

Kinderland Preschool (Ministry of Education)

I love Pangolins' Carnival



Children helped to mind the game booth



Children painted the banner for the carnival

- Goals:**
1. To instill positive learning dispositions
 2. To nurture Kinderland's values & partnership with the community

At Kinderland, children are taught social and environmental responsibility at a very early age. We educate and empower our students so that they can play an important role in the conservation of wildlife.

Through a series of storytelling sessions that the children attended at the zoo, they learnt how pangolins are poached for their meat and scales which resulted in a decline in their population. Children then embarked on an experiential learning initiative for the Little Entrepreneur programme which involved children in the sale of their specially designed water tumblers, posters and setup of the "Pangolin Snap" game booth at the zoo carnival.



Children decorated water tumblers using different art mediums

Kinderland Preschool (Ministry of Manpower)

I Love Pangolins' Carnival



Posing for a picture with Min(SF) Tan Chuan-Jin



We learnt about endangered animals eg. the marmoset and the komodo dragon



The children designed a backdrop for their photo booth

Through the story "Why did the Pangolin Cross the Road?", the children became curious about Pangolins and searched the internet and books for more information on Pangolins. They learnt that Pangolins are nocturnal animals and do not see well in the day. The local Sunda Pangolins are endangered because they were victims for their meat and scales. Deforestation also destroyed their homes. An educational talk at the zoo on Pangolins sparked the children's eagerness to raise awareness of the Pangolins' plight and how everyone can do their part in saving them. The children brainstormed and did related projects which cultivated in them a sense of care, appreciation and respect for the animals and the environment.



Look at our handmade messages!!

Kinderland Preschool (Ministry of National Development)

Making a Difference in Our Own Little Ways



Children helping one another as they bake cookies to be sold at the carnival



Cookie jars decorated with different illustrations of pangolins

The children's works of art aim to raise awareness about the endangered animal.



The children were first introduced to Sunda pangolins through storytelling and a trip to the Singapore Zoo. They were also educated on the different issues and threats these animals face due to human behaviours, and the measures that can be taken to save them. They were then guided into thinking of a product to sell to raise funds to be donated to the Conservation Fund of Wildlife Reserves Singapore. They came up with the idea to bake and sell cookies. With the help of their teachers, they worked together to produce cookies and packed them into jars. They decorated the cookie jars with different illustrations of pangolins, all with the aim of raising awareness about the animal and the threat of extinction they are facing.



Teachers and children manning the booth at the "I Love Pangolins" carnival

Kinderland Preschool (Pandan Valley)

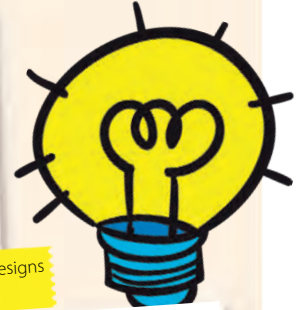
I LOVE PANGOLINS' CARNIVAL



The children in action selling our 'Biscuits in a Jar' during the carnival



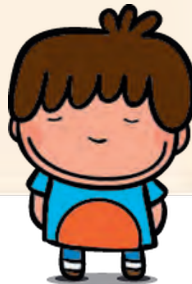
The children creating their own designs for the biscuit jars



The children re-packing the biscuits in the jar while observing food hygiene

The children at Kinderland @ Pandan Valley had the privilege to work together with the Wildlife Reserves Singapore to create an awareness of some of the endangered animals in Singapore.

As part of the project, Kinderland organised the 'I Love Pangolins' Carnival. The children at Kinderland @ Pandan Valley sold 'Biscuits in a Jar' at the carnival to raise funds for conserving Singapore's endangered native wildlife.



The children placing the tags and ribbons on the jars for added decoration

Kinderland Preschool (Republic Polytechnic)

I Love Pangolins' Carnival



K2 children painting the pegs that were given away as prizes.



Ambassadors practicing how to talk to others about their chosen animal.



Through the book, "Why Did the Pangolin Cross the Road?", the children learnt the danger that the pangolins face and brainstormed different ways we can help the pangolins survive, like driving slowly along Mandai Road, bringing awareness to people to not poach, sell or eat pangolins. In line with the "I Love Pangolins" Carnival, the K2 Caring created games to raise funds for the pangolins. They decided on "Knock the Ants Down" and "Pangolin Floor Puzzle". The children from nursery to K2 painted pegs that will be given away as prizes for the customers. The planning, preparation and the carnival brought awareness not only to the children, but to the teachers and parents as well that we should take the extra mile to help the pangolins survive.



