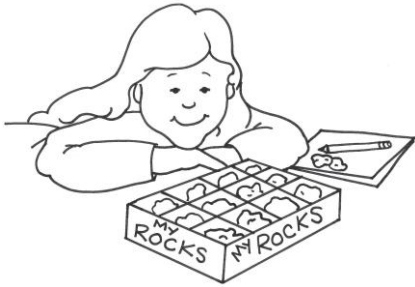


CRYSTAL CAVE

Wisconsin's Longest Show Cave
Educational Program

My First Rock Collection! Age 3-5 - with an adult!



You will need: lots of pots and bags to collect pebbles in or some egg boxes, suitably painted and decorated to help with pebble sorting!

Set off on a walk around your local area, begin in your garden, and find the best pebbles for sorting.

Find a crumbly pebble, a smooth pebble, a rough pebble, a colorful pebble, a special pebble. Look for stones that make you smile, ones that can be thrown far, a pebble that keeps a secret – carry it in your pocket. Collect lots of pebbles!

At home keep your collection in a special box and bring it out to play with.

Which is biggest?

Which is smallest?

Have you found one that is round?

Nicest color?

Favorite shape?

Is there one that makes a sound?

Have you two that look alike?

Look for more on another hike?

Draw or play with them.

Bring them back from holidays and share them with your friends.

Drop them into water (outside) and look and listen to the splash.

Can you find a stone that floats?

