

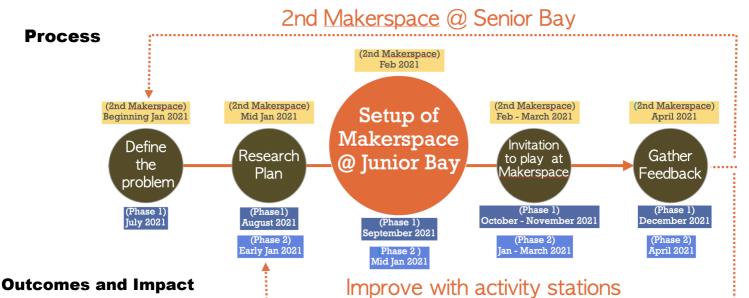
## MapleBear's Makerspace



This project is about creating a space for both children and teachers to engage in making and tinkering experiences through self-directed experience and collaborative work. It is a dynamic physical space where the art-making materials are constantly evolving. The Makerspace also plays a big role in promoting sustainability in school. A recycling corner was set up with recycled materials to promote simple recycling, reducing and reusing materials amongst the children and teachers.

## **Objectives:**

- 1. To provide a safe space with opportunities for children and teachers to freely access a range of open-ended materials and loose parts for tinkering and making experiences.
- 2. To encourage creativity through exploration and collaborative work.
- 3. To promote recycling, reducing and reusing in the school by raising the awareness and encouraging both children and teachers to use materials more sustainably and responsibly.



- 1. Enhanced creativity and cultivate problemsolving skills and perseverance in children and teachers through experimentation and handson learning.
- 2. Strengthened collaborative and social skills through group work.
- 3. Provided opportunities for children's holistic development and learning with real life experiences.
- 4. Developed a sense of environmental responsibility amongst teachers and children towards recycling, reusing of materials and reduction of waste.



