



Sparrows & Wrens

Week Beginning 11/9/2023



What we are learning about:

This week we are reading 'starting school' by J & A Ahlberg, and thinking how their school day compares to ours.

We will be exploring our emotions, thinking about the different feelings we have had on starting school and what that means for us.

We will be getting used to our new routines, the days of the week song and our new school environment. We will explore our new areas and learn the rules for when we are in school and for the different areas.

We will learn our new classmates and teacher's names and thinking about our school 'community'.

We will be making our own maps to try and show our journey to school and explore different maps and views of the area.

Number of the Week

Matching, Sorting and Comparing.

Sounds of the Week

m, a, s, d

Ideas for at home:

Talk with children about how they are feeling and focus on the positives! What do they like about school? Can they name one fun thing from today?

Ask children who their new friends are or play a game to see how many of their friends names they can remember. You could set them a challenge to tell you one new person's name that they have learnt each day.

Point out various focal points on your way to school together, such as the coop, the Hub etc and ask children to see what they notice.

Help children to practice writing their first name (with only a capital letter at the start) to help them label their work in school.

