Mantiqueira’s puppies - Escola Aleká

Theme/Place:
Outdoor learning - Santo Antonio do Pinhal / SP

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Context and objective:
Early Childhood Education Project at Escola Aleká/Serra da Mantiqueira. Children in adaptation investigated parental care of animals found in our territory - 100% outdoor classes.

Methodology:
We investigated how some of the Mantiqueira’s animals (Opossums, Monkeys, Birds and foxes) take care of their puppies. Based on the research and on a field trip to Renópolis Reserve, the children made records and art works that became a booklet.

Results:
We met animals that share the same territory with us, the Mantiqueira, making parallels with our lives. Throughout the project, we explored plastic materials and made writing hypotheses. We found out that many puppies need care and that we humans are the ones who need care for the longest.

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