

Story Bags

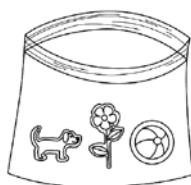
TALKING IS TEACHING

You and your child will create a story in a bag.

Materials needed:

- Assorted foam shapes
- Hair gel
- Clear packing tape
- Snack size zipper bag
- Baby wipes
- Table liner

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Choose 3-5 items to create your own story.
Put them in your bag.

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Add **2-3 squirts** of gel into your bag and
seal it closed with packing tape.

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Tell your child a story first. Say, **“I can make up a story with the things in my bag.”**

- I picked this because it represents...
- This reminds me of...
- Once upon a time...

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Have your child tell you his/her story.

Make comments or ask questions about his/her story.

Questions to ask:

- I What does this mean to you?
- What’s happening in your story?
- Tell me more.