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## Even poop is cute at Japanese museum that encourages play



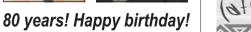
**CULTURE OF CUTE.** Two boys jokingly take cover as small toy poops gush from a giant poop-shaped inflatable at the Unko Museum in Yokohama, south of Tokyo. In a country known for its cult of cute, even poop is not an exception. A pop-up exhibition at the Unko Museum in the port city of Yokohama is all about unko, a Japanese word for poop. The poop installations at the museum get their cutest makeovers — they come in the shape of soft cream or cupcake toppings. See story on page 2. (AP Photo/Jae C. Hong)













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