





## **Preschool program-Literacy and Numeracy**

The older pre-schoolers are now able to write alphabets and numbers without copying. The younger pre-schoolers are motivated by older pre-schoolers and sit next to them, attempting to copy and learn from their peers. *W* used clipping curves to make numbers in ascending order from 1 to 15.

Learning areas: literacy and numeracy skills, concentration, memory skills, fine motor coordination, writing skills, learning alphabets and numbers, peer- learning





## Classifying animals as farm and jungle animals

The preschool children are excited to go to farm excursion next week. *Ms S* extended their interest by encouraging them to classify the animals as jungle or farm animals. Later, they worked collaboratively to create a zoo by using the animal figurines and wooden blocks. They were able to recognise and name the animals.

## **Group time:**

This week, the educators discussed and explained the rules for the farm visit, giving pre-schoolers the opportunity to think and reflect why we need to follow the rules. The pre-schoolers were able to retell the rules that we need to walk in the farm, hold teacher's hands, and be kind to the animals. *Ka* said that if we pat the animals we need to wash our hands

Learning areas: collaboration, classifying and sorting skills, creativity, becoming aware of the rules, reflective thinking



## **Moulding Playdough**

This week, the pre-schoolers enjoyed moulding the playdough. They moulded the playdough into different shapes by rolling using their hands, rollers and playdough shape cutters. La rolled playdough using his hands and made a cat, W also rolled the playdough into a nest with eggs in it, the younger pre-schoolers used playdough cutters to make shapes like heart shape or ginger bread man. Some children also enjoyed flattening the playdough into a pizza and then cutting it with scissors, practising their cutting skills.

Learning areas: fine motor coordination, bilateral coordination, cutting skills