

# LEARNING WITH...

## Light Up Infinity Mirror (EY11032)

This appealing mirror, with a flick of a switch, can be transformed into an amazing infinity illusion with a spectacular tunnel or never-ending lights. Children will be engaged and drawn to discover and explore.



### Imagination and stories

Why not work with children to create a space rocket with a mirror inside. When peering through the 'window' you can see a universe of stars! You can create a futuristic role-play for children to engage in. You could create a control panel with a variety of switches and levers for the children to manipulate. Perhaps it could be a time machine. Where will the children go? Back to the past to walk alongside dinosaurs or into the future to witness the unknown?

### Self-regulation and calming

This mirror would sit beautifully in a cosy area of your setting. Accessorise it with comfy cushions, blankets, and books for children to sit back and relax.

The gentle glow creates a calm, soothing feeling for children who may feel overwhelmed within their busy environment.

### Let's talk

As children peer into the tunnel of lights, it can lead to many conversations. These may centre around how the lights create a never-ending tunnel and move on to discussions about other illusions and how they are created. Alternatively, the conversations may be about what we can see in the reflections of the mirror or lead to a simple game of 'I Spy'.

As children gaze at their reflections, talk about perceptions and reflections may arise.

### Mirror, mirror on the wall

Children often enjoy looking at themselves in mirrors, so why not place the mirror with the dressing up clothes or in the home corner. When the children have dressed up in a variety of clothing and accessories, they can look at themselves surrounded by stars.

As children observe themselves in the mirror, this may provide opportunities to discuss emotions, feelings, similarities, and differences.



### Perfect for a sensory space

You can use the mirror on a variety of different wall spaces so that the children can peer into it and explore.

Imagine it placed in a sensory environment, with the lights dimmed and this enchanting mirror glowing.