



FELICES FIESTAS - HAPPY HOLIDAYS



Focus word: a rocket ~ un cohete (oon koh-eh-teh)

We Are Rockets! ~ ¡Somos cohetes!

This session's song

1 The rocket goes up up up
Up up up, Up up up
The rocket goes up up up
Up to the sky

2 El cohete sube,
Sube, sube
El cohete sube
Al cielo

3 The rocket explodes
Explodes, explodes
The rocket explodes
In the sky

4 El cohete explota
Explota, explota
El cohete explota
En el cielo

5 The rocket makes colours
Colours, colours
The rocket makes colours
In the sky

6 El cohete hace colores
Colores, colores
El cohete hace colores
En el cielo

Standing

Suggested actions and movement

1 & 2

Start low down and whizz up to the sky like a giant cohete. Encourage movement around the whole space too.

3 & 4

Make your biggest rocket explosion encouraging movement with the whole body.

5 & 6

Wave your arms around and pretend to make lots of sparkly rocket colours.

Suggested adaptations

0-6mths VI & 2: Gently whizz baby up to the sky. V3 & 4: Lift baby out in front of you. V5 & 6: Spin baby around gently to enjoy being rockets together.

6 mths - 1 yr Sitting with baby: VI & 2 Raise their arms up slowly and gently. V3 & 4 Move their arms out. V5 & 6 Sway their arms from side to side.

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Why not try...

Rocket craft Cohetes manualidades

Equipment: Loo/Kitchen roll tubes, coloured paper and card, lametta or tinsel, glue, safety scissors

Get crafty and make some classic cardboard tube rockets by wrapping the tube in coloured paper and sticking down. Make a triangle shape in the coloured card to stick at the top and use up lametta and tinsel to add a sparkly streamer to the bottom of the rocket.

Let the little one's imaginations take over by adding sequins, stickers and whatever they like to their special cohete.

EIFS Curriculum links

Areas of Learning

Communication & Language

Physical Development

Literacy

Understanding the World

Expressive Arts and Design

Resources required:
Space for movement
Sparkly pom poms (optional)

Observation Opportunities



Copy gestures and words making connections to vocabulary and actions eg: Up, explode, colours

Use gross motor skills to perform a simple series of actions. Moving arms up like a rocket, wide to explode and waving to make colours.

Say some of the words using more complex vocabulary ie: explodes

Understand that fireworks are used worldwide to celebrate special events such as New Years Eve.

Enjoy role play and engage in performing a song by pretending to be a rocket.

