

My Social Story for joining Year 5 in September

After a lovely long summer holiday with your friends and family, you will come back to school. School starts again on Wednesday 4th September.

When you arrive on your first day, you will come in through **gate 2** (this is the gate by the kitchen)



If you are in Miss Bristow or Miss Oliver's class you will enter the blue door and go upstairs.

If you are Mr Achilles class, you will need to follow the path around the outside of the building to enter your classroom from the outside.

When you get to your classroom, your teacher will be waiting to say hello as part of our super start routines.

During the day, your teacher will give you a little tour of your new classroom and the central areas too. They will explain things like which toilets you will use and where you will line up at the end of breaktimes/lunchtimes. You don't need to worry about any of these things as they will be new to everyone and all the adults are here to help.

For the first day, you need to bring with you your backpack, a water bottle, a reading book, an ART apron/old shirt/old t-shirt and a packed lunch (unless you are having a school dinner). When you get to class, you will find your **locker** and put your belongings away, and then go into class where there will be an activity on the board to do. Once in class, you will get given your new pencil case by your teacher.



At the end of each day, you will exit via **gate 6 (the big blue gates by the office)**. Your teacher will walk you round to the gate at the end of the day. If you have permission to walk home, you will be able to leave straightaway and, if you don't, your teacher will help you spot the adult collecting you.

Next year, **Year 5** will have PE on **Tuesdays** and **Thursdays** each week. On these days, you will come to school wearing your PE kit. Tuesday 10th September is the first day you will need to come dressed in your PE kit, as we don't have PE timetabled for the first few days back.



We cannot wait to welcome you back in September!