Kinderland @ RP's booth

Kinderland Preschool (Revenue House)

Saving the Pangolins Begins with Us!



Children unleashed their creativity as they engaged in the designing of jars



Baking cookies with love to raise funds for the pangolins!



Children sharing their knowledge on pangolins with Minister Tan Chuan Jin

As an introduction to the project on wildlife conservation, children were educated on the characteristics and habitat of the Sunda pangolins through a series of story-telling sessions and a trip to the zoo. Children learnt about how the pangolins were hunted for their meat and scales, resulting in the decrease in their population. Together with the teachers, children embarked on an experiential learning initiative for the Little Entrepreneur Programme, which involved the baking of cookies and designing of cookie jars to be sold at the "I Love Pangolins" carnival. Children were also educated on the different kinds of endangered animals at the Singapore Zoo such as the slow loris, long-tailed macaque, reticulated python and the colugo.



Children raising funds through the selling of cookie jars

Kinderland Preschool (Sengkang)

Caring for Singapore's Native Wildlife Heritage



A child explaining to Minister Tan on the endangered native wildlife.



Children created handmade keychains using recycled sushi boxes.

This innovative learning experience has helped our children to recognize empathy and develop a heart of giving while encouraging a spirit of entrepreneurship.

In Kinderland, children are equipped to be life-long learners and global citizens with a heart. Our children's role as 'Little Pangolin Ambassadors' has helped them to develop an understanding on the importance of the environment's ecosystem and how we depend on each other to sustain living.

It was a heartwarming sight as our children and teachers worked together as one. The older children designed the keychains while the younger ones assisted in threading the ball chains through. With this, we have learnt that we can do our part in helping to save the endangered animals and stay relevant in today's ever-changing society.



Minister Tan trying his hand at the game and catching as many ants as he can!

Kinderland @ Singapore Polytechnic

I Love Pangolins' Carnival



Children attended the talk at the zoo to learn more about the Sunda Pangolin



Children worked as a team to pack the bookmarks!

This project enabled our children to work as a team and at the same time show their love towards the Pangolins by designing the bookmarks together.

Children were introduced to the Sunda Pangolin, one of the eight species of Pangolins found worldwide. To create awareness, children attended talks to learn more about the threats they face and what is done to conserve them. One such talk called for people to fight for illegal life trade and not to demand for Pangolin's parts. Our children also discovered that Pangolins play an important part in the forest ecosystem. With this, we created awareness by making Pangolin bookmarks and selling them at the zoo during the "I Love Pangolins" Carnival.



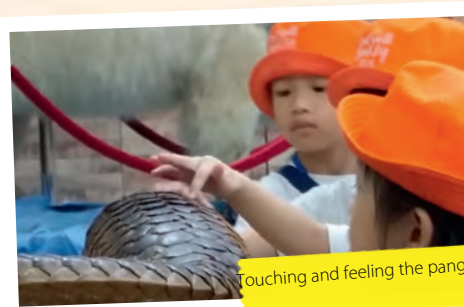
Children manning their stall at "I Love Pangolins" Carnival

Kinderland Preschool (Woodlands Civic Centre)

I Love Pangolins



Our proud supportive parents



Touching and feeling the pangolin scales



Children's first encounter with pangolins during the training session

"I love Pangolins" Carnival 2016 was supported by our parents. Parents were informed about the project and the carnival was held at Safari Square. We involved the parents in our children's learning experience and of instilling the value of caring. Our parents' presence at the carnival definitely encouraged and motivated our children to be champions of wildlife conservation. Minister Tan Chuan-Jin shared that, "Things can change and it begins with each of us trying our best to reach out to others and involve our children, they are incredibly big hearted."



Our confident children shared their knowledge about pangolins with parents



Kinderland Preschool (Woodlands Mart)

I Love Pangolins



Children selling the pangolin magnets to the parents



Children pasting sequins on the pangolin magnets



The objective of the "I Love Pangolins" carnival was introduced to children after attending the educational programme at the Singapore Zoological Garden. Children came up with the idea of making and selling two types of pangolin magnets in the Little Entrepreneur programme to create awareness about the plight of pangolins. For the sequins pangolin magnets, they cut templates from the coloured foam craft sheets and pasted sequins. For button magnets, they drew pangolins and wrote short messages on them. On the day of the carnival, children excitedly explained to parents about their magnets and belief in protecting pangolins.



