

Is it Smaller?

Show children an object. Prompt them to find something that is smaller or bigger than that object. Let them check what they find by holding the object next to it. If children have trouble searching, walk around with the object and compare to other objects as a group.

More Support: Offer items that have a clear difference in size to help children make the distinction. Model and narrate your reasoning while exploring items.

Narrate and Encourage In-The-Moment Observations

"You know this ant is smaller than the rock because you needed a magnifying glass to look at the ant."

"I see a big soccer ball and a little golf ball."