



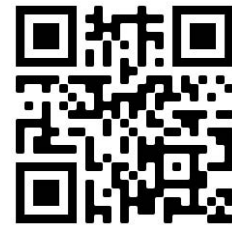
Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Sensory Tubes

Sensory bottles are containers, such as bottles or science sensory tubes, that are filled with various objects and materials to provide children with safe and mess-free opportunities to explore new items. As children participate in sensory activities, they build cognitive and language development as well as skills to support problem solving and critical thinking.

Materials:

- Science Sensory Tubes (Item #30769)
- Water
- AlphaMagnets (Item #22923)
- Chenille Stems (Item #88904)
- Pompoms (Item #88909)
- Magnet Wands (Item #91186)
- *Chicka Chicka Boom Boom* (Optional) (Item #98753)
- Green Craft Foam (Optional) (Item #31081)
- Hot Glue Gun (Optional)

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1. Seal One End of the Sensory Tube

Place the solid cap option on the bottom side of a Science Sensory Tube, making sure to seal it tight.

2. Cut the Chenille Stems

Cut chenille stems into 2 and 3 inch pieces. Have the children place a variety of the colored stems into the sensory tube.

3. Add Pompoms and AlphaMagnets

Add pompom "coconuts" to the sensory tube, then place different AlphaMagnets in the tube.

4. Add Water

Fill up the rest of the tube with water.

5. Create Craft Foam Leaves (Optional)

Create leaves out of green craft foam and hot glue them to the top lid. Add brown pompoms for a "coconut tree" effect.

6. Seal the Sensory Tube

Screw the top lid onto the sensory tube. Make sure the seal is tight.

7. Have Fun!

Allow children to shake, twirl, and turn the tube for a fun sensory experience. Prompt them to use a magnet wand to move the chenille stems up and down the tube.

