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BABY TOUCH - RAINBOW

by Ladybird



Explore a world of rainbow colours with your little one.

With textured patches to touch and feel, this bright board book is perfect to explore. Describe the textures as you share the book together.



Touch and Feel Books

Touch and feel books allow your baby or toddler to listen to the story and explore the different textures at the same time.

As you read, encourage your baby to touch and feel the different textures in the book:

- Show them how to explore the textures.
- Describe what you feel, introduce new words such as, bumpy, smooth, rough.
- Describe the sounds the book makes, such as scratchy or crinkly.

- Pause often as you read, so your baby can play with the book.
- Copy the sounds your baby makes or make encouraging noises in response.

Young babies may also want to explore the textures with their mouths, that's okay, it's how they learn.



<https://wordsforlife.org.uk/activities/touch-and-feel-books/>

Let's Learn Colours



As your baby gets a little older, it's good to start introducing them to the words for different colours.

Baby toys often come in lots of different bright colours, so why not name them as your baby is playing?

Naming the colours of toys and other objects your baby picks up helps them to learn those colours.

Watch the short video to find out more:
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people/articles/z49m47h>

I Can Sing a Rainbow

**Red and yellow and pink and green,
purple and orange and blue,
I can sing a rainbow,
sing a rainbow,
sing a rainbow too.**

**Listen with your ears,
listen with your eyes,
and sing everything you see!
I can sing a rainbow, sing a rainbow,
sing along with me...**



<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/zn3tqp3>

