Do you have any **boards** in your house you can turn into a ramp?
How fast does a toy car go down it?
Can you find something that will roll, slide or stay in place?
This is **gravity** and **friction**!

Can you create some transient art using pebbles, stones, sticks and flowers?

Can you sort sticks out in to **long** and short?

Place some loose parts in a shadow in your garden, what happens during the day?

Can you write your name using buttons or sticks?

Can you think of anything else you can use to write your name

## Loose Parts

Playing with Loose Parts encourages curiosity, creativity and imagination. It supports all aspects of a child's development including risk assessing, physical development, problem solving, writing skills and their health and wellbeing.

Can you make some **self portraits** using only loose parts?

You could use buttons, bottle lids, sticks and stones.
Can you think of anything else to use?

## Making mud paint:

Mud Food colouring Touch of washing up liquid

What can you paint?

Can you add loose parts to make patterns in your playdough? Using **bottle** lids will give you stripes! What else can you use?

Make your own natural paintbrush to go with your paint?

Find a stick and something to dip in the paint like a leaf for example. Hold together with an elastic band!