

## New Places, New Programs

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### Singing Seedlings

**T**he children's playspace **apple seeds** has added a new kids' music program, "songs for seeds," for babies and children up to 5 years old. Each week the class features a three-piece band (guitar, keyboard, drums) that encourages kids to interact with music. Children can "join the band" by dressing up and playing an instrument, "sing with the band" as each of their voices are recorded to make up a group song, and "picture a song" by creating nursery rhymes through art and song. The program also "travels around the world," using music from a different country every week, and



includes magic tricks to illustrate numbers and counting. Each class is 45 minutes long, offered on a 16-week semester basis for \$592. apple seeds is located at 10 West 25th street. 212-792-7590; [www.appleseedsnyc.com](http://www.appleseedsnyc.com).