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INSIDE Ask your child to get involved in chores such as sweeping, mopping, carrying laundry or washing the table Play Games that involve pushing and pulling e.g. row the boat Crashing into cushions or beanbags. Helping with stirring or kneading when cooking and baking.

INCREASING PROPRIOCEPTIVE INPUT



OUTSIDE

- When playing with sand, use wet sand to increase resistance.
- Climbing
- Digging in soil or sand
- Helping to push a wheelbarrow
- Encourage your child to push siblings on trikes/cars
- Pedalling a bike or trike
- Raking the lawn or sweeping the path



BEDTIME

- Use massage to help your child relax before bed
- Provide deep pressure by 'squashing' your child with cushions along their body
- Complete gentle stretches
- Deep breathing activities
- Rub lotion onto body using firm strokes
- Give deep pressure with a towel following a bath/shower