Children packing the magnets that they had made

Kinderland Preschool (Yio Chu Kang)

I Love Pangolins



Children listening to a story of a pangolin found hurt at the side of the road



The bags are dipped in glue and fabric colouring to create the dip-dye effect



Children drew pangolin posters which were made into badges

"Why Did the Pangolin Cross the Road?" written by Ms. Emily Lim which is a real-life story of a pangolin found at the side of the road. It served as an introduction to the children about Sunda pangolins. Their knowledge about pangolins was further expanded through a visit to the Singapore Zoo where they learnt the dangers of extinction that these precious mammals are now facing. They had the opportunity to see a pangolin and learn about other endangered animals as well. Our children, together with their teachers then created dip-dyed bags with pangolin badges which were sold at the "I Love Pangolin Carnival to create awareness for the pangolins.



Children at the carnival selling the bags and badges that they had made



LEAP Kids Preschool @ Jalan Lana

Bonding with the Seniors



Children with the seniors after making the pinwheel



Children singing "The More We Get Together" for the seniors



Sandwich-making for tea break



It's always fun doing things together with the seniors!



For a period of 6 months, 16 Kindergarteners from LEAP Kids Preschool @ Jalan Lana did their part for community. The children were actively engaged with the seniors at Kembangan-Chai Chee Senior Activity Centre, located opposite the Centre.

During each session, the children did fun and exciting activities with the seniors such as singing, painting, craft works and sandwich-making.

The children continue to meet up with the seniors to carry out hands-on activities each month. The seniors always look forward to meeting the children each month.



Foam egg painting



Learning Vision @ Solaris

Learning to Care



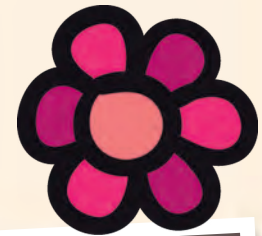
Fundraising Poster



Children manning the stalls



A member of the public donated rations and exchanged them for artwork



Through the theme 'Community Action Project', the children embarked on caring for the elderly. Children visited the Lions Home for the Elderly, played games, exercised with and performed for the elderly. After discussing the needs of the elderly, the children brainstormed for ideas on a fundraising event to be held at the end of the term.

They decided to create a variation of craft work to be exchanged for dried rations. After learning about caring for the elderly, the children worked together, creating posters to build awareness on ways to take care of the elderly. They also gave out flyers to the public and parents about our Fundraising Event on 29th August 2016.



Performing for the Elderly

Little Big Preschool

Bucket of Love at Jalan Merpati



This is our Bucket of Love to bless your family!



Knock..Knock..Anyone home?



Packing our 120 Buckets of Love for the Jalan Merpati Community

Inspired by a discussion on the word 'underprivileged', as a school, we initiated Bucket of Love to reach out to a community of families living at Jalan Merpati. We started by raising funds through our Family Day event on 23rd June at our school premise. We raised funds through a walkathon, art auction, and food sale. We used the funds raised to pack 120 buckets of staple food. On 21st July, K1 and K2 children, together with some parent volunteers and teachers, filled up the buckets with staple food and lovely cards made by all our children. We distributed all the 120 buckets. The children were happy that they could make a meaningful contribution to the community.



Fund Raising Family Day



Living Sanctuary Kindergarten

Scissors, Paper, Stone



Pre-trip activity with the elderly at Living Sanctuary Brethren Church



Little angels at PEACE-Connect



Hand-holding moment at PEACE-Connect

The project aims to nurture our children to be caring citizens growing up to play an active role in creating a kind and compassionate society.

The children watched our SSDB project last year and discussed amongst themselves how they empathized with the limitations the elderly face in their daily lives, hence, their decision to create board games for the elderly to keep them meaningfully occupied and happy.



