

Sticky Seeds

Animal: Barnyard: Fowl; Other: Avian, Small mammals

Natural behaviors to encourage: Foraging

Type of enrichment: Environmental; Sensory

Enrichment schedule/frequency: once per weekly

Session Time: 15-20 minutes

Process:

Sticky seeds are used to encourage animals to forage for their food, they have to pluck or and nibble to get the food.

Materials Needed:

Toilet paper rolls

Peanut Butter

(Species appropriate) Chicken or duck feed (hens/roosters), bird seed (parrots/love birds/etc.), Cheerios

Instructions for Assembly:

- 1) Gather up your toilet paper rolls and smear peanut butter around outside.
- 2) Roll in chicken or duck feed and cheerios
- 3) Place in freezer until seeds are frozen to tube
- 4) Contact education@larimerhumane.org to arrange a drop-off time of the frozen treats!

