

Starting School Checklist

Here are some reminders to help you to prepare your child for starting school.

School Uniform

- Please name **all** clothing.
- Send your child in comfortable shoes, if possible with Velcro fastenings.
- Make sure that your child has suitable clothing for outdoor learning (warm coat in winter, sun hat in summer etc) as we go outside every day, in all weather!
- No jewellery

PE

- Children change into their PE kits at school on PE days. PE kit consists of white t shirt, blue/black shorts or jogging bottoms and black pumps (Velcro fastening please). Drawstring PE bags can be purchased from school in September via ParentPay. ParentPay details will be sent home when your child starts school.

What to bring

- A school book bag (available from the school office) for library book, letter sounds home work and reading book.
- A named drinking bottle (containing water only).
- Please do not send toys to school.
- Please do not send sweets or snacks; we provide free fruit daily.

General Preparation

- Please help your child to practise dressing and undressing by themselves.
- If your child is willing, help them to practise writing his/her name.

Thank you for your support!