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01. Calm-down sensory bottle	2-4	10-15	No	☐
02. Snowman bottle fill	2-4	10-15	No	☐
03. Rice shaker	2-4	10	No	☐
04. Pom-pom posting bottle	2-4	10	No	☐
05. Straw drop	2-4	10	No	☐
06. Bottle bowling	2-4	15	No	☐
07. I Spy bottle	2-4	15	No	☐
08. Bottle-bottom flower stamps	4-6	15	No	☐
09. Watering can	4-6	15	Pierce	☐
10. Bottle piggy bank	4-6	20	Yes	☐
11. Bubble snake	4-6	15	Yes	☐
12. Bottle rocket decoration	4-6	20	No	☐
13. Jellyfish in a bottle	4-6	20	No	☐
14. Ring toss	4-6	15	No	☐
15. Bottle animals	4-6	20	No	☐
16. Catch cup	4-6	20	Yes	☐

"No" means no bottle cutting. Adults may still need to prepare parts. Bubble snake: blow out only, never suck in. Catch cup: adult supervises the cord and small ball.

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17. Self-watering planter	6-10	25	Yes	☐
18. Bottle terrarium	6-10	25	Yes	☐
19. Bird feeder	6-10	25	Yes	☐
20. Rain gauge	6-10	20	Yes	☐
21. Tornado in a bottle	6-10	20	No	☐
22. Bottle boat	6-10	20	No	☐
23. Monster pencil holder	6-10	20	Yes	☐
24. Bottle-cap mosaic	6-10	25	No	☐
25. Fairy lantern	6-10	20	Yes	☐

My pick for today: _____

What we need: _____

One thing we would change next time:

Use washed food or drink bottles. Tape cut edges. Secure filled caps; check for leaks. LED lights only, never flames. Keep button batteries inaccessible. Store cords and small parts away.