I am Starting School!

This is me!
(pleaseadd aphoto ordraw apicture)

My name is _____

I like to be called _____

I was born on _____

My home language is _____

This document is intended to gather information about your child as they enter our setting. This information will help us learn what interests your child to help us tailor our curriculum to their needs and interests and supports us to know what we can do to make their transition as smooth as possible! It also helps us get to know you as you as a family as you begin your journey with us!

All About Me...

What do you like to play with? Do you have a favourite toy, game or roleplay activity that you enjoy?



My favourite book is...



My favourite foods are...



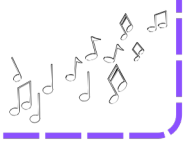
My favourite colour is...



Are there any places you enjoy visiting or any activities you enjoy taking part in?
(e.g. the park, the beach, swimming lessons, music lessons etc.)



My favourite song is...



All About Me...

Things I am good at...

e.g. art, dancing, gymnastics, building, drawing, football)



My favourite film/TV programme is...



Cultural or religious events I take part in...



My special skills are...

(e.g.sports,anadditionallanguage, a musical instrument)



Things that I don't like or that frighten me...



When I'm older I want to be a...



All About Me...

This is my family...

(please add a photo/s or draw a picture/s and label the family members who live with you)

All About Me...

Other people who are special to me...

this might include grandparents, family friends, friends, neighbours etc.

(please add a photo/s or draw a picture/s and label them)

Colour in the skills you can do...

I can put on my shoes and take them off.

I can recognise my name.

I can go to the toilet indepently and flush it.

I can dress and undress myself.

I can put on and take off my coat.

I can follow an instruction.

I can share toys and take turns.

I have a good bedtime routine so I am not feeling tired for school.

I can use a tissue to wipe my nose.

I can and enjoy looking at books and listening to stories.

I can hold a pencil.

I can use a knife and fork to cut my food and feed myself.

I can tidy my things away.

I can tell an adult when I need something.

I can wash my hands with soap independently

if you want support with how to practice any of these skills as you begin school, ask one of your new teachers for help and ideas!

For the Grown Ups...

Background information about your child/family:

What would you like your child's school experience to be like?

Do you have any worries/concerns about your child starting school?

We encourage the children to be as independent as possible in school. Take a look at the colour in sheet in this booklet- is there anything your child will need help with? e.g. toileting, dressing/undressing, using a knife and fork etc.

For the Grown Ups...

Your child's experienceofbeingawayfromparents(childminder,playgroups,privatenursery,relatives etc.)...

If your child is upset, how are they best comforted?

What is something you wish for your child when they start school with us?

Any other information you wish to share with us, please pop it here...

Draw a picture for us...

you could draw you starting school, you at the park, your favourite toy, your pet... sign it with your name below!

By _____