

2 Mirror view.



This activity focuses observation through a new perspective. Because of the small area of the mirror, their view is focused and can get to areas such as under bushes, looking out to the world. Explore and enjoy. Kids love finding new angles to using the mirror as their window to the world.

EQUIPMENT:

- Mirror – make up mirror, handled mirror. Have a look in your bathroom cupboard. You can usually find something.
- Somewhere outdoors. Can also do this indoors if you can't find anywhere appropriate outdoors.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Best to demonstrate to start with. Using the mirror, investigate different perspectives and angles to view the natural world. Try:

- On the ground
- Look behind you
- From the side of your head
- Stick the mirror into the base of a shrub/pot plant and angle it towards the sky, out to the side, to the base.
- Place it upright on some grass and look at the detail of the grass
- Close ups of garden bugs, creatures (non bitey ones!)

