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Scene One

By Will



We wrote our own script and played theater games. The games were a lot of fun. We also spent a long time making props.

Scene Two

By Bode and Wynn

We have had a lot of fun during Week 2 of theatre intensive. We practiced some skits, our scene for the play, and played theatre games.

On Monday, Scene 2 learned our blocking and then split up and practiced our dance, a skit inside the play, and how to be a cloud of gas and dust from our scene. We had some extra play time outside and then played character games to help us get into character.

On Tuesday, we worked on the rest of our blocking, practiced our scene, played theatre games, and had a musical instruments rehearsal. We also had free time to work with science experiments and to choose work from the shelf.

On Wednesday, we had a snow day.

Thursday, we had a lesson on character and character worksheets, and we finished our blocking and practiced our scene on the stage. The musicians practiced their part for the opening all-cast number while everyone else practiced our closing number in Willow Classroom. We also went to art to finish making our props and set, and to music where we practiced all the songs and instrumental parts of the scene.

On Friday, we will gather to do a stumble-through of the whole play, including the all-cast numbers. Then we will practice our scene in our classroom and have time to explore all the lessons we have learned.



Scene Four

By Margaret and Matilda

The second week of theater we focused on volcanos through group lessons, science experiments, and creation of our props. Our favorite experiment was the underwater volcano.



Scene Three

By Avery and Evie

In the second week of theater we finished making our props. We did a rehearsal on stage. We played more fun improv games with Lisa like *Mountain Echo*, *Whoosh-Boing-Pow*, and *Saying Lines in Unusual Ways*. The musicians practiced Blue Boat Home and Koyaanisqatsi and making music for the dancers. The dancers finished choreographing the dance of the elements with fun movement. The scientists are excited that they get to wear lab coats. We had outdoor PE with Steve. We played the idiom game which is one of our favorites. We worked on forming our sphere with cardboard pieces. In art and music we worked on our props and our songs. We learned about the layers of the atmosphere, more facts about the universe, and created cosmic comics. At the end of the week we finished writing our actor biographies and took portraits.