

SHAVING FOAM!

| WHY? | WOW WORDS! |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To develop fine motor skills (in preparation for writing)• To practise mark making (in preparation for writing)• To promote talk and use of wow words | Slippery / slimy / patterns / flat / smooth / lumpy / bumpy / hand / palm / smooth / zigzag / lines / circles / curvy / sprinkle / squirt / spray / safe/ sparkly / glittery |
| WHAT? | |
| <p><u>Resource ideas:</u> - Shaving foam (<u>check allergies</u>) / flat surface or large tray / wheeled vehicles / glitter / plastic knives or forks / dry powder paint / brushes</p> | |
| <p><u>Ideas for play:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Put hands in and explore how it feels...Talk about it• Sprinkle glitter or dry powder paint on top of foam to let your child explore and observe and find out what happens when they mix it in• Use vehicles to make tracks and patterns in the foam• Use fingers to make patterns (zigzag, vertical lines, bumpy hills, anticlockwise circles)• Use a brush or a different tool (Plastic knife or fork, for example) to make different patterns in the foam• Use different parts of the hand - finger, palm or fist. Notice and talk about different patterns made with each. | |