Ya Ya After School Digest

MY AMAZING BODY

We are so happy to welcome back many alumni as well as new friends to our Afterschool Ya Ya program! The children showed such enthusiasm in diving right into our first topic "My Amazing Body" (奇妙的身體). Through many interactive games and activities, we learned all about our body parts, from head to toe, and many of us were especially amused about our belly buttons. The games were a huge hit among the students and there was so much laughter during class time! Each age group has their own favorite activity. The big kids group (6-8y) loved the game where they had to use their legs, thighs and knees to pass the Bao Bao plush into the bucket. In the other age group (4-5y), their favorite game was the limbo dance and they were so proud of themselves after they succeeded. In our youngest group (2-3y), they had so much fun carrying a ball with their arms while walking on a straight line. For every topic, we provide topic support materials such as **Ya Ya Big Book** and **Ya Ya Vocab Card** as extra support materials. Be sure to click the cloud bubble below to check them out!

> **CLICK** here to read Ya Ya Vocab Card & Ya Ya Big Book





Through small and whole group activities designed for experiential learning, our students not only learned about the names of each body part, they also studied their body functions, organs, and explored their five senses. There is never a dull moment as the students kept themselves very busy with themed activities and projects, whether it is smelling different items and making guesses, or dressing up as doctors and dentists. There were many opportunities in practicing their Mandarin during these pretend interactions. We hope you will get a glimpse of the actions happening in our classrooms through these photos!





Let's practice writing \equiv and how many can you find with your eyes?



Let's make a dental hygiene set, try limbo dance, and balance the ball with our arms!









Create self-portraits, take the Ishihara Color Vision test, try to hold a pencil with our mouth, or learn about how our lung works!











Let us guess whose cup has salty water!







Use your eyes to spot the differences between two pictures!



Who is good at using our legs to pass 橘子寶寶 (Bao Bao plush)!?







