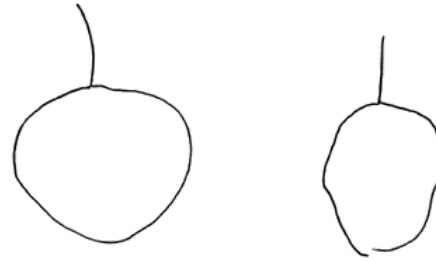


Creative Giftedness

THINGS GIFTED CHILDREN MIGHT SHOW BEFORE THEIR AGE PEERS

1 Features When Making Art

- Develop motor skills quickly
- Want everything to be perfect
- Pay close attention to detail
- Concentrates for a long time
- Aware of tasks to be done
- Ability to notice details
- High creativity
- Continually checks drawing and makes changes when needed



E.g., drawing of two apples by a creatively gifted 2-year-old.

2 What The Art Looks Like

- Uses outline to represent edge of objects accurately
- Draws differentiated shapes and details
- Can portray third dimension
- Advanced way of composing art
- Realistic style
- Creates balance in things using asymmetry



E.g., drawing of two apples by a nongifted 2-year-old.

3 Themes

- Mimics style of art valued in their culture



E.g., painting that many children could create after taking art classes.



E.g., painting that gifted children might make to mimic the style of art valued in Chinese culture.