### Smell Detective

**Description/Instructions:**
- One child is given a small amount of cinnamon on a spoon or in a pot.
- The rest of the children close their eyes whilst the cinnamon is placed somewhere nearby.
- They then have to try to locate the cinnamon using smell.
- Repeat with different smelling leaves/powders.

**How could this activity be adapted for different learners?**
- Depending on the ages/abilities of the learners the amount of cinnamon given, the time taken to hid or search for it and the area allowed to hide it in can all be adjusted.

**What tools or equipment are needed?**
Things that smell:
- Cinnamon
- Mint leaf
- Cloves
- Ginger root
- Coffee beans

**What themes or topics could this activity support?**
Senses – smell.

**What areas of development could this activity support?**
- [ ] Communication, Language and Literacy
- [x] Physical Development
- [ ] Personal, Social and Emotional
- [ ] Problem Solving, Reasoning and Numeracy
- [x] Knowledge and Understanding of the World
- [ ] Creative Development

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