

# Sandbox fun

**Age:** 3+ years old

**Water Safety Message:** Learn about different natural waterways and what we might find there

Please ensure you are following [supervision requirements](#).

Recommended: Children under 5 remain within arm's reach, Children under 10 are actively supervised.

Never take your eyes off children around water.

## Materials needed:

- Outdoor area
- Tub
- Sand
- Water
- Different objects (leaves, twigs, other natural materials, toy people, toy animals and toy objects)



## Instructions:

Fill up a tub with sand about halfway.

Collect some water, natural materials and toys.

Talk about the different natural waterways in our environment with your child (i.e. beach, river, lake)

Let your child create and explore different waterways by digging channels through the sand and filling them with water.

Then, help your child to add different objects that they may find at different waterways (Trees made from leaves or twigs, people, boats, animals etc.)