Physical Education

- Jenga helps improve hand-eye coordination as children carefully remove or place the blocks.
- It enhances balance and fine motor skills as children carefully maneuver the blocks without toppling the tower.
- Playing Jenga helps in improving concentration and focus as it requires strategic thinking and planning each move.
- It can also promote teamwork and communication if played in a group, as players need to work together to achieve a common goal.

For continued development, consider introducing variations in the game, such as incorporating physical challenges for each block removed or utilizing larger or smaller blocks to create a different level of difficulty. Encourage the child to take turns being the "architect" of the tower, fostering their leadership and problem-solving skills.

Book Recommendations

- <u>Jenga: The Book</u> by Leslie Scott: A fun and informative book about the history, strategy, and variations of the game Jenga.
- <u>Balancing Act: The Story of Jenga</u> by Greg Wyatt: A children's book that tells the story of how Jenga was invented and the fun challenges it brings.
- <u>The Ultimate Guide to Outdoor Games</u> by Scott McNeely: Includes a variety of outdoor games, including Jenga, with tips for playing and learning opportunities for kids.

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