## Early Literacy Activity

Talk About Texture Putting words to the sensations your child feels while exploring different textures

helps build vocabulary.



## Look for texture in the world around you

Gather a variety of items with different textures (**soft** blankets, **scratchy** brushes, **smooth** glass, **rough** rocks, etc...) or take a walk and notice textures in things you encounter.

## Talk About It

As your child explores each texture, talk about what it feels like for their fingers, sharing some of the words we use to describe each one.

## **Extend the Learning**

Try to find texture opposites: soft/hard, smooth/bumpy, etc... Talk about their differences.

