



KINDERGARTEN WEEKINDER BUZZ

16th Feb
To
20th Feb



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SPRINGDALES SCHOOL Dubai

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PICTURE OF THE WEEK



Theme of the Month - All around us!

The beach has always been a popular destination and young children relate to the excitement and freedom associated with playing on the beach.

This week our little Springdaleans got an opportunity to fulfill this excitement by playing in the role play area created for them. They had fun making sandcastles and playing in the sand. They learnt and discussed about the things we carry at the beach and also the safety rules that need to be followed.

The children discussed in their own words about the sounds of the waves, the sand play and sand castle, the warm sun, ice creams and swimming fun. Our super learners were made to experience some visualizations related to beach to relax and calm themselves.

This week our learners were introduced to the new letters “Yy and Zz” along with its sound. Recapitulation of the previously learnt letters were also done through rhymes and activities. Along with recognition of numbers 1-9, the super learners practiced associating the numbers to its values with hands on activities. They learned the concept of Near and Far through play way methods.

Thus our learners were engaged in exploring and learning new things throughout the week as always.

LIFE SKILLS

Teaching preschoolers life skills not only develops confidence but enables them to walk on the path towards independence. So this week we reinforced the below skills:

- Open, close glue stick bottle
- Use golden words (doing actions like give and take)
- Pegging cards
- Drinking water without spilling (using glass)

HOME ASSIGNMENTS

- Find out names of 2 beaches in Dubai.
- Look for pictures starting with letter Z in the newspaper /magazine
- Circle letter y on any page of newspaper or magazine

WHAT WE LEARNT DURING THE WEEK

The following were our focused activities-

PERSONAL, SOCIAL, EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

Learners were happy and excited to build their sand castle and play with the ball. They made sandcastle along with their friends thus appreciating importance of team work.

COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE:

Picture Talk - Our little learners were encouraged to talk about the picture related to the beach. They shared their experiences on how they spent their time at the beach.

EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGNS:

Learners were introduced to different art and craft activities to enhance their creativity and fine motor development. They designed their own beach flip flops, did yarn painting, and coloured zig zag stripes.

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD:

The beach visualization activity helped the kids to relax by as they imagined spending time on a beautiful beach and being close to nature. They were also made aware about the importance of keeping the beach clean.

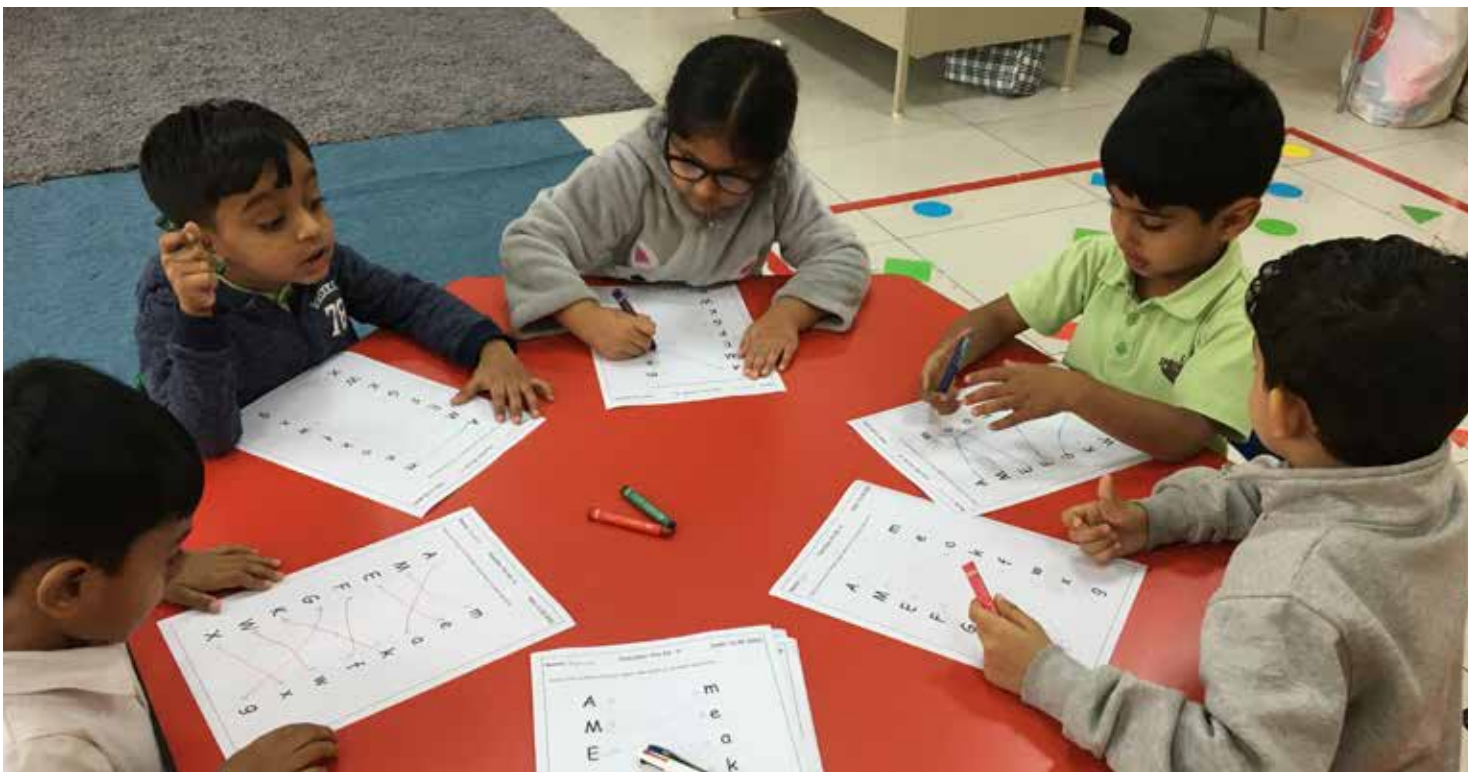
PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT:

