



## What will happen on your first day at school?

You may feel a little nervous or excited as this is your first day at school! Your teachers will welcome you on the playground as you line up with the other children.

When the bell rings, your parents and carers will say their goodbyes as you walk into school with your new teachers. Your families will be given a little gift to help them relax whilst you are at school.



Inside, you will be shown where to hang up your coats and where to put your belongings. You'll be shown where the toilets are and what to do if you need to go to the toilet whilst you are at school.



During the day you will also be introduced to our school rules and routines such as snack time and playtime. We share our playground with Class 2, these children will help you as they are all experts at being in Class 1 too!

Once the register has been taken and we know who is with us at school, you will get to know your new teachers and friends through fun activities and games. You will be introduced to the different areas in the classroom and what they are used for. Keep an eye out for fun things to explore in the classroom – will you have a go at painting, building with blocks or exploring the role-play area?





After lunch we sing some songs and listen to a story. Then it's time to go home, we wave Goodbye to our new friends – you'll be so excited to see them again tomorrow.

*Everyone at St. Mary's is looking forward to you joining our school family in September. We know you will have lots of fun!*



*To our new and our familiar families, we wanted to let you know that we spend the first day getting to know your child and helping them to get to know us, reassuring them how and showing them how fun school will be! Whether you are nervous or excited or probably both we'd like you to know that we will take the very best care of them. We even*

*give you a little welcome gift of a brew and a biscuit to take away with you and enjoy whilst we get to know your children.*

