Push and Pull!

Let's Move Things!





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BIG IDEA

Pushes and pulls move things.



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Key words

push

move away from you

pull

bring close to you

move

go, stop, or turn





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DID YOU KNOW?

You cannot see a push!

You only see what starts, stops, or turns.



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Pick One

Which to test first?

- **A** Ball
- **B** Toy car
- **C** Box

Vote with your hands, then explain why.



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Sing and Move



▶ 0:00 – 1:11

- Show push hands!
- Show pull hands!



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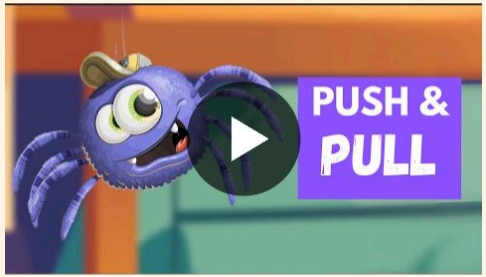
Hard and Soft

- Gentle push goes a little
- Strong push goes far
- Sideways push turns it



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Watch Cars



▶ 0:00 – 4:50

- Clap for a push
- Stomp for a pull



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Your task

Push toy cars. See how far they go.

1. Give a soft push. Mark stop.
2. Give a hard push. Mark stop.
3. Push from the side. Which way does it turn?

20 min

In pairs



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Push or Pull?



Push

Kick a ball away.



Pull

Tug a rope close to you.



Push

Push a toy car far.



Pull

Pull a wagon along.



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What could this be?

Big push goes far. Little push stops short. What am I?





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True or false?

Big push goes far.

Pull brings things close.

Push cannot turn things.



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