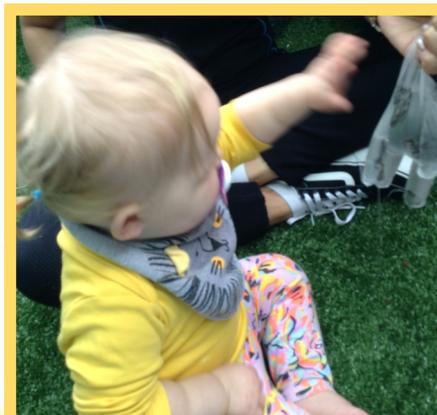


Starfish daily learning story



Wednesday, 18th August 2021

With Miss Megha and Miss Matisse



Milk the cow experience!

It was such a fun morning today where children took part in sensory experience of milking the cow. For this experience, I draw black spots on a glove, to pretend it as a cow, and filled some water in it while doing some little holes on the edges.

I invited children to explore this. **Madeleine** was the first one to join me and stood beside me while holding my shoulder. "Can you squeeze this, Maddy?" I asked and she slowly pulled out her arm while touching the glove. Then I showed her how to squeeze it and she did same.

Arden joined us soon and sat near Maddy. "Arden, would you like to milk cow?" I asked while showing her how to squeeze the glove. She reached to glove while holding her it with her one hand and squeezing it in between her fingers.

Hailey was curiously observing her peers and on getting turn, she enthusiastically pulled herself towards the glove and gave a good squeeze to it. Well done, Hailey!

Learning outcomes: 1.3, 2.2, 2.3, 3.1, 4.1, 5.1

Written by : Megha



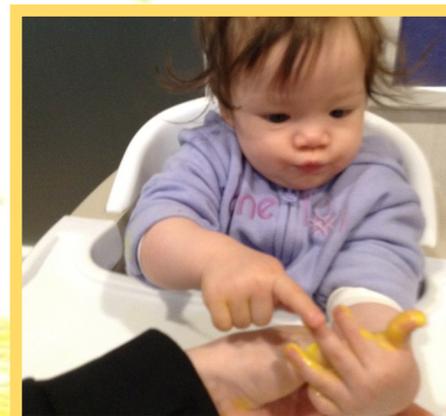
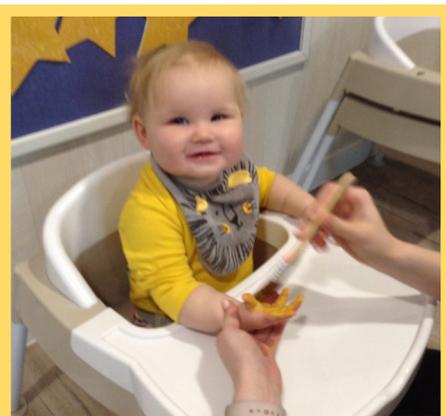
Farm Animal puppets!

Puppet play helps in increasing children's communication and social skills by providing structured opportunities to interact with puppets. This morning after morning tea, I brought in some animal puppets of cow, pig, sheep, horse and chicken for children to explore.

Children loved this experience and enjoyed a lot while playing with them. Children loved to grab the puppets and were amazed by the sounds we made for every animal while putting in their hands.

Learning outcomes: 1.2, 1.4, 2.2, 3.1, 4.2, 5.2

Written by : Megha



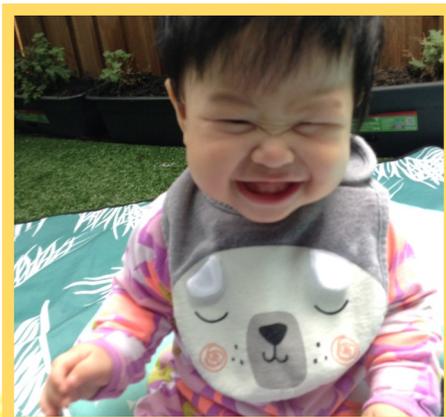
Chicken handprint art!

What fun it was painting chicks with our handprint. All of the babies were unsure of the cold paint on their hands. **Harlow and Arden** laughed at Miss Matisse as she placed the paint on their hands as it was a funny feeling. **Alina and Abigail** were very confused by the feeling of the paint on their hands but before long they were as well laughing. **Madeleine** was unsure of what Miss Matisse was doing to her hands as she spread the cold paint on her hands. **Amelia** loved the feeling of the paint on her hands squishing it through her finger and squeezing her hand shut.

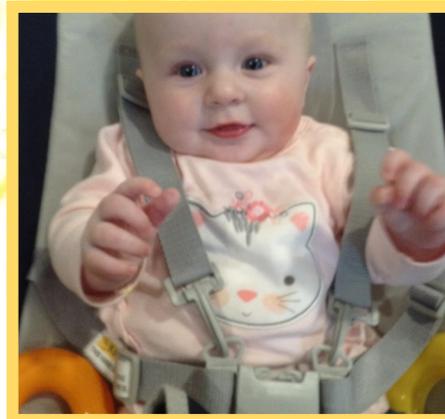
Learning outcomes: 1.1, 1.3, 2.1, 4.1, 5.1

Written by Miss Matisse





Photos of the
day





Analysis of learning

Focusing on sensory skills

Peer-bonding

Art and craft

Refining gross and fine motor skills.



Reflection of learning

Children loved today's planned experiences specially "let's milk the cow" as it gave them a chance to explore something new and different. Introduction of new experiences and materials always encourage children to extend their learning on various things.

