

Kim's Game

A game to help your child practice their memory skills.

1. Collect 10 items and lay them on a tray. Small items work best. Each item should be different. Good objects could be



2. Look at each item with your child and name each object. This is a great way of adding new vocabulary and for teaching the English language.
3. Cover the items with a towel or some fabric and carefully remove one item without your child seeing it.
4. Take the cover off being careful not to move the items. Ask your child to name the missing item. Replace the item and repeat taking away another item.
5. Variations. Change items. Add extra items - up to 20. This can be done many times and is a good game to play if you are out and about and needing to distract a bored child.
6. To extend your learning, ask your child to find you a circle shaped item, a soft item, a hard item, a certain coloured item, an item made from wood etc.

Completing this activity with your child will cover the following areas of the EYFS

Personal and social development (turn taking and waiting), **Communication and Language development** (new vocabulary), **Exploring the world** (different textures and materials).