Age group <3 3-6

Discovery Puzzle "Garden"

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Content

9 puzzle pieces
Size: 205 x 205 x 15 mm

Main goal

Learn with the given material about animals and plants in the garden.

Extra goals

Language: Learn to talk about the different objects on the puzzle.
Mathematics: Learn to sort and combine the puzzle tiles correctly.
Motor skills: Learn to make smooth movements with your fingers.

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Basic concept Fine motor skills, Words

Step 1: Puzzle the discovery puzzle by using the frame. Development of fine motor skills by taking the different parts of the puzzle.

Step 2: Name the different colors, that you can see in the picture.

Step 3: Which animals can you see in the frame? Try to name the different animals.

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Advanced concept Communication

Let the children play with the puzzle independently.
Use the different layers to talk about the different possibilities to hide for the animals.
Encourage the children to talk about their own experiences with animals and the scenery. Did they see these animals before? Where could you find these animals in real life?

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Extra activities

Encourage the children to describe the scenery.
Which animals are hiding?
Where is the dog/ the cat/ the chicken/the chicks situated?
Introduce some words like: in front of, behind, besides,...

Talk about animals in the garden.
Which other animals do they know in the garden? How do they look like?
Whose family has a garden? Tell your own experiences.
Are there children that had already petted/ fed an animal shown in the scenery?
Maybe you can also bring some photos of the animals in real life.

Main observation

Is the child able to name the different animals and objects in the garden?

Extra observation

How are the fine motor skills developed?
Does the child need help or is she/ he easily frustrated?
Can you notice an age appropriate vocabulary for this topic?
Are there relations to own experiences of the children?
Do the children understand the topic? Are they able to talk about their knowledge?
Are they able to describe the details shown in the puzzle?