Reflective practice put into action



Mahad Al-Nasry @ Tampines Kindergarten

Mahad Al-Nasry @ Tampines' "Gift of Plants"



Our "Gift of Plants" Project Field Trip to Gardens By The Bay



Our children planting plants of their choice into their painted pots



Arranging the plants for sale during our Centre's "Charity Plants Sale"

Inspiring little hearts and hands towards kindness for a better tomorrow



Our Kindergarten 1 & 2 children embarked on a "Gift of Plants" Project for our involvement in ECDA's SSDB Project.

Our children painted flower pots and planted different types of plants in class. We had a Project Exhibition cum Charity Plants Sale where the plants were put up for sale for our centre's parents and members of the public on 25th and 26th May 2016.

Proceeds from this sale was donated to "Jamiyah Home for the Aged" in Tampines where our children visited and performed for the Elderly Residents of the Home on 18th July 2016.



Our children visited and performed for the Elderly Residents of Jamiyah Home



MOE Kindergarten @ Blangah Rise

Love My World



MK children, KCare (Sparkletots) staff, parent volunteers and MK staff posing!



Exhibition of recycled craftworks

"We don't want to protect the environment. We want to create a world where the environment doesn't need protection."

The children MK@BR embarked on an exciting journey from 27 May 2016 to 29 July 2016. Their love was shown through four segments of the project:

1. Cleaning up Labrador Park
2. Collecting recycled materials
3. Making recycled handicrafts
4. Setting up a mini exhibition

The children learnt the value of recycling and appreciated their environment more as a result of this project. Their love for their environment was also shared with their families.



Clean-up at Labrador Park

MOE Kindergarten @ Dazhong

We Can Help Although We are Small !



Collecting old newspapers from the neighbourhood HDB blocks



Visit to Ren Ci Nursing Home



Collecting litter with help from mummy !

In Term 1, we learnt to show love and concern for the elderly through a visit to Ren Ci Nursing Home. In Term 3, we learnt to 'Save and Love the Earth' by learning about recycling. We collected old newspapers and picked litter at Bukit Batok Nature Park. Our mummies helped us too ! We also spread the message to our friends in Dazhong Primary School.



We want to share with others our messages to save our earth!

MOE Kindergarten @ Farrer Park

A Day of Fun and "yum" with the Elderly Folks



Our children brought the elderly folks to the Gardens by the Bay



Our children built terrariums for sale



Our children baked cookies for sale

***Do small things
with great love.
- Mother
Theresa***

Our children have been reaching out to the elderly folks from Chung Hua Tong SAC since 2014. This year, their plan was to raise funds to bring them out for lunch and to the Gardens by the Bay. From April to July, the children worked diligently on the project. They built terrariums and baked cookies for sale. Our families were very supportive; the terrariums were sold out within a week. The cookies were sold at 2 schools. The people there were moved by our children's sincerity and the cookies were sold out quickly too. After months of preparation, the BIG day was finally here. Our children happily and thoughtfully chaperoned the elderly folks during lunch and through the Flower Dome. It was a truly meaningful day for all of us at MK @Farrer Park!



It was a truly meaningful day for everyone at MK @FP



MOE Kindergarten @ Punggol Green

Thank you Gong Gong, Atuk and Tata



We warmed the hearts of the elderly with our laughter, activities and hugs



Children and their parents used recycled materials to make flowers for the elderly



One of our children doing finger-painting together with the elderly

We believe it is important for our children to learn about respect and care for people around them. Our children embarked on the SSDB project which aimed to extend their reach to the elderly. They brainstormed for a name for the project. It reflects the different languages and captures the same respect they have for their elderly. Punggol Green Primary School's students and parents donated sundries during the Lunar New Year Celebration. During the Hari Raya Celebration, the elderly initiated and led the children in a dance. Our children enjoyed the company of the elderly and loved involving them in their activities. This project has nurtured among the children the caring and respect for their elders.



We shared our collection of sundries with the elderly in the centre

MOE Kindergarten @ Punggol View

Sharing is Caring



Our children nurturing the plants together with the elderly



Our children and teachers all ready to share their love with the elderly



Our children and elderly sharing happy moments together through craft work

Children from MOE Kindergarten @Punggol View have been visiting the elderly from Bright Hill Evergreen Home. They made craft and nurtured plants together, sharing happy moments. Children discovered the joy of caring for others.

As the sense of empathy and responsibility grew, our children and teachers wanted to do more for the elderly. Hence, they conceptualized the idea of making soap with scent extracted from the plants that were nurtured by the elderly.

