Reviewer's report

Title: Determinants of variability in motor performance in middle childhood: a cross-sectional study of balance and motor co-ordination skills

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The authors answered my points sufficiently.

Minor essential revision:
Please provide all factor loadings in Table 1.

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

Declaration of competing interests:
'I declare that I have no competing interests'