A Special Place
A note for parents and carers

This book is a ‘welcome to school’ gift for your child. The book shows that school can be an exciting place where anything is possible. Enjoy reading this book with your child, looking at the pictures and talking about school together.

Children love spending time with you listening to stories and looking at books. This can develop into a love of reading and help your child to become a successful learner throughout life.
I know a place.
It is a place made just for you to play and learn and think and dream.
People called teachers care for you there.
Teachers help your ideas grow to help your dreams come true.
You wear a uniform at this place to show that you are special.
You might go there with a friend and you can make friends there.
In the classroom you can sit at a desk and draw, paint, count, do puzzles and sing,
...fainted, KERPLOP!

or you can sit on the floor and listen to your teacher read a story.
There is another special room full of books called a library.
You can even take books home to read with your family.
You eat healthy food that you find in your lunch box at recess and lunch.
Bubblers spout water for everyone to drink.
Then you play with your friends in the playground, run around and shout.
At the end of the day someone you love comes to take you home.
Do you know the place I am thinking of?
It’s your school!
“Do you know the special place I am thinking of?”

Join other children your age on an adventure to a special place where there is magic in every moment.