

# Activity Idea

<b>Activity</b>	Pattern
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<b>Ideas for babies and toddlers</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Talk about pattern:</b> in the environment, on clothes, in routines etc.</li><li>• <b>Sing rhymes which include predictable patterns or movements:</b> (See development zone resources for example songs and rhymes).</li><li>• <b>Read stories with repeating elements:</b> Such as, 'That's not my....' Series by Osborne books.</li><li>• <b>Provide musical instruments:</b> or resources that children babies and toddlers can make noise patterns with. For example, pots and pans with wooden spoons or homemade shakers using recycled plastic bottles with rice or dried pasta secured inside.</li><li>• <b>Roll a ball:</b> or play other simple games with a repeating pattern that babies and toddlers can follow.</li><li>• <b>Provide high contrast patterns:</b> On fabric, in books etc.</li></ul>
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