



Note: Please supervise these activities with your child at all times.

Name of Lesson/Programme:

Transferring exercise

Yoga and Sensory Work Part 1: Sensory Activities

Lesson Number: 6

Purpose:

This is a pre-requisite for writing skills. It encourages strengthening of the muscles of the hand.

Materials Required:

- 1. This is a table top activity. 2 bowls one filled with small pom poms
- 2. A plastic child sized tweezers as shown above

How to:

You will need the child to sit at a table next to you or opposite you. You will need to sit close enough to the child to help them direct the activity if necessary.

- 1. Have the child sitting at the table and in front of them place the 2 bowls. One filled with some pom poms and the other empty.
- 2. Take the plastic tweezer and place it into the child's hand and direct the child to take one pom pom and place it into the bowl.
- 3. Do this a couple of times so the child understands what you want them to do.
- 4. Then allow the child to complete the task of transferring the pom poms back and forth between the two bowls.

<u>Follow on activity:</u> You can use an ice cube tray and place the pom poms into the ice tray and get the child to take them out individually and place in a bowl. Vice versa get the child to take a pom pom from the bowl and place in the ice cube tray using the plastic tweezer.