

Traditional Asian Toys

Name: _____

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WORKED EXAMPLE

Children across Asia play with toys that move with a push or a pull. A kendama ball is pulled up to land in a cup. A Daruma Otoshi block is tapped out with a quick push. A shuttlecock is kicked up to keep it in the air. A spinning top is spun by pulling a string. A strong or gentle force changes how each toy moves.

Q1

Circle the toys that use a push or a pull to move: a kendama, a shuttlecock, a spinning top, a puddle of water.

Q2

A shuttlecock is kicked up with a push. Tick one:
yes ☐ no ☐

Q3

Draw one of the toys. Draw an arrow to show the push or pull that makes it move.

Q4

Draw a line to match: kendama, shuttlecock, spinning top — pull it up, kick it up, pull to spin.

Q5

A Daruma Otoshi block needs a _____ from the hammer to knock it out.

Q6

You _____ the kendama ball up to land it in the cup.

Q7

Look at the lesson slide. Pick one toy. Draw it and label the push or the pull that makes it move.

Q8 CHALLENGE

Try a push and a pull with a friend. Show which one is stronger and write which way the toy moves.