Art

- The student learned about sculpture and form through the creation of a snowman.
- They explored the use of texture and contrast in the snowman's features.
- They practiced imaginative thinking and creativity in designing the snowman.

Math

- The student learned about measurement while building the snowman by estimating the size of each section
- They practiced counting and comparison by using different sized snowballs for the snowman's body parts
- They learned about the concept of change and melting through observing the snowman's transformation

Music

- The student discovered rhythm and beat by creating a song or chant while building the snowman
- They explored the concept of pitch by singing a snowman-themed song
- They learned about dynamics by making loud and soft sounds to accompany the snowman melting

Physical Education

- The student engaged in gross motor skills while rolling and packing the snow into balls for the snowman's body
- They practiced coordination and balance by assembling the snowman's sections
- They gained an understanding of cause and effect through the physical activity of making the snowman melt

Science

- The student learned about states of matter by observing the snowman melting from solid to liquid
- They explored the concept of temperature and its effect on snow and ice
- They gained an understanding of the water cycle and how melting snow contributes to it

For continued development, encourage the student to document the process of the snowman's melting through drawings or a scientific journal. This can develop their observational and recording skills and encourage a deeper understanding of the science behind melting.

Book Recommendations

- <u>"Snowmen at Night"</u> by Caralyn Buehner: A delightful story about the adventures of snowmen when no one is watching.
- <u>"The Snowy Day"</u> by Ezra Jack Keats: A classic tale of Peter's adventures in the snow, incorporating art and science themes.
- <u>"Ten, Nine, Eight"</u> by Molly Bang: A book that incorporates math concepts with a bedtime countdown ritual, engaging young children in counting and numbers.

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