





The benefits of brick play		
$\bigcirc$ (	COGNITIVE	PHYSICAL
	Language + literacy skills Mathematical + scientific reasoning Problem-solving Decision-making Thoughts and memory	Fine and gross motor skills Hand-eye coordination Spatial awareness Sensory concepts Managing stress
	EMOTIONAL	SOCIAL
	Self-confidence and self-reliance Self-regulation/impulse control Persistence and resilience Self-awareness Empathy	Positive communication Co-operation and collaboration Self-expression Negotiation and compromise Rule formation and leadership
	Thera-Build with LEGO by Alyson Thomsen, 2018. p.33	





LITTLE BINS

- These kids build LEGO creations that **solve problems**, **make something better**, or **change something into something**.

- Our world needs kids that look beyond the surface, can solve problems they don't even know exist, can think outside the box, and can do what no one else is willing to try."

Kids build LEGO creations as an extension of their imagination: - inventions - contraptions

- thing-a-ma-jigs
- whatcha-ma-call-its....that <u>may appear</u> pointless but are most definitely not

























































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