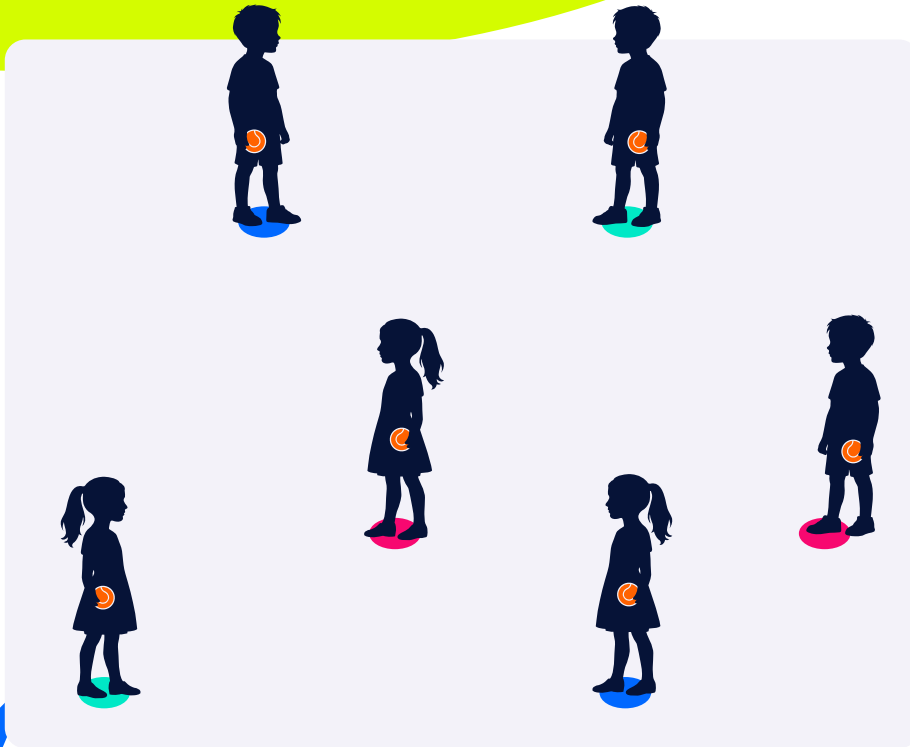


SAFARI BODY & BALL:

Safari Ball Adventure

Set the scene:

“Now we will wake the baby animals.”



Brain focus
activities:



Equipment:



Balls (one per child)



Spots (one per child)

How to Play:

- Give each child one ball which is their “baby safari animal” and one spot which is their “animal home.”
- Start by waking up the baby safari animals.
 - Pat the ball with their hand.
- Now the babies are awake we can take them for a walk. Call out animals and movements and children move around the space with their ball.
 - **Giraffe** – carry the ball high with two hands.
 - **Tortoise** – roll the ball slowly on the ground.
 - **Hare** – drop and catch (or drop and stop).
- When you use the command: “find your safari home,” children move back to their spot.
- Celebrate when everyone is “home.”

TEACHING POINTS:

- Use simple words: roll, tap, stop.
- Demonstrate every action.
- Change animals based on energy levels.

SKILL UP:

- Add in more animal actions.
- Children create their own animal actions with the ball.
- Bounce their ball on the ground with their hand.



SEE IT IN ACTION