Outdoor play: Children had fun playing in the outdoor play area.

The Activity Room provides unique experience of fun and physical activity, the kids were involved in various activities like – climbing, balancing, jumping and swinging.

PE- Along with some warm up exercise and running race, our learners practiced kicking the ball.

Swimming : Our swimmers were super excited to splash water and learn to float in the water.































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PICTURE OF THE WEEK



Theme of the Month - WATER

SUB TOPIC OF THE WEEK: Uses of Water

HOME CONNECTIONS:

Kindly Practice :

- Writing of letters Aa-Zz in a sequence.
- Writing of numbers 1-30.
- Look for objects with 'th' sound words at home.
- How many beautiful fountains can you spot around Dubai..

WHAT WE LEARNT DURING THE WEEK

LITERACY:

- Phonic recognition activities and missing letter writing from “Aa to Zz” was done in the notebooks.
- Learners were introduced to ‘th’ sound words like three, thorn, thumb, teeth, path, bath, moth etc.
- Recap of diagraph -ch, sh and ck was done by reading the words and matching it with the correct pictures.

MATHEMATICS:

- Recap of numbers 1-30 was done.
- Learners wrote in between numbers in the math’s line book.
- Revision of number bonds was done, learners created their own combination of numbers..
- Recap of the topic “Capacity” was done through a lot of hands on activities using different size containers.

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD:

- Learners learnt to identify and talk about the uses of water. They learnt that water In our homes is used to bathe, to cook, for laundry. In nature to feed plants, trees, and animals, to fill lakes and rivers. In our neighborhood for swimming pools, firemen, to keep streets clean, sprinklers etc.
- Learners investigated how the sprinkler system is attached to the ground and how it works only at a particular time in school.

EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGNS:

- Learners drew different pictures of how they use water.

PERSONAL, SOCIAL, EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

- Learners waited patiently and took turns to practice at the swimming pool for the upcoming Swimming Gala event.

COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE:

- Learners read the ORT storybook “Hide and Seek” and discussed their favourite hiding places in the house when they play the game.

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT:

