

# Individual Activity Lesson Plan

## Topic: Space

**Date:** 19.05.20

**Activity Title:** 'Aliens love underpants' : Matching underpants

**Learning Intention:** To categorise the underpants according to colours or patterns.

**Links to EYFS:**

Mathematics-Shape, space and measure: Beginning to categorise objects according to properties such as size.

**Activity Overview:**

Your child will need to match the corresponding pictures of underpants into pairs.

**Resources:**

- Print out of pictures of underpants attached.

If you do not have a printer, don't worry you can draw some of your own underpants similar to the ones in the pictures.

**Key vocabulary:**

Underpants, Aliens, match, pairs, two, the same, different, colours, spots, stripes, stars, dinosaurs, frills.

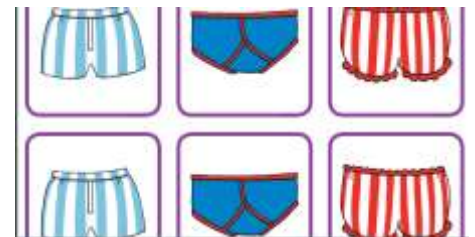
Are these two pictures the same?

Can you find the matching pair of underpants?

### ACTIVITY IMPLEMENTATION (including key question)

**Introduction:**

- Print out the pictures of different underpants attached to this activity plan.
- Cut the pictures out and lay them out on the table, faced upwards.



**Main Activity:**

- Call your child over to this activity and make sure they have somewhere comfortable to sit, or stand.
- Pick up one of the pictures of pants and ask your child if they are able to select the matching picture from the pictures remaining on the table.
- Continue to do this until all the pictures on the table have a matching pair.
- Lay the pictures back out on the table, again facing upwards.
- Now test your child to see if they can find the matching pairs of pants without any adult help.
- Once your child has become confident at matching the pairs of pants, lay them back onto the table, however this time facing downwards.
- Now let's play pairs! You may need to demonstrate this first.
- Turn two pictures over at a time.

\*Do they look the same?

\*Are they different?

\*Are they the same colours?

\*Do they have the same patterns?

- If they match, put the pictures over to one side. However, if they are different, face the pictures downwards again.
- This could also be a turn taking game with you and your child.
- Continue this until you have found all the pairs.

**Activity review:**

Let's see who has the most pairs. Allow your child to design their own pair of underpants.

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### Additional ways to support your child:

- Pair the underpants whilst they are facing upwards so your child can visually see the colours and designs.
- Only lay out 2-3 pairs of underpants to start with.

### Extension:

- Lay out all of the pairs of pants and allow your child to independently match them.
- Play a game of pairs with your child.