

What's in the Parcel?

EYFS Area: **Understanding the world**

Learning Goal: **The World**

Did you know?

Identifying and recognising everyday objects can help children understand more about the world around them.

How to play

1. **Wrap** up four household items with newspaper.
2. **Tell** your child that they have received a delivery and need to guess what is inside the parcels before unwrapping them!
3. **Feel** each object and use adjectives to describe each one.
4. **Unwrap** all the parcels and recap on the objects by discussing what they are used for.

Level 2

When your child has guessed what's in the parcel by feeling the object, put the objects behind your back and describe them one at a time, asking your child to **guess** which one you are talking about.

Level 3

Now hide the objects again, and this time give your child **one word clues** to guess the object, for example, say "bouncy" for a ball, "yellow" for the yellow duck, and so on.

Top tip

Ask lots of questions about the item, like "Where is it found and when do you see me using it?"