The handmade soap will be on sale at our kindergarten's Flea Market to raise funds and bless the elderly.



Children, teachers and parents making soap together



MOE Kindergarten @ Tampines

DreamBig Playground: Inclusion starts with me!



Experiencing an inclusive merry-go-round on wheelchairs



"Is this equipment suitable for my friends who cannot see?"



Acquiring inspiration from nature to include into their play space

"We want Singapore to be our home... where we build a compassionate and inclusive society, leaving no one behind."

- Mr. Lee Hsien Loong (2016)

DreamBig Playground – Designed by children for children.

Our goal is to create an inclusive and interactive play space where children of varying abilities can enjoy a play experience in unity. Through problem-solving and experimentation, the children gathered inspiration from existing playgrounds and designed a play space.

This design, which perfectly captures their imagination and perceptions, will be used as a proposal for a new play space for our community. This project embraces diversity and encourages our young learners and future leaders to become advocates for a special community of individuals.



Enjoying the wheelchair-friendly "AeroGlider" at Canberra Park

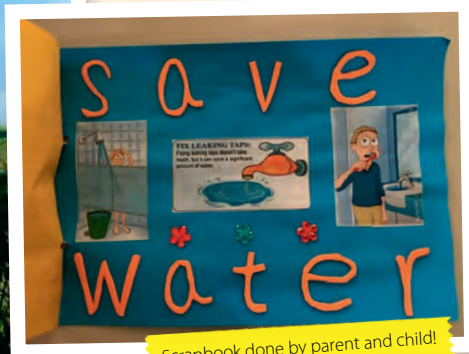


My First Skool @ Anchorvale Link Blk 314A

Every Drop Counts!



A field trip to NEWater Visitor Centre.
Children had fun!



Scrapbook done by parent and child!

Everyone had an invaluable opportunity to broaden their horizons and contribute ways to conserve and save water

Children are never too young to make a difference in helping to save the Earth. My First Skool @ Blk 314A Anchorvale Link embraces our belief that learning for children should be fun, joyful and inspiring. Through this project, we aim to deepen children's understanding on how they can play a small yet important role to save water. We also collaborated with parents in creating scrapbooks with children at home. Teachers shared ideas and resources and came up with a recycling "Raingarden" project. Children are also encouraged to draw or write about what they had learnt from the visit and reflected on their experience.



Children learning and enjoying themselves



My First Skool @ Ang Mo Kio Blk 601 Avenue 5

Doing a big part with little hands



Children teaching the elderly in St. Luke's Eldercare Centre how to make pinwheels



Children and teachers posed for a picture at St. Luke's Eldercare Centre

The children were full of pride as they brought the food items to St. Luke's Eldercare Centre, sang songs and interacted with the elderly.

The Nursery children of Ang Mo Kio Blk 601 brainstormed about what they could do for the elderly in their neighbourhood and came up with different ways they could help. The children created craft work which they could 'sell' to their parents in exchange for foodstuff to be brought to St. Luke's Eldercare Centre.

After weeks of effort, the children were ready to present their work to their mummies and daddies. The children also created a pledge with their parents, making a promise to do their part for the pioneers around them.



Children selling their art work to parents and receiving foodstuff in exchange.



My First Skool @ Bishan Blk 236

Let's give with love!



Children performing National day songs for the elderly



Teachers and children "sold off" their artwork in exchange for dry rations

"It's not how much we give, but how much love we put into giving"
-Mother Teresa



As part of our efforts to nurture compassion in our children and to encourage them to care for the community, we decided to have a carnival to collect rations from parents and donate them to SilverACE@Whampoa. The children were very excited and involved in packing the rations collected.

We engaged parents in this community effort by inviting them to our Racial Harmony Carnival and also invited them to join us for our trip to the Eldercare Centre. Parents and children had a meaningful time interacting with the elders, and in relation to National day, the children also performed some National day songs for our elderly.



Children packing the rations collected from the carnival



My First Skool @ Bishan Blk 153

Together, we can achieve more!



Big things often have small beginnings..



The children performing for the Elderly @ Lion's Home



Giving out our rations to the residents..

Our project is about helping the Elderly. As we are situated near the Lion's Home, we decided to do a donation drive for them. We held our birthday carnival where parents brought in rations in exchange for games/crafts at the booth. We are thankful for our supportive parents!

