



# Jack and the Beanstalk

## Sensory Bin

### You will need:

Castle Cut-Out

Scoops

Buckets

Green card

Green string

Hole punch

Large plastic tray

Green glass beads

Beanstalk Leaf Shapes

Kitchen roll tube

Jack and the  
Beanstalk Cut-Outs

Paper plate

Cotton wool

Glue

Sticky tape

Pinto beans

Gold paint

### Method

1. You will need to make the beanstalk with the castle at the top.
2. First, cover the kitchen roll in green card, then cut out some leaf shapes from green card (or use the Beanstalk Leaf Shapes).
3. Punch a hole in the leaves and then thread them onto the green string. Wrap the green string around the green tube and stick it on.
4. Cover the paper plate with cotton wool to resemble the clouds, then stick this to the top of the green cardboard tube beanstalk.
5. Cut out the Castle Cut-Out and attach this, standing up, on top of the clouds.
6. Cut out and laminate the characters and props from Jack and the Beanstalk Cut-Outs.
7. Paint some beans gold and leave them to dry.
8. Once all of the resources are made and dried, the sensory bin can be put together.
9. Children can use the Cut-Outs to retell the story, or use the scoops and buckets to look for the hidden magic gold beans.
10. Close monitoring will need to take place during this activity to ensure the children do not put the beans in their mouths.