

Bug Habitat



Materials Needed:

- ✓ Empty bottle
- ✓ Twine or ribbon
- ✓ Nature supplies (Sticks/grass/bark/pinecones)
- ✓ Scissors

Steps:

1. Go outside and collect some nature supplies! Twigs, grass, pinecones, bark, etc.
2. Cut off the bottom and top of the empty plastic bottle with scissors. (This is a job for your adult!)



3. String your twine or ribbon through the bottle and tie a loop.



4. Start stuffing your bottle with your nature supplies! Stuff it tight so nothing falls out!



5. Hang up your habitat outside on a branch or low to the ground!



Additional Skill Practice:

Here are some additional skills you can work on with your kiddo related to this craft:

- Nature Walk – go outside for a nature walk to collect your nature supplies!
- Predictions – what kind of bugs could live in your habitat?
- Decision Making – find 3-4 locations where you could put your habitat, and decide which would be best for the type of bug you think might live in your habitat. Do they fly? Put it up high! Do they crawl on the ground? Find somewhere low that the bugs can find.