



I-Spy Bottles

Preschool Activities

Who doesn't love playing eye-spy? In this double-activity, you and your youths first craft the bottle and then it can be used as a group or a quiet time activity. Practice vocabulary as well as identifying colors and objects.

Supplies

- Water Bottles (thoroughly washed) or other empty, clear plastic container
- Sand or dry beans (something to help hide the items your child will be hunting for)
- Small items to fit inside the bottles

Ocean/Pirate Themed Bottle

Materials

- Sand
- Empty, washed water bottles (one per child)
- Hot Glue
- Shells
- Sharks Teeth
- Small figures of ocean animals
- Bead necklaces

Preparation

- Funnel sand until bottle is $\frac{1}{3}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ full.
- Collect small items that will fit in the mouth of the bottles you have.
- If using bead necklaces, cut into small sections.

Directions

- Allow students to add items.
- Secure the lid with hot glue (or duct tape).

Optional: Add gold cord and a shell to to bottle top.

Enjoy.

Other variations: Seasons, bugs, random (anything small enough to fit in the bottle)