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My sweet little girl “Bianca” was referred to We Play by the Bay Point First 5 Center. As her mother, I was concerned about a few things, including her speech, fine motor skills, and socialization. Since Bianca is an only child, sharing and taking turns was very difficult for her. I knew I needed ideas to help me support her progress.

During the playgroups, I spent wonderful quality time with my daughter – dancing, singing, playing board games, and going to the park – and I began to see important changes in her. By the end of our second session, Bianca’s vocabulary and fine motor skills had already started to improve. She was repeating words, able to hold a crayon, and showing interest in scribbling. Sharing and taking turns became easier as well.

I feel so grateful for this playgroup! I appreciate all the valuable information discussed in class and the weekly handouts are great reference tools.

I had previously been frustrated and worried about her, but this program really helped better my parenting skills and now I know what to expect. Learning different ways to recognize her needs and how to work with her has made a huge difference at home.

Bianca now enjoys playing with other children. She knows when circle time is beginning and she likes the songs, plus she loves to shout out her name!

~ Bianca’s Mom

**Names have been changed to protect the privacy of the children in our care and their families.*

We Care’s developmental playgroups provide parent/child playgroup sessions to assist a child when developmental concerns have been identified through a screening or assessment.

Playgroups are facilitated by an early childhood specialist and designed with fun activities to promote each child’s language and motor skills, problem-solving abilities, and social interaction.