Luke was playing outside on the lawn with the portable padded climbing shapes. He decided that he would like to design his own shape and began moving the pieces to form the climbing path he wanted. He experimented over and over rearranging the pieces in as many ways as he could think of, trying it out each time.

What next? Perhaps we could draw some designs next time. We could also use the “Waffle Blocks” to build with. Luke might enjoy helping to set up an obstacle course in the climbing area!

Evaluation
Luke! How creative you are. You have shown your ability to plan and design and build, as well as your awareness of shape and size (spatial concepts). You are able to share and turn take and negotiate and communicate with your friends. You were able to concentrate on the task in hand for a long time, and you were very involved in what you were doing.