

Look Closer with a Magnifier

Tools such as magnifying glasses help us make more-detailed observations. Look closely at materials to see threads, grains and tiny bumps our eyes can miss.

Choose

Pick a material to look at.

Magnify

Look through the magnifying glass.

Describe

Say the tiny details you can now see.

A magnifier shows the tiny details.



threads



wood grain



paper fibres

Modelling routine

1 I do

Look at cloth through a magnifier and name the threads.

2 We do

Compare wood and paper up close together.

3 You do

Children observe a material and describe details.