

# Infant Play: Translucent Cups

## Learning Value:

This activity promotes development and learning by encouraging children to maintain focus. This activity promotes a beginning understanding of cause and effect.

## Materials Needed:

- ▶ Translucent cups (plastic cups or clear heavier plastic cups that are reusable)
- ▶ Non-chokable objects that could be put under the cups (blocks, napkin rings, etc.)
- ▶ Optional: translucent storage container and lights

## Participants:

This activity is intended for independent play.



## Directions:

**Step 1:** Place the cups and objects on the floor or low surface for your infant to explore. You can start by putting one object under each overturned cup.

**Optional:** If you have a translucent storage container you can add lights inside like a flashlight or LED lights. Place the cups and objects on top of the closed container for more visual interest. **Caution:** If you add the container with lights, make sure the box is secured so your child can not get the lights inside.