

**“Imagination is the power of the mind over the possibilities of things.”** Wallace Stevens



My belief is that if we want to save our planet from becoming a waste dump then we need to work together as a community to reuse and recycle materials.

In our class we had been donated cardboard boxes and cardboard packaging material. The children used their imagination as they explored the possibilities of these open ended materials

A new idea, material or an activity may be interesting for short term, unless it fits in with children's interests and offers number of possibilities to pursue, they are unlikely to remain purposefully engaged. Together, time, space and materials provide 'invitation to act'.

Before the children began building we discussed some of the language related to construction houses.

My zaide is a builder  
My dad is an architect

