

## Lesson: Valentine's Themed Rock Paining

**Description:** Decorate a rock for a Valentine's Day decoration or as a valentine to give to someone you love

**Materials:** Paint, Paintbrush, Rock, Optional Decorations (glitter, stickers, googly eyes, etc.)

### Additional Resources:

Valentine's Day Song – Five Little Hearts - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n5noNWgcAAE>

If you Love Me and You Know It - [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mLdfVgWJ\\_yk](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mLdfVgWJ_yk)

**POTENTIAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES** – You DO NOT need to do these all at once. Remember you can complete the activity multiple times and focus on the same or different learning opportunities each time you do the activity. Look below or brainstorm your own learning opportunities and select a few to focus on when working with your learner.

Requests	Comments	Directions	Possible Behavioural Tolerance Opportunities	Other Learning Opportunities
-I want/I don't want -Paint /Paintbrush -Rock -Color of paint (Red, White, Pink, Purple, etc.) -Water Cup -Go Outside (to get a rock) -Shape (if you have different shaped rocks) -Be my Valentine -Napkin or towel or newspaper to put under the rock	- It's _____ (+ colour, shape, etc.) -It looks _____(beautiful) -I like/ I don't like -It feels smooth - I have _____	-Responds to name -Help me -Get the _____ -Put the _____ here - Open/Close -Paint on the _____right/left/top/ bottom	-Responding to "yes" or "no" to different things they might want/not want or need/not need -Hearing "no" and accepting an alternative -Checking schedule to transition to art activity -Help request	- Independently setting up or cleaning materials -Imitation with materials -Collecting the rocks on a walk -Counting out rocks -Delivering the rock to a friend or loved one