Core Skills Analysis

Music

- The student learnt about the names and order of the planets through the lyrics of the song.
- The activity helped in improving the student's memory retention as they recalled the melody when naming the planets.
- Through singing, the student practiced their pitch and tone control.
- The song may have also introduced the concept of orbiting planets in our solar system.

Tips

To enhance the learning experience while singing the planets song and continue developing skills, consider incorporating hand motions to represent each planet or adding a visual aid like a solar system poster. Encourage the student to research more about each planet's unique characteristics and incorporate them into the song for a deeper understanding. Additionally, you can introduce other songs related to space or astronomy to expand their knowledge further.

Book Recommendations

- There's No Place Like Space: All About Our Solar System by Tish Rabe: A fun and educational book that introduces young readers to the solar system with beloved Dr. Seuss characters.
- <u>If You Decide To Go To The Moon</u> by Faith McNulty: An engaging book that takes readers on a journey to the moon, sharing fascinating facts about space exploration.
- Zoo in the Sky: A Book of Animal Constellations by Jacqueline Mitton: This book combines astronomy with storytelling to introduce children to the concept of constellations in a creative way.