

## Mark Making Sequin Long Boards

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Long, tactile sequin boards that encourage children to use fine and gross motor skills as they sweep along the sparkly surface. Encourage children's sense of discovery as each board has a unique colour that is only revealed when stroked.

- You could create an interactive wall using this beautiful sparkling boards that encourages children to make marks and explore. As these boards can be attached to walls either vertically or horizontally children can explore a variety of different movements such as left to right or up and down. Some children may isolate individual digits whilst others may stroke using their whole hand. Support the children by providing them with a variety of different tools such as paintbrushes and sticks to make marks.
- Manoeuvring the sequins can be very calming. Perhaps you could create a relaxing area for children to explore these boards if they have become overwhelmed with their environment. Accessorise the area with comfy cushions and blankets (risk assess) for children to cuddle into.
- These wonderful sequin boards would fit into any sensory environment. Children can independently interact with each board, exploring colour, texture and marks.
- Why not place these boards down corridors or areas where children line up and stand. The children can explore the sequins whilst they are waiting.
- These sparkly boards encourage children's sense of curiosity, awe and wonder as they discover what colours lie beneath. You can extend activities using these boards. Perhaps you could wrap up different kinds of resources such as Metallic Pebbles with sparkly fabric scarves or interesting wrapping paper for the children to unwrap and discover the different colours hiding. You could discuss the findings together. Perhaps they have found smooth and glossy items or are they bumpy and rough?