



# Starfish daily story

**Tuesday, 24th August 2021**  
**With Miss Megha and Miss Matisse**





## Welcome Roselyn!

Today our new friend, Roselyn joined us in Starfish room. Roselyn, it was so good to have you in the room today as you showed your comfort with the room and educators on your very first day. We can't wait to be a part of your learning journey at BTP!



## Ocean sensory bag!

In extension to our learning on the book " Rainbow fish", I made two sensory bags filled with blue bubble bath and add some fish in it and stick it on the glass door at children's standing height to encourage them to stand and explore what was in the bags.

**Charlotte** showed great interest in touching the sensory bags as she stood down by holding the shelf nearby and used both her hands to feel the texture inside the bag by dabbing on it. **Grace** found her comfort by sitting on one of the mats and carefully investigated the sensory bag by using her fingers to touch the fish inside it.

Children expressed their excitement while doing this sensory activity by clapping their hands and giggling as they would have felt the cold touch of bubble bath and hidden fish inside.

Learning outcomes: 1,2, 1.4, 2.2, 3.1, 4.2, 5.1

Written by : Megha



## Finger/Hand painting!

For art today, we did finger/hand painting in which I put yellow, blue, red and blue paint on a paper plate along with some silver paper plates to paint. Children were amazed by the silver plates as when they held it in their hands before painting, the light from the plate reflected on their faces which made them laugh.

To encourage children's interest in the art, I offered them different paints and allowed them to choose on their own which children liked a lot to do. **Harlow** put her hand in the paint and smudged it all over. "wow, how does it feel, Harlow?" I asked and she laughed. **Alina** used both her hands to paint and made beautiful rainbow imprints on the plate.

**Grace** was a bit hesitant at first to participate in art, but when I showed her how much fun it is, she tried and loved to do it.

Learning outcomes: 1.1, 2.3, 3.1, 3.2, 4.4, 5.3

Written by : Megha





## Indoor play!

Although we had a rainy day today the starfish still had so much fun playing with all of the toys that are inside. Miss Megha, Miss Matisse and Miss Alaura decided to set up some of the toys for the babies to sit down and play with.

Miss Megha got out the coloured glass frames and mirrors for the babies to look through, **Alina and Hailey** picked them up and looked into them showing Miss Alaura the funny faces they could pull. **Charlotte** was happy to read the books and push around the walker showing Miss Matisse and Miss Megha how well she can balance and walk using the walker. **Grace** loved listening to the storybook rhymes and dancing along as well as playing with the bouncy balls, throwing them and watching them bounce away.

What a fun day it has been in the starfish room!

Learning outcomes: 1.3, 2.1, 4.1, 4.2, 5.1

Written by Miss Matisse



Photos of the  
day





## Analysis of learning

Exercised their hand eye coordination

Developing fine motor skills

Becoming more confident in themselves

Sensory development



## Reflection of the day

Today all the children participated in the art activity showing that they are enjoying using their creative skills and fine motor skills and also focussed on using their senses while doing sensory exploration with the sensory bag. What a fun day it was for all of the starfish!

