

Create a variety of story stones with your child. Stones can be collected on nature walks in your local area. You might find a few stones by a creek or fast flowing river. Creating the stone art work - with crayons, felt tip pens or paints - supports a child's fine motor skills. Once painted the stones can be weaved into play or used to create a visual story with your child, and placed in a home corner, play area, or outside mud kitchen to inspire creative young minds.

This simple nature-based activity can help strengthen a child's language communication and storytelling skills.