



## A Peek Into Our Classroom Young Toddlers

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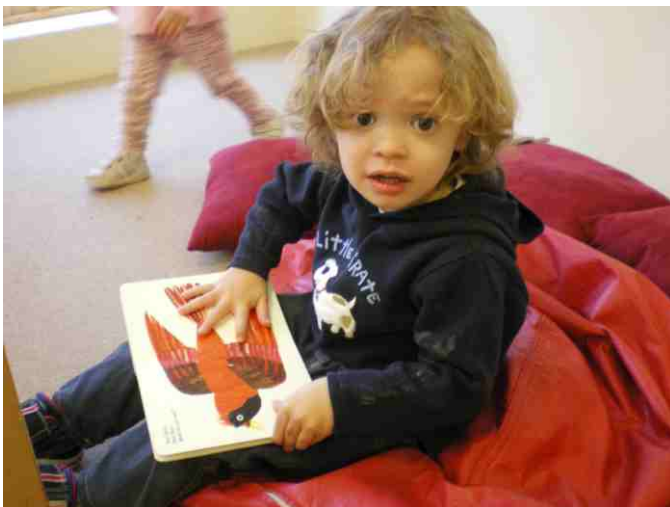
Zimmer Preschool

### What a wonderful sensory experience.

We encouraged the children to touch, feel, squish, mush and play with shaving cream. The texture was soft and warm. The experience was relaxing yet exciting.

The children said: It felt like “soap” and it was “soft.”

The children enjoyed this new experience and we will continue having more positive sensory experiences



This book has become a favorite in our class. “Brown, bear, brown bear what do you see..” The children gravitate to this book and enjoy reading it out loud to someone else or to themselves. They will turn each page and read out  
“Blue horsey, red bird, green frog, yellow duck, black bear..”



Knowing the colors is important since it gives us a tool to help us describe the many things around us. We use colors to describe the shirt that I am wearing or that my friend is wearing. We use colors to describe what ‘thing’ we want to hold, or what socks I want to wear today. Working on color recognition gives us the tools to communicate and explain what we see.

We would like to welcome our new classmate, Jack, to our class.



### **Holidays are Special Days:**

We have begun learning about the upcoming holiday, Passover. We experience the holiday with many hands on activities. Through this avenue we are exposed to some of the practices we do on this holiday - practices like eating matzah, pouring and drinking grape juice, reading the Passover story in the Haggadah book and having a Seder meal together with our friends and family.



We also learn holiday songs to feel the joy and the spirit of the holiday.

Over the next few days we will continue preparing for the holiday so please come in and take a look at our activities.

We have been snacking on matzah, cracking matzah and crunching it. This is one of the symbolic holiday foods we eat on Passover.

### **Come bake matzah with us:**

Wednesday, April 1  
9 am - 10 am

Parents do you have something to show and tell us about your family holiday celebration? Maybe a special artifact a way you celebrate, ect.. Please share with us on Wednesday after the matzah baking.

