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# SUI Project Learning

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# Overview: What Is Project Learning?

- Based on the interests of the children
- Teachers facilitate learning by motivating the children's curiosity about the world around them—teachers observe their interests and ask questions to draw out ideas
- Balance of the mind and the heart
- Stir interest through books, stories, videos, fables, dramatic play, research and the environment
- Invite experts in certain fields to impart their knowledge onto the children
- Greatly encourage parents' participation in the learning
- Aim to make learning active and real in a way that can be applied to daily life



# Last Year's Project Learning (2021-2022)



## First and Second Semester

- the seed project
- the death of the sunflowers
- consulting with Ms. Haruka
- BIG things
- making a rafflesia





# Last Year's Project Learning (2021-2022)

## Third Semester and Art Exhibit

- the jungle
- making a T-Rex
- the jungle art exhibit



# Starting the New Year

- From jungle → to sounds
- Jungle sounds like “roar”
- Going to the station to listen to sounds

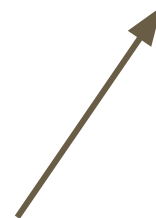




# Middle of the Year



- From sounds → to recycling
- Making instruments with recycled materials
- Learning about recycling and compost
- SUI Recycle City



# Second Semester

- From recycling → to compost → to planting tomatoes and photosynthesis
- “How can we recycle food?”
- Making compost and planting tomatoes





# Art Exhibit & Third Semester



- A showcase of the children's effort
- Recycling and tomato plants
- If plants use photosynthesis to grow, how do people grow?
- From photosynthesis → to digestion





# Open Discussion

Time for families to share their experience with trying Project Learning at home!

- Example: Mayuka's grandma writing a letter about tomatoes
- Example: Ayuto planting corn seeds

Let's have a lot of discussion and ask many questions. For the new K3 families, let's get comfortable with Project Learning!

