

Block Party

Not only is playing with blocks fun; block play helps us to learn and develop important skills we'll need as we grow! Through blocks, we can learn everything from counting and matching to how to share and communicate with our friends! With OCM's Block Party, we use blocks to build on important STEAM concepts. Develop hypotheses and test them on our Earthquake Test Table. Explore technology and engineering as you build with Magneatos and Keva Planks. Express your artistic side as you design with Magna Tiles, and practice mathematics as you stack and sort Dado Cubes.

AUDIENCE

Children up to 8 years old and their families

SIZE

1,000-2,000 square feet

LENGTH OF RENTAL

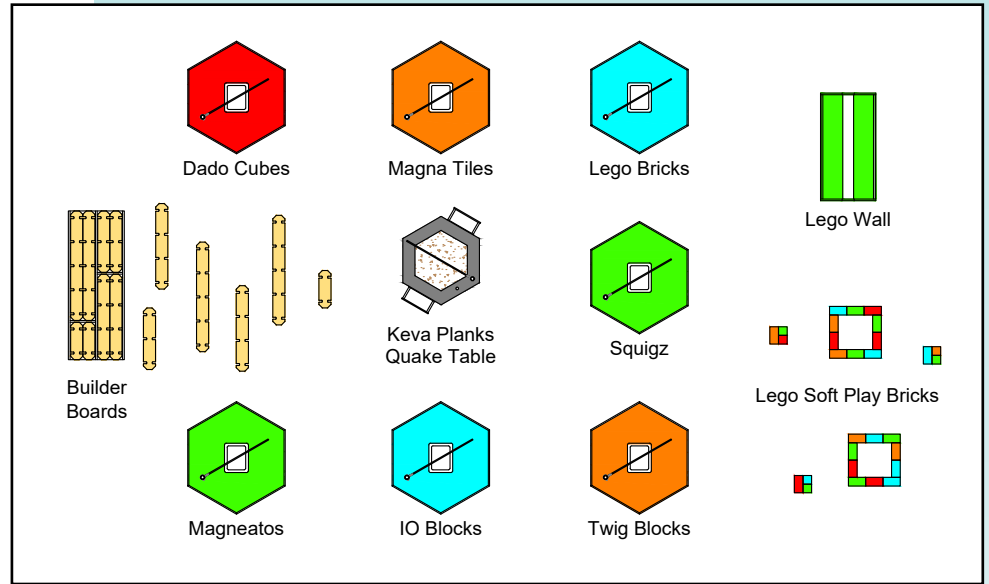
3 months

PRICE

Contact for details.

DESIGN INTENTION

Provide an interactive environment to assist in the development of the 7 Executive Brain Functions: Taking on Challenges, Perspective Taking, Self-Control, Self-Directed Engaged Learning, Communicating, Making Connections, and Critical Thinking.



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OMAHA CHILDREN'S MUSEUM PROVIDES:

Ongoing site support, inbound and outbound shipping, print-ready photos and logo

HOST INSTITUTION PROVIDES:

Insurance, staff to perform installation and tear down

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Exhibit Includes

8 build tables with 8 unique block styles



Giant LEGO blocks and side-walls

Large-scale Builder Boards

Double-sided LEGO wall



Earthquake testing table



Educational Outcomes

Exploration of the role of architects and engineers in everyday life through interactive staff led programming.

Development of fine motor skills through various building materials, including LEGOs, Keva Planks, Dado Cubes, and the like.

Provide opportunity to develop scientific reasoning skills through the creation and testing of various hypotheses.

Development of imaginative learning and self-expression through creation of structures, creatures, and the like.

Provides opportunities to strengthen mathematical reasoning and problem solving skills.

Provides opportunities for social and emotional growth through interactivity with fellow guests.