We set off to deliver our rations after that. The children had a wonderful time interacting with the elderly and performing for them.

The children learnt to appreciate the elderly better and that it is important to care for them.



We rise by lifting others...





My First Skool @ Bishan Blk 245

Celebrating Ageing



Seniors sharing their creativity and skills with our youngsters



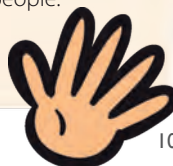
Children and seniors participating in our "fan art activity"



K2 children with their dance performance

My First Skool at Blk 245 came up with the project title "Celebrating Ageing" in connection to the chosen beneficiary, St. John's Home for Elderly Persons.

As part of the project, the K1 and K2 children helped by encouraging parents to donate food which they brought to St. John's Home on 5th September. In line with this, the children prepared a song and dance presentation in English and Mandarin. Furthermore, they also did a "fan art activity" together with the elderly to show their kindness and appreciation towards them. This activity also benefited the children in gaining self-esteem as they were given the opportunity to perform in front of different people.



K1 and K2 children with their teachers and principal Ms. Rabeah



MY First Skool @ Boon Lay Blk 180B

SSDB: InnoTic-Bot Project



A Visit to NTUC Elder Care Silver Circle 15 July 2016



The Launch of 'Start Small Dream Big' (SSDB) group photo (Kindergarten 2)



Making InnoTic Bot- terrarium bottles for plants

Parents and children were encouraged to participate in the empty bottles collection drive. The parent volunteers and children created the InnoTic Bot- Terrarium pots by cutting the bottles and making them into pots for plants. In conjunction with ECDA's Start Small Dream Big project, parent volunteers and children visited NTUC Eldercare Silver Circle and created InnoTic Bot terrariums. Through this collaboration, children learned to be caring, compassion and learnt to contribute back to the society. These InnoTic Bot Terrariums were sold in a barter trade event on 13 August 2016, Saturday. The contributions were donated to The Red Pencil Singapore.



Upcycling Barter Trade Carnival Event: InnoTic-Bot



My First Skool @ Bukit Batok East

Caring and Sharing Begins with you and Me



Children got to interact with Ms Zara about guide dogs



"Guide dogs help blind persons to make their life easy," Kyra Chng.

The children learned that Labrador Retrievers were the preferred breed because they were as calm, loyal and intelligent as guide dogs.



My First Skool, Bukit Batok East chose to help The Guide Dog Association of the Blind by raising funds. They were chosen as the children showed interest in animals.

The centre was transformed into a Charity Funfair with game stations. The highlight of the Charity Funfair was when the guest Speaker, Ms Zara, came with her guide dog, Ria. She explained the importance and usefulness of a guide dog to a blind person.

Children had opportunities to participate in a fun and sincere way to help others in a "Caring and Sharing" manner.



Balloons and popcorn were also made for sale to raise funds for the association

My First Skool @ Bukit Panjang Blk 235

Spreading Our Love under the Moonlight



The Mastermind of the charity event - K1 children



Focusing on the task with creativity and love

We are full of anticipation for a fun and meaningful evening.

The event will be ready to kick off on 9th Sept 2016!

During the Mid-Autumn Festival, people from different parts of the world celebrate love, peace, prosperity and family union. Children, teachers & parents at My First Skool (Bukit Panjang) wish to spread the same love and peace to the elderly at St John's Home for the Elderly Persons through our Mid-Autumn Celebration & President's Challenge "Start Small Dream Big" 2016 Charity Event. Other than the performance & festival booth, the K1 children who are in "Start Small Dream Big" will be setting up Charity game stalls, craft stations, food counters and sale of children's artwork to help raise funds for the Elderly.



Checking the final product!

My First Skool @ Canberra Road Blk 303

Kindness To Those In Need



Visit to Darul Ihsan Orphanage Home
17 June 2016



The K1 children danced happily to the music

To be kind is more important than to be right. Many times, what people need is not a brilliant mind that speaks but a special heart that listens.

The K1 and K2 children were so eager to meet their new friends at the Home. They also contributed in the form of donations. The children were excited to present their songs and dances. They spent time together for a topic discussion and played some games. The activities enhanced the relationship and communication between the children and their new friends.



The K2 children displayed confidence as they sang and danced with their peers.

