



Understanding dog body parts and following directions

This activity will help your child learn to and prepare for school
Learning new words and being able to follow directions is a skill that proves useful in many areas.
Following directions helps children stay safe in emergencies and in everyday situations.

Pretend to be the vets and look after the poorly puppy!

Together put different coloured plasters onto different parts of the dog.

Ear, Nose, Paw, Tail, Back, Whiskers, Tummy, Eye

Take turns to give the instructions. Here are some ideas of how to build your child's listening and thinking skills.

Stage 1: Put the **purple** plaster on the dog's nose.

Stage 2: Put a plaster on the dog's nose and a plaster on the dog's tail.

Stage 3: Put a **red** plaster on the dog's nose and a plaster on the dog's tail

Stage 4: Put a **red** plaster on the dog's nose and a **green** plaster on the dog's tail



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You could use other toy animals or yourselves to extend the game and the different parts. E.g the fish's scales, the bird's wing, my elbow etc





Why not try-

Packing for Puppy's Sleepover

Together find a bag or box that would be just right for puppy to pack for his sleepover. Using the things in your house collect them and put them in the box, but try not to use the work.

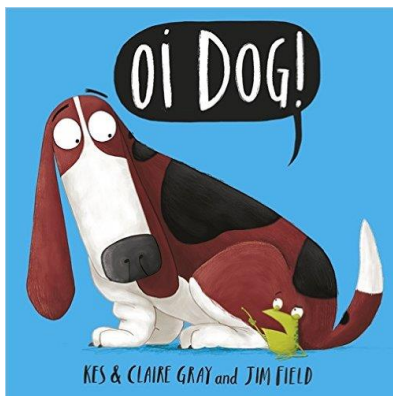
E.g. Puppy needs something your clean your teeth with (that is in the bathroom) *toothbrush*

Puppy would like something to drink out of (that has a handle) *cup or mug*

You might need to go and explore the clues together for a while until you get really good at it.

Remember when you are ready to stop, fetch a blanket and wrap him up to sleep, when he wakes up you can put the things in the box/bag away because his sleepover is finished (although you might be asked to play the game many times!)

Reading - Oi Dog by Kes & Claire Gray and Jim Field



www.amazon.co.uk/Oi-Dog-Kes-Gray/dp/1444919598/ref=sr_1_8?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1461354001&sr=1-8&keywords=dog

This funny book has lots of rhymes. When you have finished think about where you can sit your favourite toy animals.

