



Build a Nest

Outdoor Activity

You will need:

Mud

Sticks

Leaves

Moss

The Activity

1. Challenge each child to build a nest using only natural objects.
2. Encourage the children to make it big enough for a magpie and safe and warm for the eggs.
3. Let the children choose how to make their nest and give them time to complete it.
4. Once their nest is finished, talk with each child about the materials they used, why they chose them, and how they used them.
5. Encourage children to think about how they could change their nest to make it even better. Have their friends got any suggestions?

