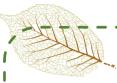
## Outdoor Baby and Toddler Soft Furnishings

A charming collection of nature themed outdoor soft furnishings that can support children's outdoor learning. You can enrich your outdoor space by providing a suitable space for little one's to explore and develop.

- Using these soft furnishings you can create a beautiful and specifically designed outdoor area for your babies and toddlers. This could be a wonderful soft outdoor location for little ones to crawl into and enjoy the fresh air. It's a perfect place to observe the natural environment around us. Perhaps they may see fluffy white clouds, or dark rain clouds, rainbows and rain.
- For little babies you could use these soft furnishings for outdoor tummy time. Think about the different things you can encourage them to look at, the trees, clouds and birds. You may have your own specific activities that could be brought outside.
- You could create an outdoor location for little ones to crawl up and explore different resources, they may be construction materials for them to discover and build with. Metallic resources are fantastic outdoors as they mirror the environment. They may be able to see trees, bushes and the sky just by exploring with these.









- It could be a relaxing area for children to come and explore books, it creates a perfect spot for children to come and crawl into and have a little snuggle. You may want to create a rhyming basket with prompts for songs such as; a star, spider, boat and a sheep. It's a wonderful place to sing familiar rhymes together.
- Create a variety of outdoor appropriate treasure baskets (risk asses) for your little ones to discover and explore. What might they find? You may create a mirrored and metallic basket or a ball basket. Think carefully about the different pieces you place in these baskets for them to extend their learning. You could create a texture basket for them to explore outdoors. Think about the different language opportunities you can support with, words such as soft, furry and rough.
- You could have an outdoor photo album that has images of children's own outdoor spaces. Children will love looking at the pictures of their families and friends. Perhaps they may go on adventures to different places. Document these outings so that they can go back and observe.
- Why not create an outdoor basket (risk assess) with pretend bugs, birds and animals that they
  might find in their location, foxes, rabbits, blue tits. If you're closer to the sea you may decide on
  having seagulls and ocean life like crabs.

