

World of Water

Small World Play Pack

Instructions

1. This activity is best carried out outside or on a waterproof flooring.
2. Laminate the Pied Piper Small-World Background and attach it to the side of the tray using sticky tape, so that it stands upright.
3. Lay out the sand, shells and artificial grass in the tray.
4. Arrange the wooden blocks in front of the background scene.
5. Use the tinfoil to make shallow dishes (these will be filled with water in the tray). Make the dishes different sizes, some deeper than others, some long and narrow, and some larger and wider.
6. Add the tinfoil dishes to the tray. Use the wooden blocks to angle some of the longer dishes, to enable the water to flow downwards.
7. Arrange the small-world people, boats and ducks on the tray.
8. Add some pipettes to the tray for the children to use to move the water around. Also, have extra tinfoil available for the children to use to make their own pools and streams.
9. Fill the foil dishes with water.
10. Invite the children to play. Some children may create storyline-based play using the small-world people and props, other children will enjoy the physical action of making new pools and moving the water around the tray using the pipettes.

You will need:

The Pied Piper
Small-World Background

Pipettes

Shells

Sand

Artificial grass (sample size would be large enough)

Wooden blocks

Tinfoil

Small-world people

Rubber duck

Small boat

Large activity tray

Water

Can you use your pipette to move the water from one place to another?

Can you use the tinfoil to make a new stream?

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