

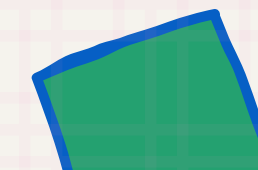
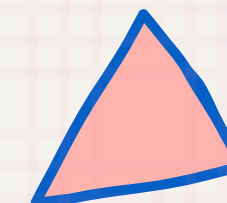
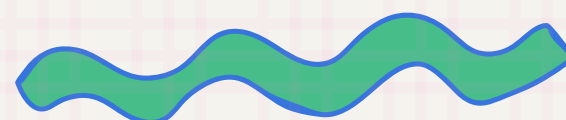
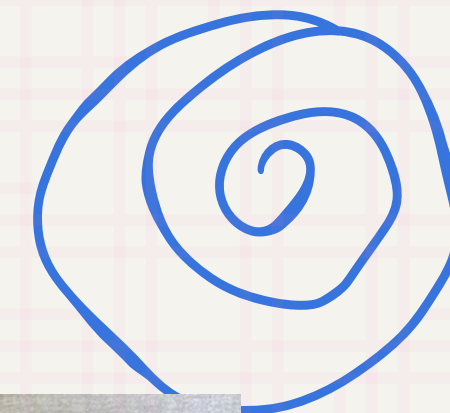
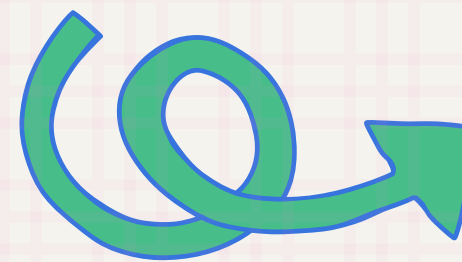
BEAR CLUB

Hello families, as many of you know, in the Bear Club we have a few special puppets named Pepito, Alfreda and Carlitos. They come visit every Friday and they tell the children different stories. These stories are related to different situations happening in the classroom including special events, peer interactions and different areas of development. Pepito and his friends share stories including birthdays, trips, friendship and sharing. The children can identify with these stories and interact with our puppet friends.

The following is a recent adventure that Pepito shared with the children:

Pepito went for vacation to the beach with his family. The Bear Club children helped Pepito to pack his suitcase. They were sorting clothing items by season to help Pepito choose between winter and summer clothing items

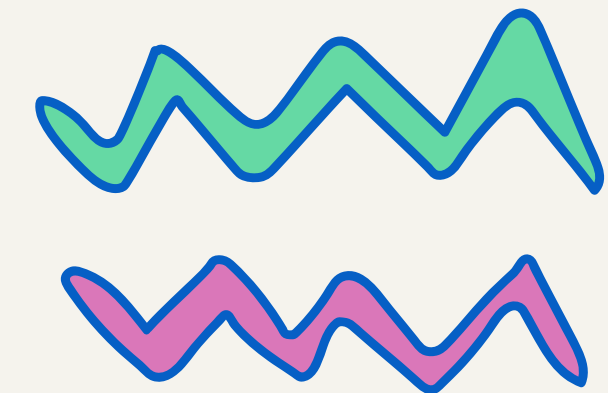
Pepito and his friend Carlitos had a fight over a toy. The Bears helped Pepito and Carlitos to resolve their conflict by giving them solutions.

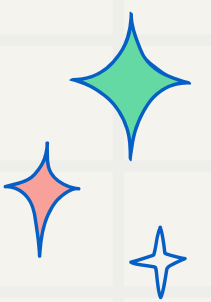




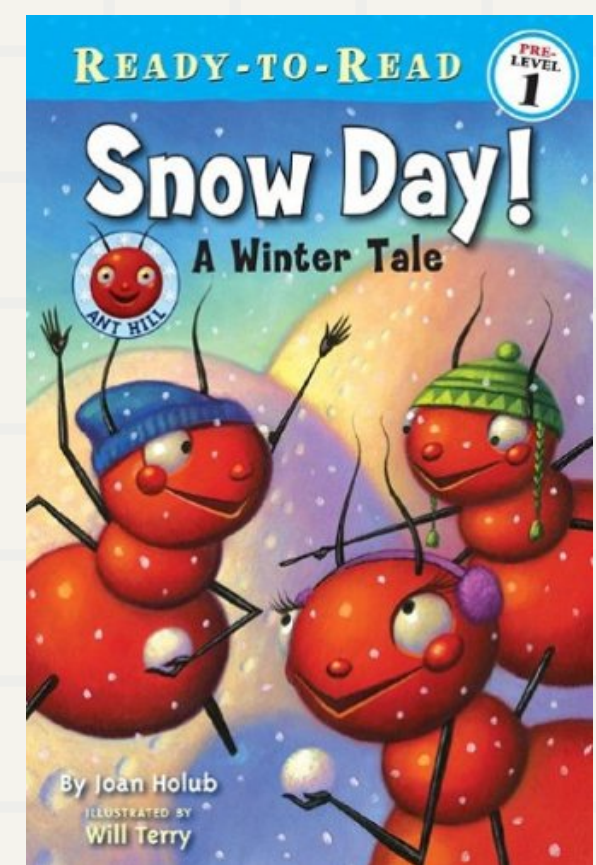
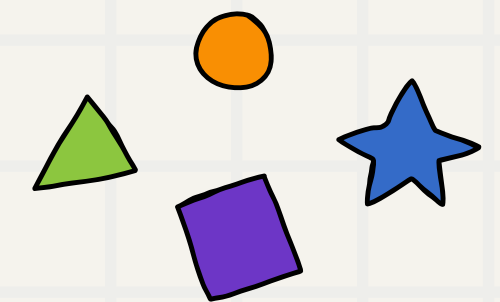
TEDDIES

