## Math

- The child has learned to recognize and name different coins including penny, nickel, dime, and quarter.
- They have developed the skill to visually identify and distinguish between the coins based on their features and value symbols.
- They understand the value of each coin and can relate it to real-world transactions and pricing.
- By practicing this activity, the child has also refined their counting and addition skills when working with different coin combinations.

Continued development related to this activity can involve incorporating role-playing games where the child can pretend to be a cashier or a shopper, using play money and actual coins to practice making change and counting out amounts. Utilizing real-life scenarios and games can help reinforce the understanding of coin values and identification in a fun and engaging way.

## **Book Recommendations**

- <u>The Coin Counting Book</u> by Rozanne Lanczak Williams: A colorful picture book that engages children in learning about different coins and their values through an interactive story.
- Show Me the Money by Alvin Granowsky: This book provides an introduction to money, coins, and their uses in a simple and engaging way, suitable for young readers.
- Money Madness by David A. Adler: Join the children in this book as they try to earn enough money to buy their first bicycles, learning about coins and the value of saving along the way.

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