**Build a City!**

Create and manipulate bricks to build a large city full of different types of structures and homes. Invite someone inside, for a guided tour.

 15 min  1 participant

 

**Let’s play**

1. Pick a brick from the box
2. Attach it to the base plate
3. Add other bricks, to build a large city out of LEGO Braille Bricks that can be seen from far, far away, and even from the sky!
4. Give someone a guided tour of your city!

**How to prepare**

* 1 toolkit
* A base plate

**Facilitation tips**

* Ask player about where they grew up.
* Compare and discuss size and types of homes and buildings, urban space/country living
* Suggest building representation of hometown city or neighborhood
* Suggest adding minifigures to the city, for play!

**Possible variations**

* Build only a few buildings, a neighborhood
* Build a small village with only houses (one brick for one house)
* Use several bricks as foundations for the same building
* Add other base plates and play with peer to make a giant city!

**Children will develop these holistic skills**

PHYSICAL- Use and produce representations of solids and spatial situations

CREATIVE - Use spoken language to develop understanding through speculating, hypothesizing, imagining and exploring ideas.

COGNITIVE - Recognize and use notions of alignment, right angle, equality of lengths, middle, symmetry.

EMOTIONAL - Implement an artistic project.

SOCIAL - Anticipate potential problems, identify steps for resolution including alternative solutions.

**Did you know**

* Creative skills - coming up with ideas, expressing them and transforming them into reality by creating associations, symbolizing and representing ideas and providing meaningful experience for others.