Kids Explore!

Create An Acorn Cap Memory Game

Use the tops of acorns to make a matching game.

Materials

- Acorn caps
- Liquid glue
- Markers of at least 10 different colors

1) Take a walk in your neighborhood or a nearby park and look for fallen acorns. There are LOTS this year!

2) Take the tops off an even number of acorns — at least 20.

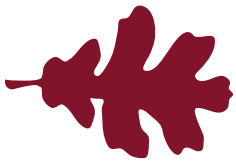
3) Use your markers to color the insides of the tops different colors. Create two of each color.

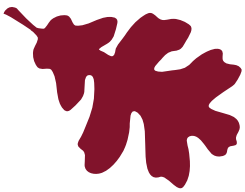
4) Fill the tops with glue before the marker dries

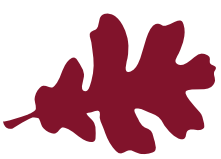
5) Allow the glue to harden overnight. The marker color will seep into the glue and color the filling.

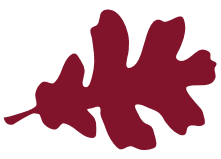
6) Once the glue is dry, turn your tops over, colored side down. Take turns trying to find two colors that match!

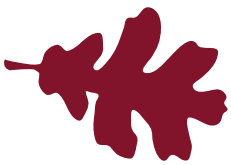
7) What other games can you create using acorn tops?











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