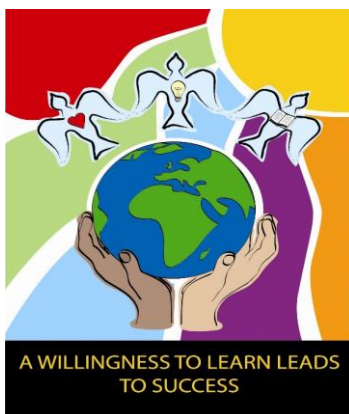


Pedro's Rodbourne Cheney Adventure



We're off to Reception!



It was Pedro's first day in Reception at Rodbourne Cheney Primary School and he was feeling excited but a little bit nervous at the same time.

He picked up his bag and set off for school.

When Pedro arrived at school, he could see lots of other children waiting outside the classroom. They were all smiling and happy. Pedro smiled back!

Some happy teachers were standing at the door and one came out to meet him. Pedro gave his mummy a big cuddle and then went into the classroom.

Pedro met the teachers and he thought they were all so kind and caring.



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One of the teachers showed him his peg and his drawer so that he could put his things away.



Then they led him to the carpet.
Pedro was given his very own
carpet space!



Pedro had a go at practising
writing his name on a whiteboard
with a pen, this was fun!



The teacher explained that soon
they would start Phonics, English
and Maths lessons and this is
where they would sit to find out
lots of new things. But for the
next few weeks, they were
allowed to explore the classroom.

Inside the classroom was amazing. There was a play house and it was nearly as high as the ceiling! At the top was the home corner.



After Pedro had explored the home corner, he then had a play in the construction area; it was fun building with his new friends.



There were so many places to explore in Pedro's new classroom!

The maths area:



The creative area:



The book corner:



Then it was snack time! Pedro grabbed a snack and sat down at the table and talked to some of his new friends.



Once he had eaten his snack, he headed out into the outside area.



After Pedro had had a long play in the outside area, he headed back inside to explore some more.

Just then, the teacher rang a bell and all of the children put their hands in the air, wiggled their fingers and stopped talking.

The teacher said it was time for lunch!

Pedro's teachers took him over to the hall to eat his lunch. Pedro loved being able to sit with his new friends and have a chat while eating and there was always a friendly adult to help Pedro!



Lunchtime was over and Pedro couldn't believe it but his teachers said that he could go and choose whatever he wanted to play with - inside or outside! Pedro chose to explore the role play area.



Whilst Pedro was busy, he realised he needed to go to the toilet. He decided to tell a teacher. His teacher said 'well done for asking Pedro!' And she took him down to the toilet.



Later on, Pedro decided to play in the sand pit. A child came to play with him; they played really nicely together, making sure they were sharing. Pedro had so much fun!

At the end of the day, the teacher rang the bell again, she said it was time for a story! Pedro loved stories so he went to his spot on the carpet that he had sat on in the morning and listened really carefully to the story, it was one of his favourites!



The story was finished and Pedro couldn't believe it but it was time to go home! The teachers helped Pedro collect his things from his peg and drawer and then sat him back down on the carpet whilst they waited for all of the children to be ready. Then they lined up at the door and the teacher walked them outside, where Pedro was greeted with a big kiss and cuddle from his mummy and daddy.



Pedro had definitely missed his family but he had also had such a fun day and was really looking forward to coming back!

Pedro told his family all about his time at school and after tea, fell straight to sleep. His dreams were full of the adventures from his first day at Rodbourne Cheney Primary School.

