A week review with the semillas.

¡Hola familias! This is our first installment of our weekly newsletter for our friends in Aftercare . Our week was spent on several different artistic projects.

On monday we explored the idea of creating costumes out of materials found in our school. Some of our amigues made masks out of garland and paper. For instance our amigue Autumn challenged themselves and created a whole look. A purse, mask and binoculars.





Moving into Tuesday we practiced cutting paper with scissors. Some of my friends are still learning to use this tool. With the scraps of paper we decided to collage. Some of our friends got frustrated by the scissors and began to use their hands instead. This new found freedom made the process much more tactile and rewarding.



Rolling into Wednesday we had a new amigue join us therefore we took the day slow with a bunch of books like Aaron el illustrador, Moon Rope and The class favorite Ella Bella Ballerina and Swan Lake. We also had some Sensory play with the kinetic sand.

On Thursday, after spending most the week indoors we took our classroom outdoors. With chalk in hand and pocketful of imagination we spent the afternoon in our neighborhood stopping to draw on the pavement. We even got to visit the Bear Cave (a garage on greene ave).





Friday we slowed all the way down, engaging in free imaginative play. One of our friends decided to work on a personal artistic project they've become very invested in, and we all engaged in deep sensory play with the kinetic sand. We made lots of different kinds of foods and shapes with the sand that has become a staple of our classroom.







WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU ALL NEXT WEEK LOVE THE SEMILLAS MAESTRES!!!