

A Parent's Pen by Wai Meng (Dominic's mum)



I wonder how many of us parents have brought our children to the Alkaff bridge on the Singapore river and did not realize the 'story' behind it. Go ask your child about the artist behind the creation, the number of people needed to paint it, how many circles are there, etc. You'll be surprised the answers you get.

We arrived at the bridge at about 10:30am and took a walk across this beautifully painted structure. The children were asked to talk about what they see; thereafter they were given paper and crayons to draw. I thought this was a very appropriate activity. Well some of our children have the making of a great artist.

Next, we proceeded on to the Singapore Tyler Print Institute. The children were allowed to touch and feel some of the exhibits that were on display. There was also an organized tour to the factory where the children get to see how paper is made. They get to do a little splashing of water and poking their fingers into the paper pulp.



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I must say it has been a very fun and educational trip not only for the children but also for the parents too. After the trip, it dawns on me why my 4 year old son wants to give his teacher a drawing of circles a few days back!



* Pictures taken by Thomas (Mikayla's daddy)

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