## Activity 2 – Ocean Sensory Bin

This play can be done at any age but would be perfect for sensory seeking kids. It’s a relatively inexpensive activity to do through the summer.

### Suggested Supplies

Many supplies can be found at Dollar Tree.

* Sensory sand (and/or you could use aquarium rock)
* Glass accent gems
* Decorative shells
* Sea glass accent gems
* Sea creature toys
* Blue food coloring
* Water
* Large plastic container/tub

### Instructions

1. Most tutorials I found have you create a “beach” side to the bin using shells and rocks to create a barrier between the water and beach. You can also try putting sand and/or rock all across the bottom of the bin.
2. Use 2-3 drops of the blue food coloring to the water and mix it up, then fill your sensory bin partway with your blue water.
3. Put your accent gems, shells, sea creatures and anything else that belongs in the ocean on the bottom.

Go exploring with your new ocean sensory bin.

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