

SEAHORSE DAILY STORY

MEET SCOOTER

In the Seahorse room we have welcomed a new friend, his name is Scooter and he is our take home buddy. This means the children are able to take him home during the week for a sleep over or over the weekend. He has his own suitcase with his sheets and pillow along with his journal all ready for his sleep overs. The children are able to take him on a variety of adventures from going to the park or shopping or just having a picnic at home. By taking Scooter home the children are able to share their families and the activities they do outside of the center with their friends in the room.

If you are interested in taking Scooter home for a visit please do not hesitate to talk to Miss Briohny or Miss Jade to organize a visit.



Happy
St. Patrick's
Day



Rainbow Finger Painting

As we were celebrating St Patrick's day today the children created some rainbow finger print paintings. Using the seven colours of the rainbow, they pressed their fingers into the paint before pressing them across the paper. The children made sure to spread the paint across their rainbows to ensure that they had used each colour. While painting Miss Briohny told them the names of each of the colours as they selected them. While painting the children used their fine motor skills to spread the colours across the pages. Once they are dry the children can add on some cotton wool balls to create the clouds.

Written by Miss Briohny



St Patrick's Day Playdough

We continued our topic of St Patrick's day this morning by putting out green playdough. Miss Briohny also added some green and gold glitter to make it sparkly, like the coins at the bottom of a rainbow. The children enjoyed moulding the playdough into different shapes. Hanson rolled his playdough into a long snake like shape. Spencer extended his play by bringing one of the crocodiles to the playdough and using the crocodile to pick up the playdough. Miss Jade also added some of the green cars to playdough for the children to roll around the playdough. While working with the playdough the children are able to explore their sense of touch as the investigate the texture of the playdough, they are also able to strengthen their fine motor skills.

Written by Miss Briohny





St Patrick's Day Sensory Bottle

In small groups of two the children worked along side Miss Briohny to create a St Patrick's Day Sensory bottle. Using their fine motor skills they picked up some of the green and gold sequins before dropping them into the bottle. Mikayla and Olivia took turns to pour in some green and gold glitter. Once we had added all of the ingredients added to the bottle Miss Briohny poured in some water, to finish the sensory bottle.

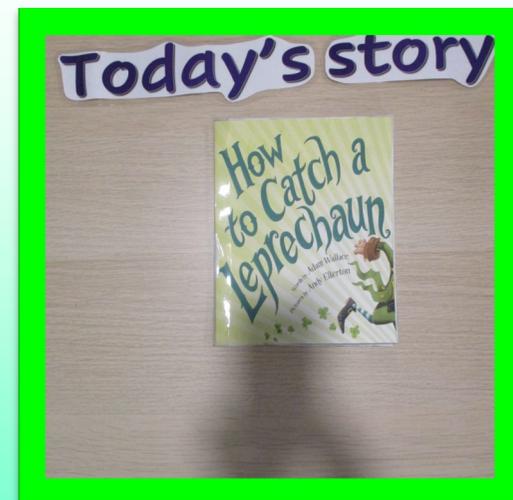
Nathaniel took the first turn with the bottle shaking it and tipping it upside down watching the sequins and glitter mix together, floating around the bottle.





Group Time

We continued our self identity during group time today by getting using the 'who is here today' wall. Looking at the photos the children identified their photo before placing it onto the wall. Some of the children were able to identify their friends photos as well. As the children identified the photos Miss Briohny said each child's name. To continue with St Patrick's Day we read a story about Leprechauns. "How to Catch A Leprechaun." The children sat quietly around the mat, listening to the story.





HAPPY ST PATRICK'S DAY FROM THE SEAHORSE ROOM.

The children celebrated St Patrick's day dressed up in green along with Miss Briohny. Scooter and Monkey got involved in the St Patrick's day spirit as they had green bow ties on.





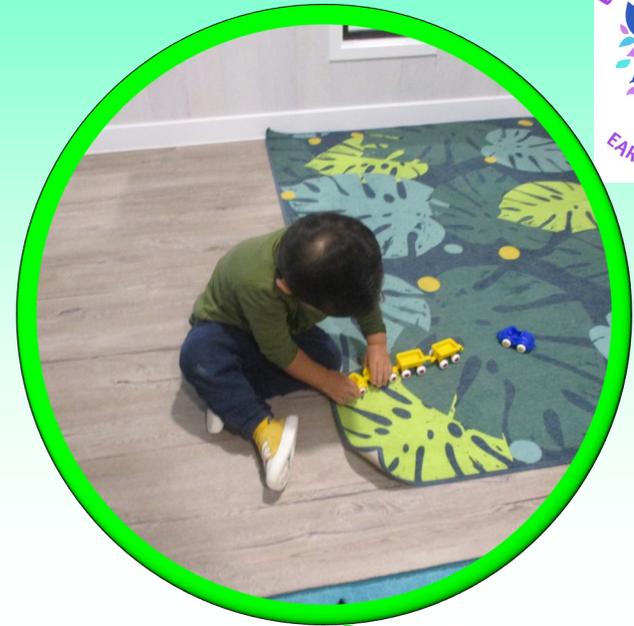
Self Help Skills.

We continued with learning about our self-help skills today by encouraging the children to empty their own bowls after lunch. Placing a plastic bag in the small rubbish bin, the children held their bowls over the bin, emptying their food scraps. Once their bowl was empty they placed it into the plastic container along with their forks. Some of the children were also able to place their own bibs in the washing basket. Once their bowls and forks were in the dirty basket the children returned their water bottles into the bottle basket and headed to bed. We will continue to work on our self help skills through out the day, encouraging the children to clean up after them selves.

Analysis of learning

LEARNING OUTCOMES ACIEVED:

LO1, 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, LO2, 2.1, 2.2,
LO3, 3.2, LO4, 4.1, 4.4, LO5, 5.1, 5.2,
5.3



Reflection of the day



We celebrated St Patrick's day today with a variety of activities centres about the day. We also continued to focus on our self-help skills, encouraging the children to clean up after themselves and to grab their own water bottles.

Photos of the day



Sleep and eat chart



<u>Seahorse</u>			Staff Name	BRIOHNY	JADE	
			Shift	9.00-5.00	7.30-4.00	
Date	17.03.2021		Rest Pause	10 mins	10 mins	10 mins
Day	Wednesday		Lunch	1.15-1.45	12.15-1.15	
CHILD'S NAME	Morning tea	Lunch	Afternoon Tea	Rest Time		BOTTLE
YOONU	ALL	MOST	MOST	11.30-12.00		
XIN YAN	AWAY					
OLIVIA	SOME	SOME	MOST	RESTED		
SPENCER	ALL	ALL	MOST	12.00-1.20		ALL
AZALEA	MOST	ALL	MOST	12.30-1.45		
MIKAYLA	OFFERED	ALL	OFFERED	11.50-2.00		MOST
NATHANIEL	ALL	ALL	MOST	11.45-2.00		
MARWIN	ALL	ALL	MOST	RESTED		
KEASTON	ALL	ALL	MOST	11.45-1.30		
HANSON	ALL	ALL	MOST	11.40-2.00		
UV Rating	Sun protection recommended from 8:20 am to 3:30 pm, UV Index predicted to reach 10 [Very High]					
Morning Tea	FRUIT PLATTER					
Lunch	CHICKEN NOODLE STIRFRY					
Afternoon tea	CRACKERS WITH GREEN DIP, CHEESE AND CUCUMBER STICKS					