THE TEDDIES ARE WORKING ON THEIR STEM ACTIVITIES THROUGH OPEN ENDED MATERIALS. THEY ARE DEVELOPING THEIR MEMORY, CREATIVITY, AND PROBLEM SOLVING KNOWLEDGE. THE CHILDREN HAVE CREATED STRUCTURES WITH MAGNETIC TILES AND BLOCKS THROUGH THEIR IMAGINATION.

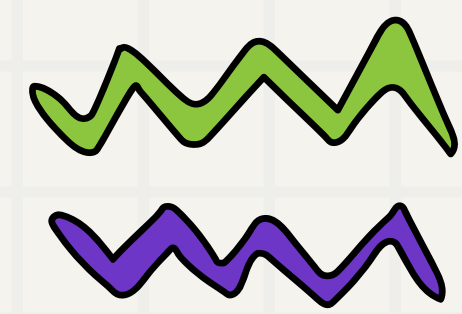




PANDAS



Snow Day! A Winter Tale by Joan Holub is a fun and engaging book that follows a group of young ants as they experience the excitement of a snow day. They wake up to find the world covered in snow and spend the day sledding, building snowmen, and enjoying winter activities.



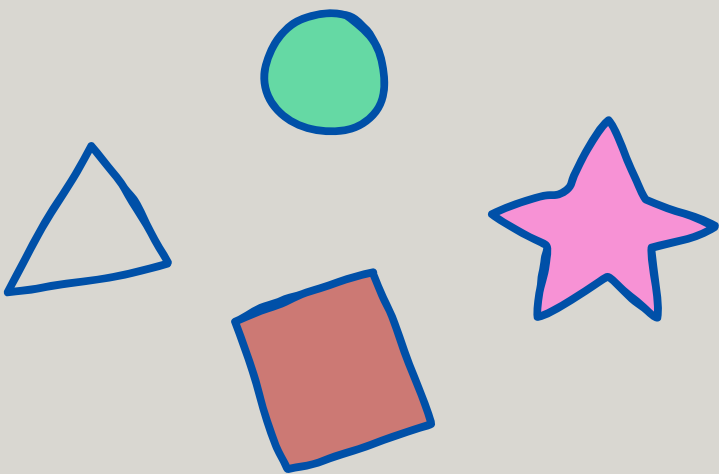
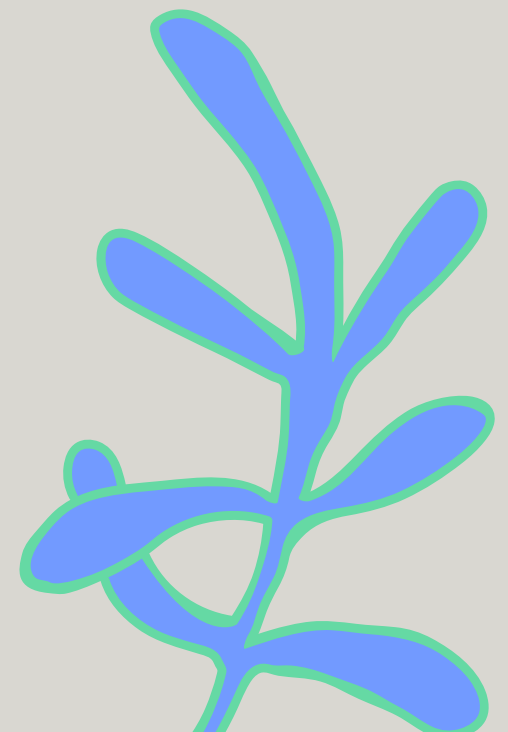
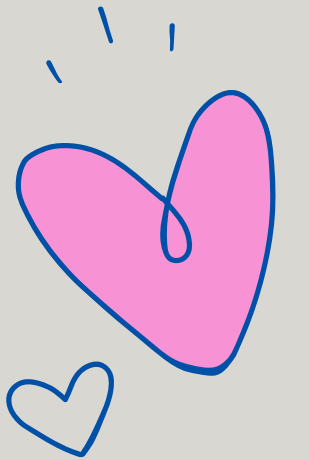
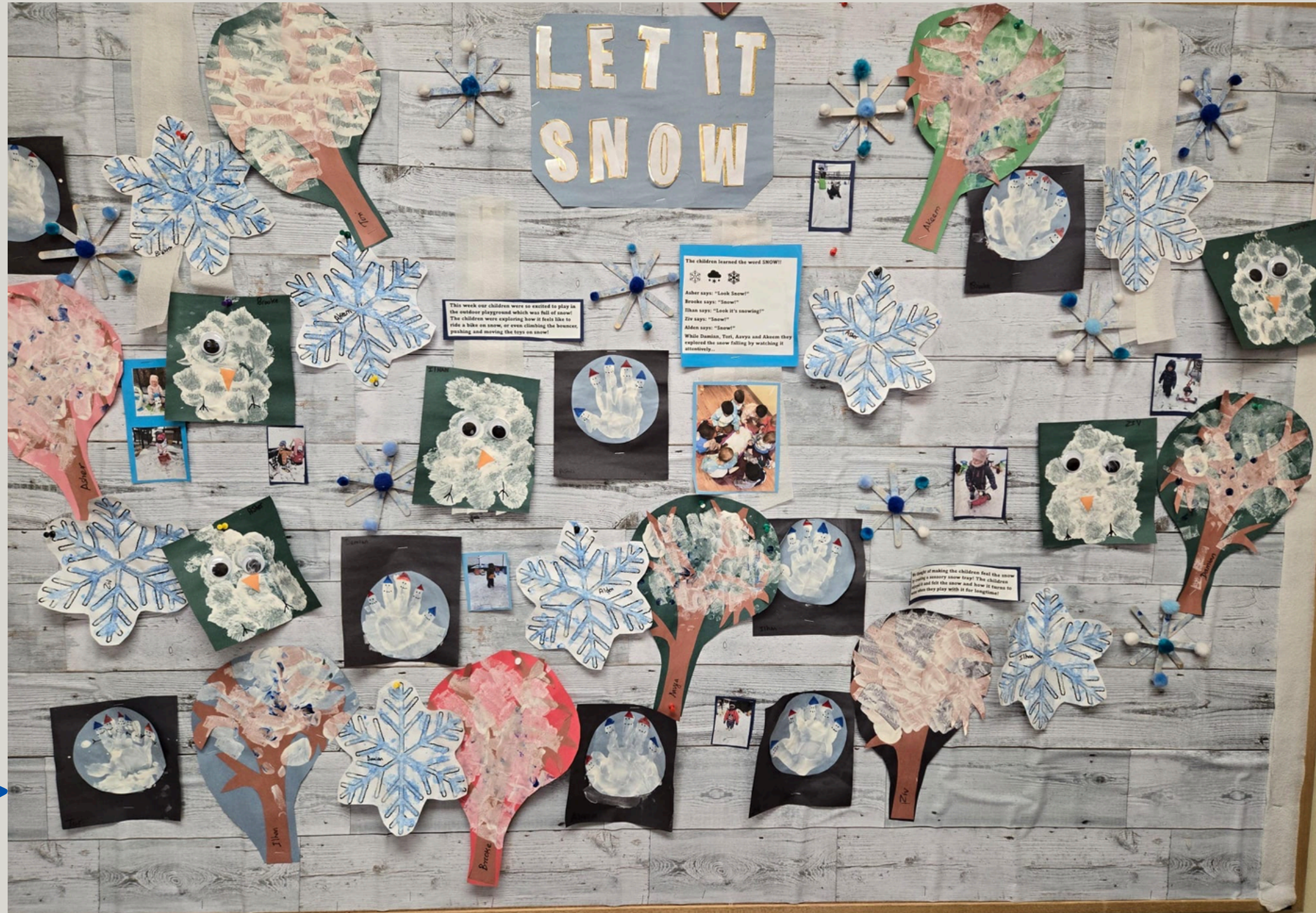
We asked the children questions such as "How do you think the kids felt when they saw the snow?" "What kind of emotions can you see in the book? Scared? Happy?" This allowed for the children to engage in discussions and comment to their personal experiences of going sledding with their families and friends!





CUBS

The CUBS are exploring their five senses with snow. Educators often bring the outdoors inside and the children have been building, climbing and feeling snow. The children explored what happens when snow melts and chopped through ice to find treasures inside. All of the children can say snow and they are developing their language skills through stories and songs.





KOALAS

Kindness and friendship in the Koala group

Love is in the air in the Koala group. This month the children are focusing on kindness. They are sharing and using gentle hands with one another.

They are also developing their dexterity and fine motor skills with different loose parts and painting activities.

