. Shiny decorations of any kind
17. Colored frosting whipped with egg whites (dry)
18. Hot wheel cars moving back & forth in clear Tupperware
19. Slinky's that attract light
20. Ribbon & strings of beads

Things with an Interesting Scent

1. Candles
2. Orange peels
3. Lemon peels
4. Lotion
5. Deodorant

6. Almond extract in dough
7. Extract of any sort in rice and in a tied old sock
8. Kool-Aid packets in sugar to sprinkle on glue design
9. Bath soap
10. Bubble Bath
11. Lavender Scent in Rice bag
12. Fruit loops to crush
13. Peanut butter
14. Cinnamon sticks to scratch with
15. Popping Popcorn
16. Squishing berries
17. Baking breads & other baked goods
18. Pickles
19. Finger nail polish
20. Dish Soap / furniture polishes