



TAPS Transition @Home : Term 4 2021, Week 8 (24th November 2021)

We are very excited about you coming to our school next year – we can't wait to see your smiling faces. We hope that you are looking forward to starting Kindergarten.

This week, we have a story called STARTING SCHOOL. Before the story starts, there are some Kindergarten children who talk about what it is like being at school, what they have been learning, and how they felt. Listen closely to what they have to say! Then, the children take turns reading a page of the story each to you.

Here is the link to this week's story, **Starting School**:

<https://storyboxlibrary.com.au/stories/starting-school>

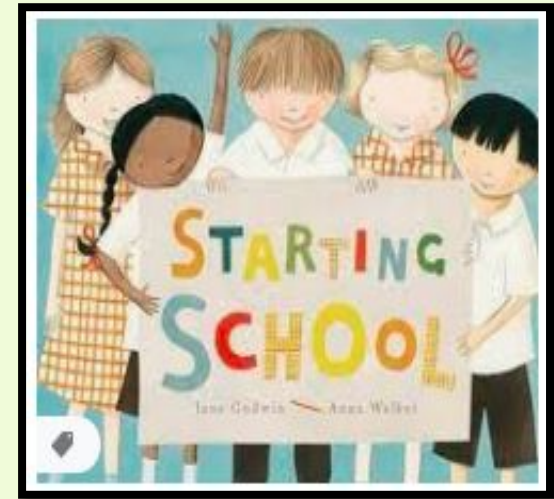
[Story Box - username = Thomas Acres PS; password = taps2021]

We hope you enjoy singing our fun songs for this week:

Back at School: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GnWH786zjgc>

Emotions Hokey Pokey: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZHS7vCdBeus>

Fruit Salad: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZCFSHFdh-Ig>



Remember to sing our weekly songs often - we provided these links last term, and we put them up on Seesaw for you at the start of Term 4: The Alphabet Song, The Number Song, and The Days of the Week Song.



We hope you enjoy some time playing, making, talking, sharing stories with your children and singing along with them 📖🎵.

Make sure you tell your child that we said hello 🙌😊

Mrs Sannio, Mrs Azevedo & Mr Pelaez



Craft time:

After listening to the story 'Starting School' talk about who your friends are at the moment.

What do you think you will tell new friends about yourself?

Reassure your child that THEY WILL MAKE FRIENDS!

USE anything you have at home to create a **drawing of yourself with a friend in a frame!**

Please see the **collage of ideas**, or copy our craft on the next slide.

Allow your child to have **FUN**, but with some direction!

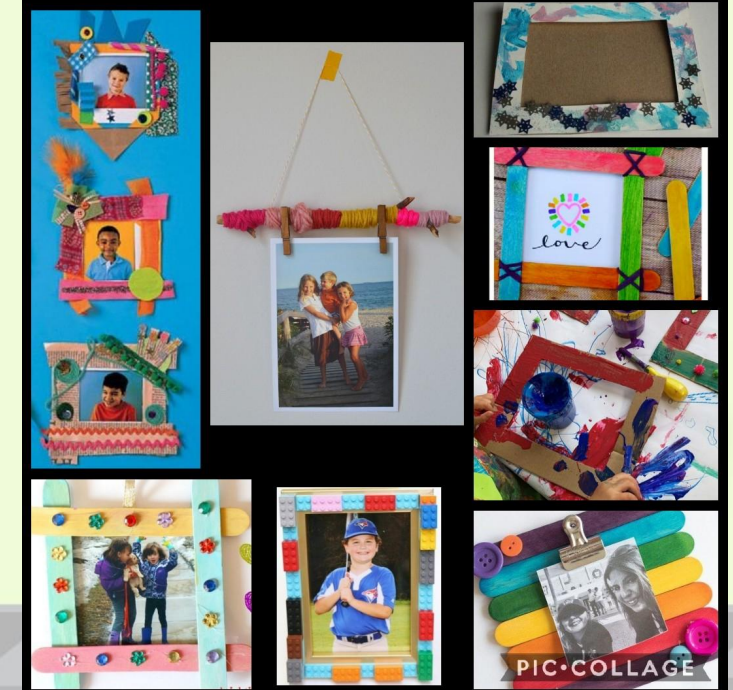
Allow your child to **follow simple instructions**.

WHY do we do craft? **To develop fine motor skills.**

They could draw, cut, print, collage, paint, colour, glue and so on to create their drawing of themselves with a friend in a frame.

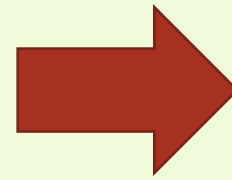


**** See next slide for our creation.....**



What we used:

- * We decorated our cardboard frame with flower pictures from magazines.
- * You can decorate it with anything you like!



Our Creation:



😊 **Have FUN!**

Write your name on the back of your framed picture!

*** Please SHARE your creations via Seesaw**

