Activity: "My child fed the ducks"

Physical Education

- The child developed gross motor skills by throwing bread crumbs to feed the ducks.
- The child improved balance and coordination while walking near the pond and avoiding obstacles.
- The child engaged in physical activity by running after the ducks to observe their behavior.

Science

- The child learned about the natural habitat of ducks and their feeding habits.
- The child observed different types of ducks and their distinctive features.
- The child understood the concept of food chain as ducks consumed the bread.

Social Studies

- The child developed empathy and care for animals by feeding the ducks.
- The child learned about sharing and taking turns with other children who wanted to feed the ducks.
- The child practiced social skills by engaging in conversation with other people at the pond.

Continued Development Tips: Encourage your child to explore more about ducks and other waterfowl. Visit a local library to borrow books about ducks or watch educational videos online. You can also create a small pond-themed sensory bin at home with water, toy ducks, and rocks to further enhance your child's sensory and imaginative play.

Book Recommendations

- Ducks by Gail Gibbons: A simple introduction to ducks with colorful illustrations.
- <u>Feeding the Ducks</u> by True Kelley: Follow a child's journey to a pond to feed the ducks and learn more about these water birds.
- <u>The Tale of Jemima Puddle-Duck</u> by Beatrix Potter: Join Jemima Puddle-Duck on her adventures as she tries to hatch her own eggs.

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