# **Beach Shadow Matching Cards**

## **Instructions:**

#### Before your child joins you:

- 1. Print out the colour and black and white cards.
- 2. Cut out all 16 cards

#### **Recommendations:**

- \* For younger children, start with just 2-3 sets of cards, adding more as your child masters them.
- \* Start with the images that are the most obvious or well known to your child.

### Invite your child to join you:

- 1. This activity will be new to most children so a simple presentation would be helpful. Explain that you're going to match the picture to its shadow and then do the first set.
- 2. You can repeat the activity as many times as your child likes.

#### **Extensions**

- 1. If your child is more interested in the colour images, print two copies and match them.
- 2. For older children or those more interested in a challenge, print two copies of the shadow images and match those.
- 3. Hide and seek hide one set of cards around the room and have your child seek the matches.
- 4. Cutting and gluing work for children interested in scissor skills and gluing work, have them cut each of the images out and pasting them onto the shadow.































