# Week 1 Quests for Fortune - Activities

## Activity 1: Hidden Treasure Sensory Bin

Perfect for kids to have fun digging in sand to find hidden treasure. Most treasure can be found at your local dollar store or online.

### Materials

* Kids play jewelry
* Fake gold coins
* Fake gems
* Gold chocolate coins
* Sand
* Plastic bin

### Directions

1. Fill bin with sand. If you have a sandbox, you can also use it.
2. Hide most of the treasure under the sand. Sprinkle the remaining treasure on top.

You’re ready for kids to start digging up the hidden treasure. If you want to have your kids count the treasure they find, paint an empty treasure box brown or cover it in brown construction paper. Add some details by cutting strips of gold or yellow paper and tape them on either side of the treasure box slot and down the sides.

Courtesy of [Taming Little Monsters](https://taminglittlemonsters.com/pirate-treasure-sensory-bin/)

## Activity 2: Treasure Box

Make your own treasure box to hold your treasures.

### Materials

* Paper food container, egg carton, small cardboard box, etc.
* Brown tempera paint
* Paint brush
* Yellow washi tape or strips of yellow construction paper
* Gem stickers
* Treasure
* Glue (if no washi tape)

### Directions

1. Grab your paper food container, egg carton, etc. Paint the entire outside of the container using the brown tempera paint. Add two coats and let it dry.
2. Add two strips of yellow washi tape or yellow construction paper on the top part of the box.
3. Decorate the washi tape or construction paper with your gem stickers.
4. Fill it up with treasure.

Courtesy of [Happy Toddler Playtime](https://happytoddlerplaytime.com/treasure-chest-craft-for-kids/)