

## CREATIVITY

Creativity Can develop the skills needed to achieve lifelong success.

Creativity develops children's problem solving and critical thinking skills – it's the catalyst for invention, innovation and ideas that influence the future.



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MARNING:
CHOKING HAZARD - Small parts.
Not for Children under 3 years.

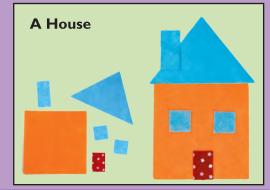
## FUN FELT SHAPES

With 100+ pieces of felt, a portable felt board and wiggly eyes, your preschooler will have fun creating felt pictures over and over again. The fun die-cut felt shapes will stick to the felt backer and each other. Mixed in with all the fun, your child will be learning basic colors, shapes, patterns, and size relationships — important building blocks for pre-reading and beginning math skills. Arranging the shapes will help foster fine motor skills and creative thinking.

Although the felt will stick to itself and to the board, it's best to work with it flat on the floor, a table or on your child's lap. Don't forget to add the wiggly eyes and pom-poms to give your characters personality.

No mess - All fun!

Simple shapes can become...



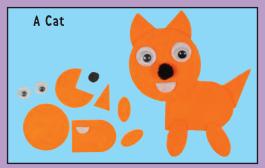


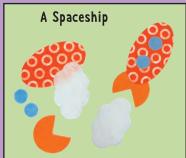


**DEVELOPS**fine motor skills

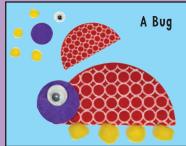
FOSTERS imaginative play

TEACHES shapes & colors









Now it's your child's turn! Remember, there is no wrong way to create fun felt art! Just be creative and have fun.



When your child is finished playing, place the felt shapes inside the handy storage bag. Tuck it into the felt board and slide the elastic band over it to secure. Place the elastic band in your storage bag when not in use.

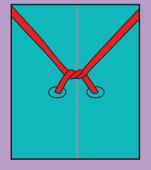


## Learning to Tie a Bow

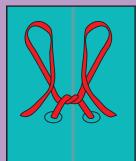
The ribbon on the front of the felt board can be tied into a bow to keep it closed and make it easier to carry. Learning to tie takes patience and fine motor skills. This can be a challenging task for most preschoolers.

Here are a few step-by-step instructions to help you teach your child. Since there are different ways to tie a bow, you can make up a little story to go along with the steps.

1. Make an "X" to mark the spot.



4. One floppy ear goes over and through...



bunny ears!

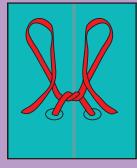




3. Cross the

bunny ears.

2. Make two bunny ears.



5. And up pops two