

Koala Room August 2022 Reflection 1

This month we celebrated Science Week which was held from the 15th- 19th of August. We wanted to do something special for science week and wanted to do something that the children could take home. We decided to make Sensory bottles, we had to gather up small bottles, coloured water, glitter and small beads. The children used droppers to fill their bottles with different coloured water, and we soon realized mixing all the colours turned our water dark green. The children then chose different beads and glitter to put into their bottles, they had to use their pinching technique to pick up the small beads and glitter and put it into their bottles. The children have been enjoying using their bottles to dance and shake with.

We have also started painting hands to celebrate National Aboriginal and Torres Islander Children Day which was on the 4th Of August. The children used the Aboriginal colours red, black and yellow to paint their hands and we plan to laminate them and glue them onto popsicle sticks and place them into the fairy garden. The children really enjoyed painting the hands and concentrating on painting in between the lines and fingers.

We have also set up a mini hairdresser's area in the Koala Room and added some pretend make up and hand bags. The children have been busy doing each other's hair and using the products in the correct manner. It's a great way to get the children to socialize with one another and to communicate what they want to do or what they are doing with each other's hair.

We had a special visitor last week our beautiful educator Sam came with her gorgeous little girl Avery. The children were very excited to see a little baby and enjoyed singing her songs and clapping their hands all together. It was so lovely for the children to see Sam as well, and we enjoyed listening about her beautiful little family.



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