Activity -Textures around the home

Key areas of learning:

- Fine motor skills
- Writing
- Science

What you will need:

- Box/ bag/ pillow case anything you can use as a feely bag
- Textured items from around the house
 - Cardboard- if you strip a layer off there will be bumpy textures cardboard that is good for running fingers over for a sensory sensation
 - Fluffy socks or slippers
 - A bobble hat
 - Wellies or a rubber glove
 - Bubble wrap
 - o Feathers
 - o Cotton wool
 - o A sieve
 - Shoe lace
 - o Sponge
 - o The list is endless!

Keywords:

Hard, soft, smooth, bumpy, rough, spikey, fluffy, sharp, lumpy

What to do:

- Collect a range of different textured items from around the house and place them in a box or a pillowcase as a big feely bag.
- Let your child explore the different textures and model using the language to describe the feeling e.g. soft, fluffy, spikey etc.

Extension:

 You can make photos and print images of the items for matching to extend understanding.







