

## Craft: Paint Mix and Match Pebbles

This activity is both a craft and a game that can be returned to time after time! If you want to make it more tactile, consider using 3D or puffy paint.

### Equipment and Materials Needed

An even number of pebbles, similar in size, paints, paint brush, marker pen and clear varnish (optional).

### Step One

Choose a theme, you could go for animals, funny faces or something more basic like

different colour shapes or make it

super easy by painting the pebbles block colours.



**Step Two** In order for it to work as a matching game, you will need two of each animal/fruit/colour/shape- depending on what is chosen. So split your collection of pebbles into twos.

### Step Three

Paint your designs or patterns onto the pebbles and leave to dry. Once dry, you can add any details with the marker pen and cover with a coat of varnish if desired.



### Step Four

When they are totally dry, turn them all upside down and play a matching game. You can only turn two over at one time, and if they don't match, you must turn them both back upside down. See who can get the most pairs!