

Starfish daily learning story



Tuesday, 17th August 2021.
With Miss Megha and Miss Matisse



Our indoors!

After morning tea, children got engaged in exploring the room. Today's main areas of interest were wooden mirror blocks, sensory books, puzzles, touch and feel books, stacking rings and balls.

Grace made her way to the book shelf and took out a "touch and feel" book and sat with it. She carefully observed all the pictures in book by flapping the pages one by one.

Amelia joined her and grabbed another book and observed the pictures by flapping the pages one by one.

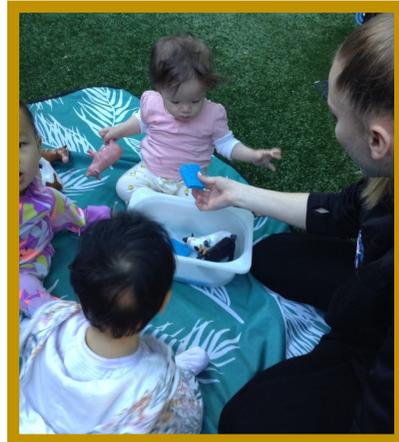
Arden held a shelf and stood up. She, then, pulled a puzzle towards her and started sorting it out.

Alina grabbed a wooden mirror frame and put on her eyes. "Pee-ka-boo!" I said and she giggled.

Hailey found her attention in "My activity" book and she enjoyed scrunching the stuffed pages of book.

Learning outcomes: 1.3, 2.2, 3.2, 4.1, 5.2

Written by : Megha



Our Sensory experience-Washing animals!

After morning tea, I set up a sensory experience for children in which I put some animals in water along with little warm water and some cut-outs of sponge and invited them to wash the animals.

Ms Matisse showed them how to take out the sponge and squeeze it and then washing the animals. Children followed her immediately and loved to play with the sponges.

Hailey was really good at squeezing the sponge by holding it in her hand. "Wow, look at the water, Hailey!" I said and she laughed at me.

Norah grabbed a goat and then a sponge. She tried to stack them on top of one another. I showed her how to squeeze the water out of sponge and she did same.

Arden quickly chose a big piece of sponge and looked at me by pulling out her hand towards me, saying Ta!. "would you like to have a horse, Arden !" and she said, " ya!

Children loved this sensory experience which helped them in developing their fine motor skills and sensory development as well.

Learning outcomes: 1.3, 2.2, 3.2, 5.1, 5.2

Written by : Megha



Paper plate cow!

For art, we made paper plate cows today in which children used a piece of sponge to dip in the black paint and then dab it on the paper plate.

Children were a bit hesitant first as how to use the sponge for painting but soon after observing us, they showed beautiful artistic skills through eh way they dabbed the sponge on paper, dipped it in paint and also squeezed the paint from the sponge.

Children loved experimenting and experiencing this new tool of painting. Some of the children tried it once, and then used their hands to do the painting. It is really good to see children on getting so interested in planned art experiences everyday.



Learning outcomes: 1.4, 2.2, 2.4, 3.1, 4.1

Written by : Megha



Photos of the day!





Analysis of Learning

Sensory development

Independent learning

Peer-bonding

Hand-eye coordination



Reflection of day

Children showed interest in the planned experiences and showed beautiful social-skills while participating with their peers. Overall, it was a beautiful and fun day for all of us.

