**Build a Rectangular Tower**

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**Let’s play**

1. Build the walls of a rectangular tower using all the bricks.

**How to prepare**

* 1 base plate
* 48 bricks with more than 3 studs each, to ensure a strong building
* 1 bowl

On the base plate, build a 3x1 rectangle with 8 bricks.

**Facilitation tips**

* Sometimes, there may not be a stud on with to attach the next brick. In that case, simply replace this brick with one that has more studs.
* Suggest the idea of a scenario: “It is the first building of a future city. You can enlarge it by adding other buildings”.

**Possible variations**

* Make several floors in preparation.
* Build several towers.
* Use a timer.
* Make bigger rectangles.
* Peer play: build the tower together or build several towers.

**Children will develop these holistic skills**

* PHYSICAL - Develop motor skills and build body language: acquire specific techniques to improve efficiency
* CREATIVE - Engage in solitary play activities for an appropriate amount of time
* COGNITIVE – Recognize, classify and sort shapes in 3 dimensions
* EMOTIONAL - Comply with simple directions and limits from adults
* SOCIAL - Plan and carry out routine or non-routine activities requiring multiple steps

**Did you know**

* The LEGO Braille brick has 2X4 studs. It is the iconic size for LEGO brick. Its length is twice its width and that allows to easily build geometrical shapes.
* Children can learn to carry out multi-step activities, resist distractions and choose tasks suited to their interests and skill level, just as they can learn to use more advanced problem-solving strategies.