The Road To School

This tracker helps you and your child prepare for school.







Speaking & literacy • I like to read stories & look at picture books • I am able to talk about myself, my needs & feelings

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 I am practising recognising my name when it's written down

Everyone

starts school with different

abilities - your

teacher will help

you progress

at your own

level.

Listening & understanding · I am able to sit still and listen for a short while I can follow instructions I understand the need to follow rules

Writing skills

· I like tracing patterns & colouring in · I enjoy making marks · I am practising holding a pencil

Sharing &

- · I can share toys & take turns
- · I like playing games with others
- · I like interacting with other children

School bus





Going to the toilet

- · I can go to the toilet on my own, wipe myself properly & flush
- · I can wash & dry my hands without any help

Interest in the world & new activities

 I enjoy learning about the world around me • I am interested in exploring new activities or environments · I like asking questions







What are you looking forward to the most? Is there

anything you're

unsure of?

· I have a good bedtime routine so I'm not feeling tired for school

Routines

my uniform &

leave on time

getting ready to

 I have practised putting on

· I'm learning to eat at the times I will on school days

Eating

- · I can open my packed lunch on my own I am confident at opening
 - wrappers & packaging



Self-care

· I know when to wash my hands · I can wipe my nose • I can ask for help if I don't feel well

Getting dressed & undressed on my own

- I can button & unbutton my shirt & use a zip
- I can put my own shoes & socks on I can change into my PE kit & put my coat on

I am happy to be away from my
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· I can use a knife & fork



Remember - learning is not a competition; children learn at different rates. For more ideas to help prepare your child for school, talk to your childcare practitioner.