



## Special Place Rocks

*Activity - Think of a Special Place and Represent It on Your Rock*

*Supplies:*

rocks - collected by children

Sharpies

*Method:*

Have participants close their eyes and think of a time and place when they felt really happy/content. Pause to give time to reflect.

Draw that place on your rock.

*Intentions:* To provoke memory of a happy time/place. To represent this special place on a keepsake rock. This rock becomes a talisman to take holder back to the feeling the place on the rock evoked.

*Curriculum Links:*

Social responsibility and self-regulation.

*Story:*

Guess Who My Favourite Person Is, B. Baylor

*Song:*

He's Got the Whole World In His Hands, Raffi

*Snack:* cook's choice

*Conversation Starters:*

Do you like to be inside or outside?

Where is your favourite place? Why?

Where would you like to go to that you have never been before? Why?

*Suggestions:*

Have lots of rocks so residents have choices and can pick one that is special to them.