

Make a Tactile Stepping Stone

Tactile stepping stones are great for all children and can add a sensory experience to your story spaces. It is also enjoyed by very young children who are crawling. Use different sensory fabrics that can be easily washed or wiped. Old sock jumpers and gloves are good sources for the tactile fabrics.

1) CUT THE FABRIC

- Using plain non stretch fabric cut the stepping stones into a circle or any desired shape.
- Cut the different textured materials into small shapes.

2) DESIGN

- Place the pieces of textured fabric onto the plain fabric circle, place in your desired pattern.
- Sew, glue or stick the textured fabric pieces on to the plain fabric.

3) STITCHING

Put the textured fabric onto the fabric circle and stitch each in place. If your fabric frays make sure you fold in the edges.

Plain fabric

Needle and Thread

No Sew Alternative
Use fusible web (iron
adhesive) or fabric glue.

Scissors

Find a variety of
tactile fabrics- soft,
rough, smooth,
furry, shiny.
bumpy...

Materials

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