

Loose Parts First Letter



Materials Needed

- Paper
- Marker, pencil or crayon
- Loose parts (something like rocks, sticks, beads, pennies, pom poms, pieces of torn paper)

Directions

Write the first letter of your name on the paper or have a grown up help you.
Place the loose parts on your written letter.
When you're all done, say the letter name together.

Talk About It

Say to your grown up, "My name, is _____. The first letter of my name is ____."
Look at your letter. Is it curvy or is it made up of straight lines? Or both?
Ask your grown up which letter their name starts with.

What Your Child is Learning

Language - Recognize and name some upper/lowercase letters of the alphabet, especially those in own name.

Language - With assistance, begin to form some letters of the alphabet, especially those in own name.

Physical Development - Use eye-hand coordination to perform tasks.