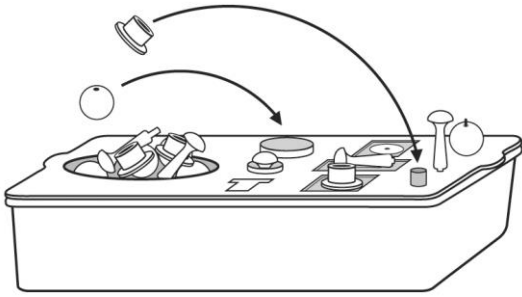


TASK 37 - VARIATIONS



Young students with autism often use objects in rigid, routine ways, eg. blocks always getting lined up but never being stacked or grouped together.

Variations is designed to demonstrate that objects can be used in a variety of ways. For example, a bead can be matched to a picture, dropped in a hole OR stacked on a dowel. With appropriate structure and support, this flexibility in object use can be generalized to include other objects in other settings.

NOTE:

The student may be encouraged to shut the lids over the peg and bead canisters. A small tool (ie. flat head screwdriver) may be helpful in re-opening the lids.

CONTENTS:

- (1) Shoebox base
- (1) Shoebox lid
- (1) 20oz. container
- (3) picture cards
- (2) plastic canisters w/lids
- (3) shoulder washers
- (3) wooden pegs
- (3) beads with hole
- (1) ¼" x 5" dowel
- (1) ½" x 5" dowel