

Weekly Reflection

Week 10 | 11 to 15 March 2019



Kinder – Silent Movies and film

This week children explored old black and white films by exploring film reels and how they work on a projector. Children and educators attempted to count the photos on the film strip and discussed how movies we made by cycling many photos and playing them at a speed that resembled movement. We discussed how music was used to support the movie as there was no talking.



Kinder – Adding Colour

Kinders continued exploring black and white film and how colour was slowly added to them by using their photos taken the week before. Children were encouraged to colour wash their images using water paint developing fine motor skills, colour recognition and composition.



Kinder – Removing Colour

To continue with our theme and exploration of photos we used our photo library to select and remove the colour from the photo. Children were offered various forms of charcoal to work with as they attempted to create black and white replicas of their favourite photos. Children developed fine motor skills and creativity and they worked with a new medium. Children enjoyed this experiences, especially Luciana who drew a total of five images and asked to re-do this experience after lunch.



Little Sports Heroes



Toddlers- Colour rainbows

This week toddlers continued with colour exploration, using rainbow cellophane to create a rainbow. Children develop fine motor skills, hand eye coordination and cognitive skills, while extending their knowledge of colours.



Colour sorting – pompom runs

This week children continued exploring colour by participating in the pompom colour sorting experience. Designed as a floor experience, children sorted different coloured pompoms by placing them in tubes that lead to their corresponding bowls.



Water bottle –numbers

Children were asked to support educators design and set up a new number activity. Using recycled water bottles children numbered and decorated each bottle, securing it in a box and prepared it to begin explore numbers 1 through to 10. Children learn team work, patience, fine motor and counting skills.



Pine cone decorations

Observing educators decorate the room, children were eager to support. We decided to create a welcome/hello mobile for the entrance using pine cones and various languages to welcome children and their families. Children supported by painting pine cones and passing them to the educator as she carefully tied them to the roof.



St. Patrick's Day

On Friday, Children celebrated St. Patrick's Day by painting lucky leaves. Children explore cultural diversity in the lead up to cultural diversity week.



Links to VEYLF

- Outcome 1: Children have a strong sense of identity
- Outcome 2: Children are connected with and contribute to their world
- Outcome 3: Children have a strong sense of wellbeing
- Outcome 4: Children are confident and involved learners
- Outcome 5: Children are effective communicators

Moving Forward

- Chicken Visit
- Cultural Diversity Week
- Harmony Day

Parent Input