

## AUGUST 2011

As part of our Australian agenda, this month we've added NAIDOC, (National Aboriginal and Islander Day of Celebration) week, celebrating the culture, history, and achievements of indigenous people in Australia.

We celebrated it our way, by listening to Aboriginal stories such as 'Savannah'S Dream', in which a little girls shows her great imagination which teaches kids different animal names in koori. We also sang along to the Didgeridoo song, which we got to play, we also learned how the Australian aboriginies used to hunter for food using their boomerang; we concluded our activity by performing art craft inspirted by aboriginal themes, that were displayed in the playroom area.



As winter is well and truly here, therefore we've reduced the time we spend for outdoor playtime to 20-30 minutes play, and the kid's have been trying to make the most of it, as girls ran to get a pram and take their babies for a walk, one said:, I am going take my baby to the doctor, he hurt his finger, peer looked at her and said: is he ok?



As we continued working on the yellow colour, we went for an excursion around the backyard looking for all the dried up yellow leaves that have fallen from the trees, kids did a fantastic job finding them, then separated them by colour, shape, and size. Which then were used for our art craft session, painting them yellow and printing them out in a white piece of paper.



Chiquitos Family Day Care has started childcare enrolments for 2012, got vacancies on Monday and Tuesday at this stage, contact us 04 00874212