

Twin Sculpture

Pre-braille

Level

3

Players

1

Duration

15
min

Tags

Bi-manual
Brick orientation
Spatial concepts
Tactile exploration

Skills

Reproduce or create patterns
Recognise shapes
Develop tactile exploration
Develop the process of doing

More activities

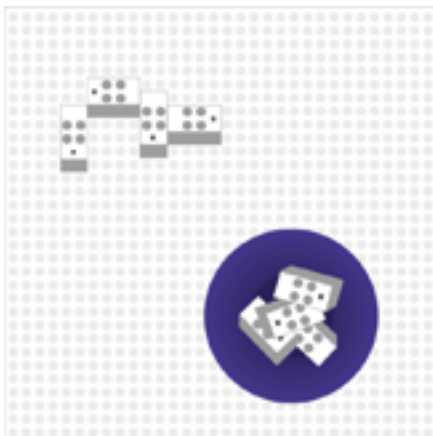
Caterpillar to Butterfly
Playdough Shapes
The Castle Tower

Can you make the exact same sculpture?

Explore the baseplate and create a sculpture identical to the one already there.

Goals

To develop tactile exploration technique and practice locating bricks, in order to recreate an identical flat sculpture.

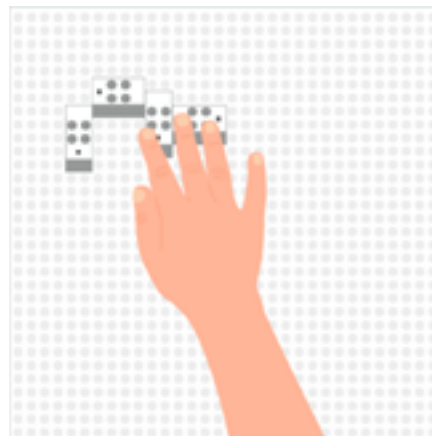


The adult prepares

- 1 baseplate
- 8 equal-sign bricks '='
- 1 baseplate
- 1 bowl

Create a flat 4-brick sculpture on the baseplate.

Place the other 4 bricks in a bowl.



The children play

- 1 The child finds the sculpture on the baseplate and explores it.



- 2 The child makes a 'twin sculpture' on the baseplate.

Facilitation tips

- Allow adequate time for the child to progress through trial and error.
- Create 3D sculptures.
- Peer play: one player creates a sculpture, the other builds the twin.
- We chose the equal-sign to avoid any symmetry errors (the 4 points are at the centre of each brick). Of course, the printed equal-sign is to be ignored.