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## I Spy

Use homemade binoculars to play a game of I spy.

### What to do

#### What you need

- Yarn
- Masking Tape
- 2 Players
- Markers
- 2 Toilet Paper Tubes

1

Place 2 toilet paper rolls side by side and tape them together.

2

Cut a piece of yarn long enough to hang from your neck.

3

Tape each end of the yarn to each side of the paper tubes.

4

Use markers to decorate your binoculars.

5

Player 1 looks through the binoculars for an item for player 2 to guess (example: "I Spy" something red, round, and crunchy). How many different words can you use to describe the item?

6

Player 2 looks through the binoculars to try to find the item.

7

When the item is guessed switch roles between the "spy" and the "guesser".

#### For Parents

Binoculars are a pair of mirror telescopes that help you to see objects that are far away. Looking through binoculars will help your child block out other distractions and observe more closely the details of something.