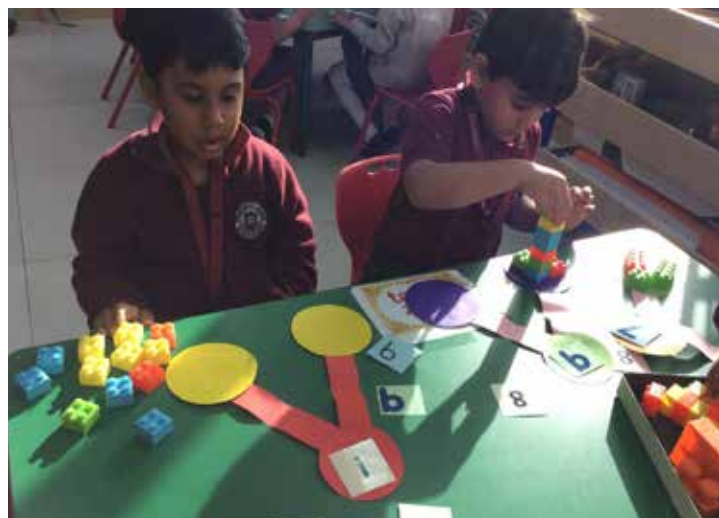
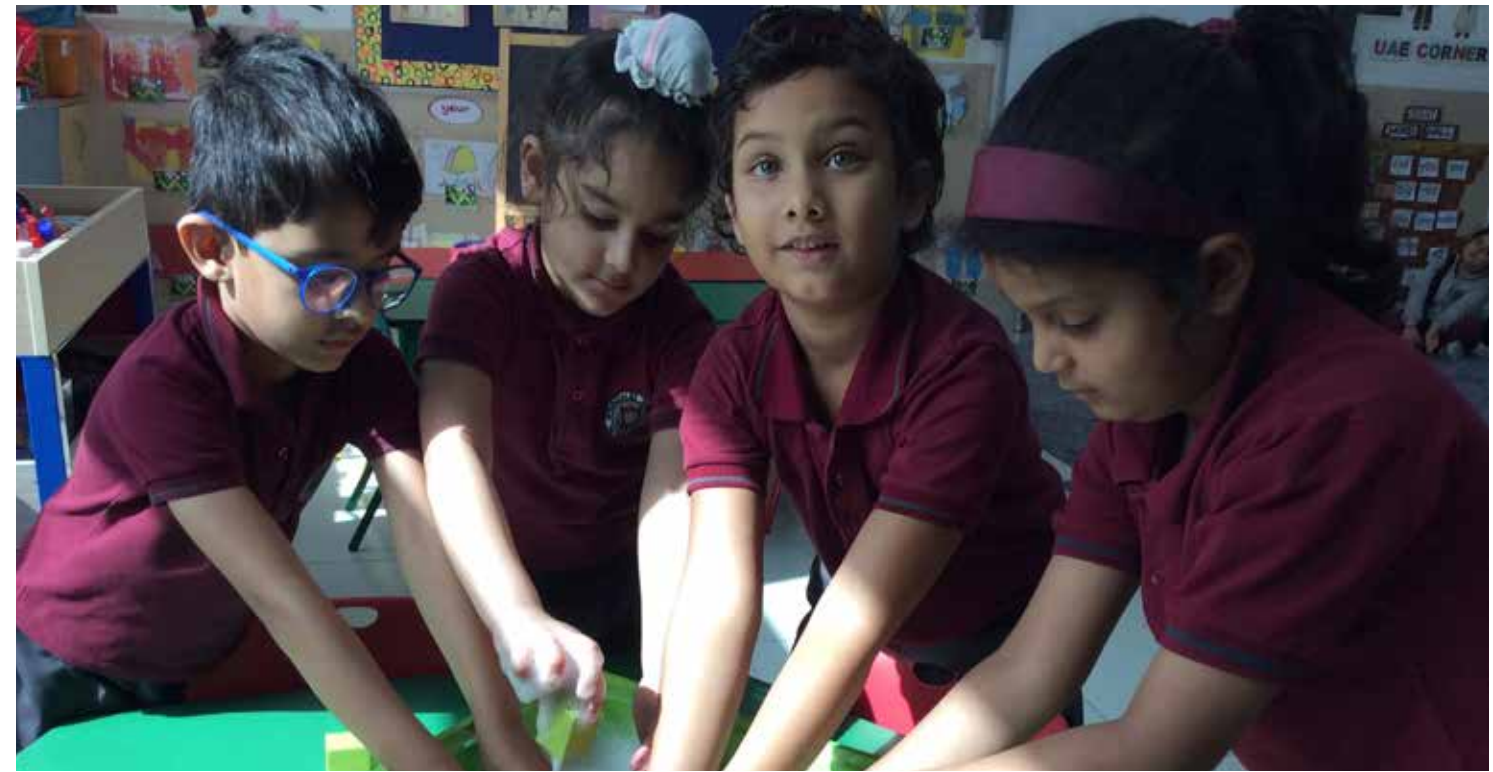
- Learners took part in swimming practice for the upcoming swimming gala event.





