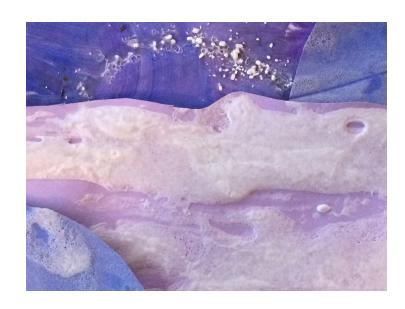
Grade K - 1 The Snowy Day Sensory Collage









Inspired by the artwork of Ezra Jack Keats, kindergarten and first grade artists created sensory snow papers using glue, shaving cream, tempera paints, and epsom salts. After exploring mark making, texture, and expressive painting, students followed a guided drawing lesson to draw and cut out figures based on the character Peter.

The following week, we returned to drawing and scissor skills by drawing and cutting out a winter tree. The project culminated in a lesson about landscape - identifying foreground, middle, and background. Drawing with their scissors, K-1 artists learned about the art of collage, cutting and layering our sensory papers to create dynamic winter landscapes, then adding our cut paper figures, trees, and more. Multiple gluing techniques were used with an emphasis on creating exhibit quality compositions. The summative assessment was a visual checklist to ensure all lesson objectives and criteria were met.

