





## Lesson / project description

| The title   | "How to feed a cat trapped in a tree?"  |
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| Subjects covered from<br>STEAM areas                    | Natural sciences, arts, engineering, mathematics  |
| The target group  | children 5 years of pre-school education  |
| Learning objectives /<br>competences to be<br>developed | <ul> <li>The purpose of the activity (lesson) is to design a device to pass food to a cat trapped in a tree.</li> <li>Tasks: <ol> <li>Use ropes to create a rope path using selected tools.</li> <li>Measure the distance in several conditional measures.</li> <li>To research and test the ways of operation of devices.</li> <li>Creativity - inventively, unusually uses various materials and tools.</li> <li>Calculation and measurement - when measuring distance and length, use several conditional measurements: your foot, ropes of different lengths.</li> <li>Knowledge of the environment - discovers the possibilities of using household appliances and digital technologies, willingly learns to use them.</li> <li>Research - is interested in the materials from which objects are made and their properties.</li> <li>Learning to learn - boldly guesses, tries, makes mistakes and corrects mistakes, listens to what others are saying. Guess, what will happen if</li> </ol> </li> </ul> |
| Description of activities                               | <ol> <li>1. Discussion "What to do if a cat is stuck in a tree?" "Is he hungry?" "What food do cats eat?"<br/>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hKHO7S-MQsE<br/>https://www.delfi.lt/letena/patarimai/kaip-elgtis-jei-kate-<br/>negali-islipti-is-medzio.d?id=70656688</li> <li>2. Review. What is the "Cableway?"<br/>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tliMsK_SH5 8</li> <li>3. Watch the video "How did you build it?"<br/>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iTf1bkjX7Ng<br/>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NmIxIppHznk<br/>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xb2p84ho59U</li> <li>4. The children gather and inspect the tools in the group.</li> </ol>  |
|   | https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iTf1bkjX7Ng<br>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NmIxIppHznk  |

| <b>Evaluation</b><br>(types and methods)  | <ul> <li>5. Creating a "rope path" by consulting, experimenting and measuring.</li> <li>6. Acting in a team, pulling the tied ropes, passes the empty basket to each other. Others add food and pass it on to friends at the cat, who feed the cat.</li> <li>Reflection, self-evaluation. The children talked and discussed how they managed to pass the food basket to friends who were feeding a cat squatting in a "tree" by pulling the ropes. Children boldly trust in their own strength, try the advice offered to each other. They applied the gained experience while playing: after constructing the "rope path", they fed animals and fish.</li> <li>The teacher applies the observation method and records the</li> </ul> |
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|   | achievements in a descriptive way.  |
| The result<br>(present / deliver result)  | The children present the result and explain how it works.<br>Photos and videos of the activities. <u>https://youtu.be/wmWa5Oizun4</u>   |
| Time (duration) and learning environment  | The activity took place 3 times (days) for 30-40 minutes. children worked freely in a group environment.  |
| Conclusions / reflection<br>as far as the teaching /<br>learning activity is<br>innovative, accessories | The students themselves asked questions, discussing solutions to solve<br>the problem. They had the opportunity to test their creativity: using<br>constructors, non-traditional construction tools to create tracks,<br>bridges, cranes, trying to find the right solution. After the tests, the set<br>goal was achieved.   |
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