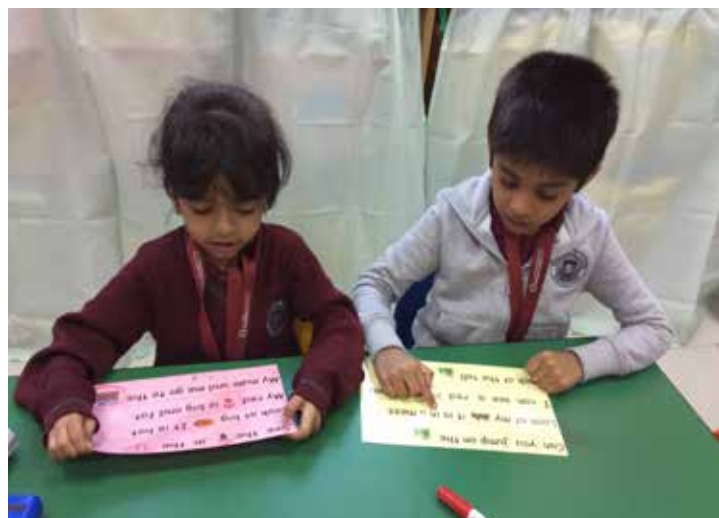












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PICTURE OF THE WEEK



Theme of the Month - The Sea

SUB TOPIC OF THE WEEK: Water Sport

UPCOMING EVENTS AND NOTICES

- Transition week: School timing for KG 2 students from 23.2.2020 to 5.3.2020 will be till 2:00 p.m.
- There will be no P.E. and Cookery session due to 'Graduation Day' Practice.

HOME CONNECTIONS

- Draw and write your daily routine using Time.
- Home Reading Assignment : Pg. No : 110-115

WHAT WE LEARNT DURING THE WEEK

LITERACY:

Learners were introduced to 'Wow Words'. They learned to describe the given objects using 'Wow Words' like a big apple, a small mouse a slithery snake etc. They revised all the sight words learned so far.

MATHEMATICS:

Learners learned to read the 'Time'. They learned the difference between Analogue clock and Digital clock. Children were telling time using Analogue time, they pretended to be 2 hands of the clock and other children told timings in O'clock. They did various hands-on activity indoor and outdoor related to time.

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD:

Under the topic 'Sea Sport' Children learned different types of Sea Sport. They compared the sea sports and found similarities and differences. At STREAM station they created their favorite sea sport.

EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGNS::

Learners used their own choice of materials to make Sea Sport of their choice using recycle material.

PERSONAL, SOCIAL, EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

Children discussed about the 'Sea sport' they expressed their thoughts and shared their knowledge about their favorite Sea sport. During field trip they learned about taking care of animals.

COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE:

Learners discussed about the Rainforest, animals and birds that they saw at their field trip to Green Planet. They shared their knowledge about different animals and their habitat.

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT:

Children practiced pushing, patting, throwing, kicking and catching objects.

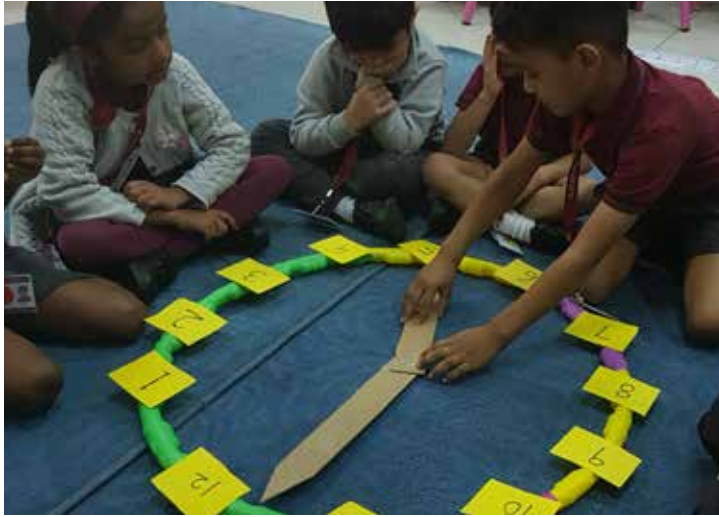
Arabic

Children learned the new Arabic letter yaa ي .











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