News & Updates

Give children a chance to share something new that is happening in their world with the group. You can highlight a child (or a few) each day/time, give every child a chance, or reserve for when children really have something to share.

For example, you know a child has a new baby sibling at home so you encourage them to share with their peers. Focus their sharing on something new or something that has changed.

Encourage Talk Beyond the Here and Now

Encourage children to include feelings, opinions, and judgements in their description.

"How did you feel when that happened?"

"Why do you think it happened?"

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