

Activity Name:	Make a Pet Rock	# 00106
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My Child Learns:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthening Fine Motor skills • Design and creativity • Replication (copying a picture or design)
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What Do I Need?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A large, flat rock (about 3cm diameter) • Materials to use for eyes, a nose, mouth and hair, etc (you may chose to purchase these from your local craft shop, alternatively you can improvise using coloured paper, foil and other general household items). • Permanent markers or Textas • Glue or hot glue gun
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How To?	<p>Using the rock as your base, talk to your child about where each facial part would go (for example 'do the eyes go at the bottom or the top?'). Ask your child to look at their face in the mirror to check the location if they are not sure. Using your hot glue gun or paste, stick on your rock's eyes, nose, and mouth. Optional extras might include eyebrows, hair, ears, earrings, or a tongue (hats are good too if you are feeling really clever!).</p> <p>Keep your pet rock on display as a paperweight or use it as a pot-plant 'minder'.</p>
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Developmental Areas

✓	 Cognitive	✓	 Language
✓	 Social	✓	 Emotional
✓	 Fine Motor		 Gross Motor

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