

# Sunshine's Room News

Week beginning 16<sup>th</sup> January 2017



## Important Notices

### Cooking News

This term the children are going to be making animal biscuits. Cooking can't be done without the generous help of our parents. If you could spare two hours on a Tuesday or Thursday then please sign up on the notice board in the cloakroom area. Thank you.

## Song of the week

### 5 little Ducks

5 little Ducks went swimming  
one day,

Over the hills and far away,

Mother duck said quack,  
quack, quack, quack,

And only 4 little ducks came  
back.



(Repeat to 0)



## This week's theme

### Birds

This week the children will discuss birds by using the story of owl babies. They will also have the opportunity to be creative with feathers and other materials.

## Book of the week

Owl babies - Martin  
Waddell

## Sound of the week

Every week the children will be introduced to a new phoneme. This week we are

learning: **A**

## What we are learning..

Each week the children take part in four adult led activities to support their learning.

Activity 1: The children will be developing their listening skills by playing, listening and guessing animal sounds.

Activity 2: 5 Little Ducks, The children will act out the song continuing to practice counting backwards from 5.

Activity 3: The children will be listening and recalling the story of Owl Babies. They will join in with repeated refrains.

Activity 4: The children will be developing their gross motor skills and learning how to follow directions by becoming human beebots.

## New Vocabulary

Birds, Flying, Feathers, Nest, Eggs, Laying, Ducks, Hatching, Trunk.