



## Learning At Home Activity

**Age:** Birth - 5 ½ Months

**Objective:** Strengthening Small Muscles and Creating

### Sticky Fun

#### Instructions:

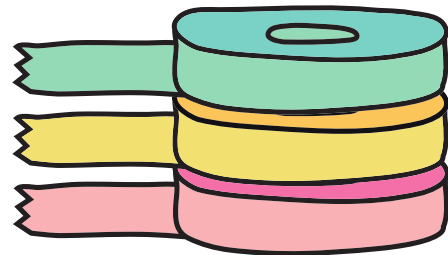
1. Make a small sticky ball by rolling up a piece of tape, sticky side out.
2. Sit with baby and place the ball on his/her finger.
3. Watch the reaction, if baby is interested let him/her touch the tape ball and try to get it off his/her fingers.
4. Talk about what your baby is doing, such as, "Baby has the ball on his/her finger."
5. Play as long as baby is interested.

#### Materials:

- Sticky paper (ex. Tape or contact paper)
- Book with textures

#### How to extend the activity:

Try sticking the ball to other objects such as the table and wall and pull it off. Don't forget to always model language.



#### What they learn:

**Motor** - Baby is strengthening the small muscles in his/her fingers.

**Cognitive** - Baby is using creative thinking skills to use materials in new ways.

**Language** - Hearing new words.