My First Skool @ Chin Swee Blk 54

Let's save our wild animals!



Artworks that were inspired by their trip to Sungei Buloh



Children made a mini Sungei Buloh using clay and paint



Looking at the fishes and insects in the mangroves

On 19 May 2016, the children went to Sungei Buloh Nature Reserve as part of their Start Small Dream Big project. They were excited to go to the Nature Reserve where they had the opportunity to see and interact with the animals. They learnt about the different types of animals and their living habitats, as well as how to protect the wild animals and the environment that they live in. After the visit, the children created 3D artworks of Sungei Buloh. A poster on the "Do's and Don'ts at a Nature Reserve" was also made to share their understanding of the project.



The children spotted flying fishes and monitor lizards

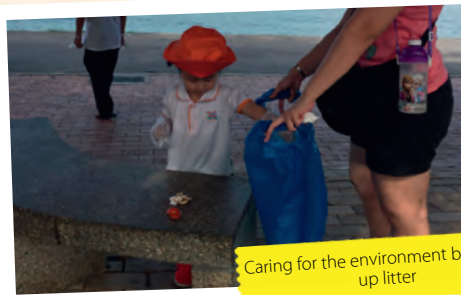


My First Skool @ Choa Chu Kang Blk 212

Saving our Environment



Thank you to our Park Cleaners!



Caring for the environment by picking up litter



Litter-picking at West Coast Park

We collaborated with our community partners to spread the awareness of saving the environment to the public. We picked up litter and participated in different games with our parents and members from Chua Chu Kang Zone 4 RC at West Coast Park. Minister Gan Kim Yong joined us too! We made Thank You cards together with students from Millenia Institute to show our appreciation to the park cleaners at Choa Chu Kang Park. They were very happy to receive our heartfelt thanks and gratitude for keeping the park clean. Students from SVPS came to teach us about upcycling. We made a photo frame using cereal boxes. Saving the environment is so much fun!



Upcycling activity by South View Primary School



My First Skool @ Choa Chu Kang Blk 208

Visit to St. Luke's ElderCare



One of our K2 children making a sponge challenge with an elderly



The elderly and children drawing for each other

"Giving is not just about making a donation, it is about making a difference" - Kathy Calvin

In conjunction with the community project Start Small Dream Big (SSDB), we are encouraging children to be more innovative, to problem-solve and tap on their strengths to help others.

By providing this platform for children to participate in community involvement, children will be given the opportunity to do their part and contribute back to the society. As such, children will be engaged in activities such as carrying out sponge challenges, drawing and origami-making with the elderly.



"Let's see if we can make the highest tower for our sponge challenge!"

My First Skool @ Blk 128 Geylang East Ave 1

Let's spread kindness!



We educated children to spread kindness and graciousness to the people in the community by visiting the elderly at Geylang East Home for the Aged.



Group photo taken at Geylang East Home for the Aged



The children performed a Chinese New Year song for the elderly

As part of the 'Celebrate Kindness!' journey, children of My First Skool at Blk 128 Geylang East visited Geylang East Home for the Aged to celebrate Chinese New Year with the elderly on 22 February 2016. Children performed Chinese New Year songs for the elderly and presented oranges to them. Mr Tan, one of the parent volunteers also dressed up as Fortune God to bring joy to the elderly.

On 21 June 2016, children and teachers visited the elderly again to celebrate Kindness Day. Other than singing and dancing, children made soft and chewy cookies for the elderly too. They also wrote kind words on the Singa cards and proudly presented them to the elderly.



Children made cookies for the elderly at Geylang East Home for the Aged.

My First Skool @ Holland Drive Blk 18

Social Good Made Easy!



The K1 and K2 children of MFS Holland



A teacher guiding a child in class

*Through this project,
we aim to have
anyone- children,
adults & seniors, with
their own unique
capabilities to be
agents of social good.
It is that easy!*

Project Social Good Made Easy is a My First Skool Holland initiative to engage socially, and build relationships in the community while doing social good.

One of the experiences of Project Social Good Made Easy involves children and teachers of MFS Holland to delve on the topic of Singapore's seniors. The children will gather information and knowledge about the ageing population and the different ways that we can help the seniors in our community to cope with aging. The children will also collaborate with the seniors at St Luke's Eldericare on art and craft sessions.



Learning and gathering information together as a class

