Natural things

Offer:
a large pine cone, a big shell, a lemon, a loofah

Watch for:
turning, sniffing, comparing rough and smooth



Wood

Offer:
a wooden spoon, a large curtain ring, a small wooden bowl, a napkin ring

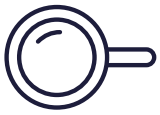
Watch for:
banging, mouthing, passing hand to hand



Metal

Offer:
a whisk, a tin with a smooth-edged lid, a metal spoon, measuring cups

Watch for:
listening to sounds, cold against warm



Soft things

Offer:
a velvet pouch, a large wool pom-pom, a silk square, a soft brush

Watch for:
stroking, scrunching, faces and sounds of pleasure



Things that make a sound

Offer:
a sealed shaker bottle, a tin with a lid, a metal bowl, a wooden spoon

Watch for:
shaking, banging, stopping to listen



Brushes

Offer:
a pastry brush, a soft paintbrush, a clean hairbrush, a nail brush

Watch for:
brushing hands and feet, comparing bristles



Kitchen things

Offer:
a silicone spatula, a small sieve, a wooden spoon, a measuring jug

Watch for:
putting in and taking out, copying adults



Shiny things

Offer:
an unbreakable baby mirror, a metal bowl, a large metal spoon

Watch for:
looking at reflections, surprise, smiling



Rough and smooth

Offer:
a loofah, a sponge, a large smooth wooden egg, a scrubbing brush

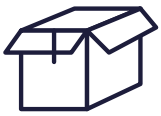
Watch for:
comparing textures with hands and mouth



Paper and card

Offer:
a cardboard tube, a small box with a lid, an egg box, tissue paper

Watch for:
scrunching, tearing, opening and closing



Light and heavy

Offer:
a sponge, a wooden block, a small sealed water bottle, a felt ball

Watch for:
lifting, surprise at weight, dropping



Our own basket

Offer:
~~write your own collection here~~

Watch for:
write what you will watch for