



## A SUPER FIRST WEEK IN SCHOOL!

We have been so impressed with how well the children have settled into life at Sherwood this week! They have settled into daily routines and have started to form some lovely friendships. They have enjoyed exploring the range of areas in our indoor and outdoor learning spaces!

We have spent lots of time in our Key Worker groups, giving the children the opportunity to get to know each other as well as developing confidence to speak in front of others. The children have met their Key Worker soft toy character and played many games to help us learn each others' names.

We have been reading lots of stories around starting school. This has prompted some lovely discussion around our own feelings about starting school.



## NEXT WEEK

We start our '**My Family**' topic next week! We will be reading stories around a familiar setting, such as home or the park, and curriculum activities related to our families.

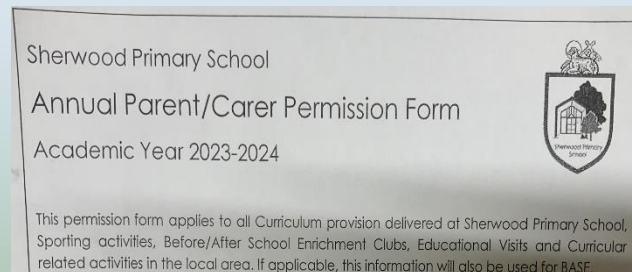
Next week, we will send your child's log-in details for **Seesaw** in their book bags. This will enable parents to access your child's Learning Journal and receive important messages from the EYFS team. Please ensure that you check and empty your child's book bag every day so that you do not miss any important letters.

## HOMEWORK

To practice putting on and taking off coats, jumpers and cardigans, including zips and buttons and sorting inside out sleeves. This will allow the children to be more independent when moving from indoor to outdoor learning spaces and in PE lessons.

## REMINDERS

Please kindly return your child's **Annual Parent/ Carer Permission Form**. This was given out in your welcome pack in June. An additional copy was sent home last week to those who need to complete it. Thank you.



Please **write names** on **all** items to prevent any being lost. This includes uniform, water bottles, bags and coats. Thank you.

There is an **information evening** for Foundation parents on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September at 6pm in the school hall. Lots of important information will be shared about our Early Years Curriculum and how best to support your child at home. We ask that parents **do not bring any children** to this meeting. Thank you for your support – we look forward to seeing you there!