

## **Build a Nest**

## **Outdoor Activity**

## You will need:

Mud

Sticks

Leaves

Moss

## The Activity

- 1. Challenge each child to build a nest using only natural objects.
- 2. Encourage the children to make it big enough for a magpie and safe and warm for the eggs.
- 3. Let the children choose how to make their nest and give them time to complete it.
- 4. Once their nest is finished, talk with each child about the materials they used, why they chose them, and how they used them.
- 5. Encourage children to think about how they could change their nest to make it even better. Have their friends got any suggestions?



