

Build and Stack Block

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This chunky, wooden resource is beautifully made and is really open-ended in its design. It has a smooth texture and is finished with linseed oil so it feels and smells good.

- Use this resource with a range of age groups as they will play with it according to their preferences. There is not a set way of using the resource. It is great for stacking and posting in a variety of different configurations. Children will enjoy experimenting and exploring which pieces fit where.
- Some children may find that it suits their schematic behaviours as they can stack, post, rotate etc.
- The pieces can be used separately as a construction resource or used on the stacking frame base.
- The resource can be played with independently and the children can manipulate the pieces to make them fit, therefore using fine motor skills. Some of the pieces can be used horizontally as well as vertically.
- An adult might extend the play by asking questions eg. can you find a longer, shorter, wider piece? Can you find me a heavier or a lighter piece? It is an opportunity to extend mathematical literacy understanding.
- Some children may use the pieces to represent something else. A block might become a phone, a car etc.