# ACTIVITIES TO WORK ON GROSS MOTOR DEVELOPMENT

## **GROSS MOTOR MILESTONES:**

https://therapiesforkids.com.au/gross-motor-milestones/

https://childdevelopment.com.au/resources/child-development-charts/gross-motor-developmentalchart/

# **GENERAL GROSS MOTOR DEVELOPMENT:**

https://www.themeasuredmom.com/indoor-gross-motor-activities/ https://www.homeschool-your-boys.com/improving-gross-motor-skills-children/ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x\_9L5\_A6Ww4 https://mommypoppins.com/newyorkcitykids/25-exercise-games-indoor-activities-for-kids https://www.canr.msu.edu/news/building\_gross\_motor\_skills\_and\_why\_it\_matters

# CORE STRENGTHENING:

https://theinspiredtreehouse.com/child-development-core-strengthening-for-kids/ https://www.ot-mom-learning-activities.com/core-exercises-for-kids.html

# **UPPER BODY STRENGTHENIING:**

https://www.pinkoatmeal.com/creative-upper-body-exercises-for-kids/ https://www.pinkoatmeal.com/upper-extremity-weight-bearing/

### GAMES:

https://fungameskidsplay.com/classicgames.htm https://whatmomslove.com/kids/active-indoor-games-activities-for-kids-to-burn-energy/ https://babygizmo.com/keeping-kids-active-indoors/ https://theinspiredtreehouse.com/use-card-games-kids-promote-movement/

### **BALANCE:**

https://www.pinkoatmeal.com/balance-exercises-for-kids/

https://www.softstarshoes.com/live-bare-blog/2015/06/23/top-10-balance-games-for-kids-of-all-ages/ - Some great ideas, maybe not the "Thinker Pyramid" though.

#### **ANIMAL WALKS:**

https://pathways.org/help-your-childs-gross-motor-skills-with-these-animal-walks/

#### YOGA FOR KIDS:

https://awakeandmindful.com/best-kids-yoga-videos-on-youtube/

#### **BALL SKILLS:**

https://www.boxofideas.org/ideas/practical-skills-at-home/hobbies-and-leisure/ball-skills/ https://theinspiredtreehouse.com/teaching-kids-how-to-catch-a-ball-throw/

#### **BIKE RIDING:**

https://www.boxofideas.org/ideas/practical-skills-at-home/hobbies-and-leisure/bike-riding/ https://www.rei.com/learn/expert-advice/teach-child-to-ride-a-bike.html

#### DAILY PE:

https://www.google.com/url?sa=t&source=web&rct=j&url=https://m.youtube.com/watch%3Fv%3DhyB elN\_EgS8&ved=2ahUKEwjinoOs9evoAhVSJzQIHfVGBU8QwqsBMAB6BAgFEAU&usg=AOvVaw0k-BS37RWm4TaT54kCODB3

This presenter does a daily PE program to follow along, about 30 minutes a day.

### **GENERAL ACTIVITIES/WEBSITES:**

https://www.highlightskids.com/

https://organizationaltoast.com/indoor-activities-for-kids/