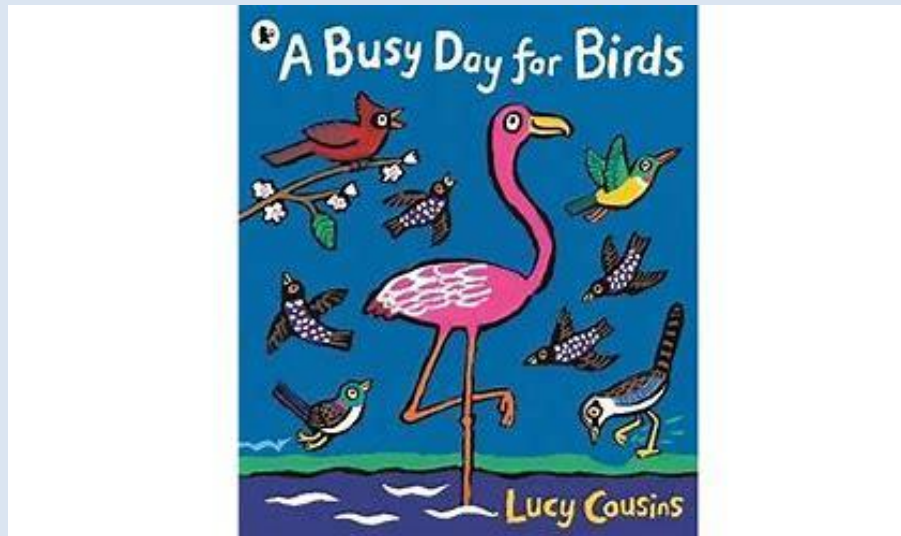


East Ayton Nursery School

24.1.22

Good morning to you all of our nursery children.

This week our main story will be 'A busy Day for Birds'.



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rPThRJA9cZ0>

As you listen to the story, maybe you can join in with some of the actions. Can you hop like a bird? Can you flap your arms like the wings of the bird?

Maybe you could go outside and see how many different types of birds you can see. Do you know the names of any of the birds that you can see?

Can you draw or paint a picture of the birds that you have seen? I would love to see your pictures.

We will continue with our phonics, this week we will recap all the sounds that we have learnt so far (s,a,t,p,i,n,m,d,g,o). You might like to listen to the Jolly Phonics songs by following this link; <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hIQ5L9xgU4g>

Maybe you could play a game of I Spy using these sounds. It would help if you could have pictures or objects beginning with these sounds to prompt the children.

During our Forest School sessions, we were going to collect lots of twigs, feathers, moss and grass and then build a nest for our baby birds to rest in. Maybe you could have a go at doing this at home, in the garden or if you are lucky you might get to go into Forge Valley to do this. Please share your pictures of this on Class Dojo, I can't wait to hear what you've all been doing.

In class we have been playing lots of different number games. A favourite one at the moment is underwater counting. You might like to show your grown ups how amazing you are at counting the different sea creatures.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/underwater-counting>

I hope you manage to find the hidden treasure!

On Friday, we had planned to go into Forge Valley with our binoculars for a spot of bird watching. Maybe you could make your own binoculars and head out into the Valley to look and listen out for the birds. This was to link with the Big Garden Bird Watch which takes place over the weekend.

Most of all, I hope you all have lots of fun and stay safe this week. I am looking forward to hearing and seeing what you have all been doing this week, please upload any picture onto class dojo so I can see all your amazing activities.

Hope to see you all soon.

Mrs Glenwright and all the nursery team.

