We are exploring our sense of touch by feeling all kinds of natural things. Here are some activities you and your child can do together:

- Make a secret sock by putting a cup in a large sock. Hide something inside the cup, and let your child reach in and feel the object. Encourage him or her to describe it and to guess what it is before peeking.
- Take a texture walk around your neighborhood to collect interesting objects that have fallen from trees. Talk about how the objects feel, and describe them with adjectives such as rough, bumpy, prickly, or slippery. Pick the most interesting texture to send to school.

Help build your child’s vocabulary by using some of these new words in your conversations:

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We are reading the following books in class. Check them out from your library, and invite your child to share them with you.

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