

Ania, Malik and Sabra are excited to be starting at Ascot Road Community Free School



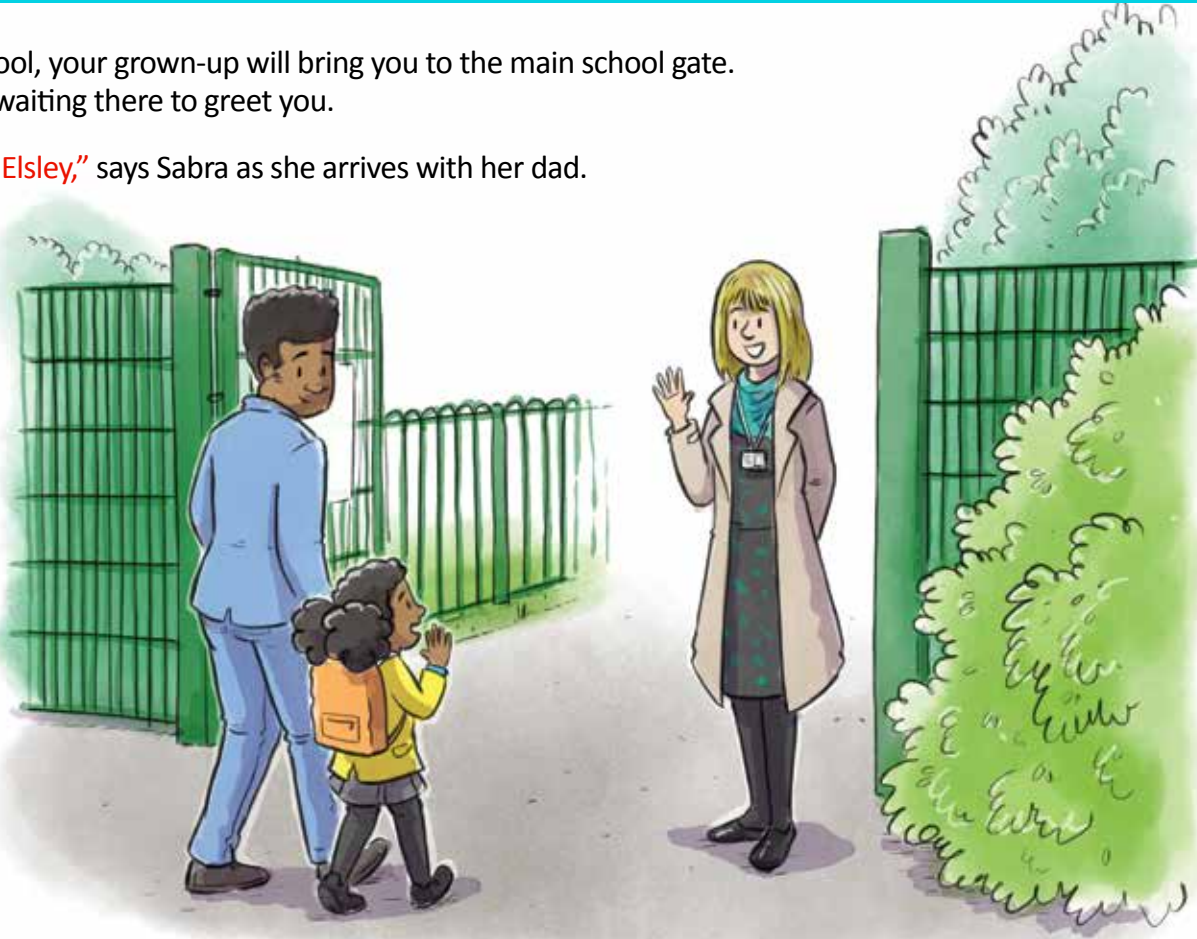
What happens when I get to school?

When you get to school, your grown-up will bring you to the main school gate. The Principal will be waiting there to greet you.

“Good morning, Mrs Elsley,” says Sabra as she arrives with her dad.

This is how all the children greet the Principal when they arrive each morning.

Your grown-up will then take you to the Reception classroom door and say goodbye as your teacher welcomes you into school.



You will hang up your coat on the peg with your name on. Then you put your book bag in the box and take your water bottle to the classroom.

Malik is hanging up his coat on the peg and then he joins the other children on the carpet to start the morning activity which is on the whiteboard.

Are you excited about coming to school?

What will I do in school?

Your teacher will work with you and help you to learn phonics, maths and much more. You can also choose from the many fun activities we have for you:

- construction
- painting
- reading
- drawing
- dressing up
- and lots more

Sabra and her new friends Malik and Ania are drawing with their favourite colours.

“What are you drawing?”
Malik asks Sabra.

“I am drawing a planet
in space,” Sabra replies.



We also have lots of exciting activities outside for you to try, such as:

- a sand pit
- a climbing frame
- a hill and tunnel for exploring
- a mud kitchen
- a water tray

Malik, Ania and Sabra are sharing a ride on our co-operation cycle.

“This is fun,” says Malik. “We can cycle and talk to our friends at the same time!”



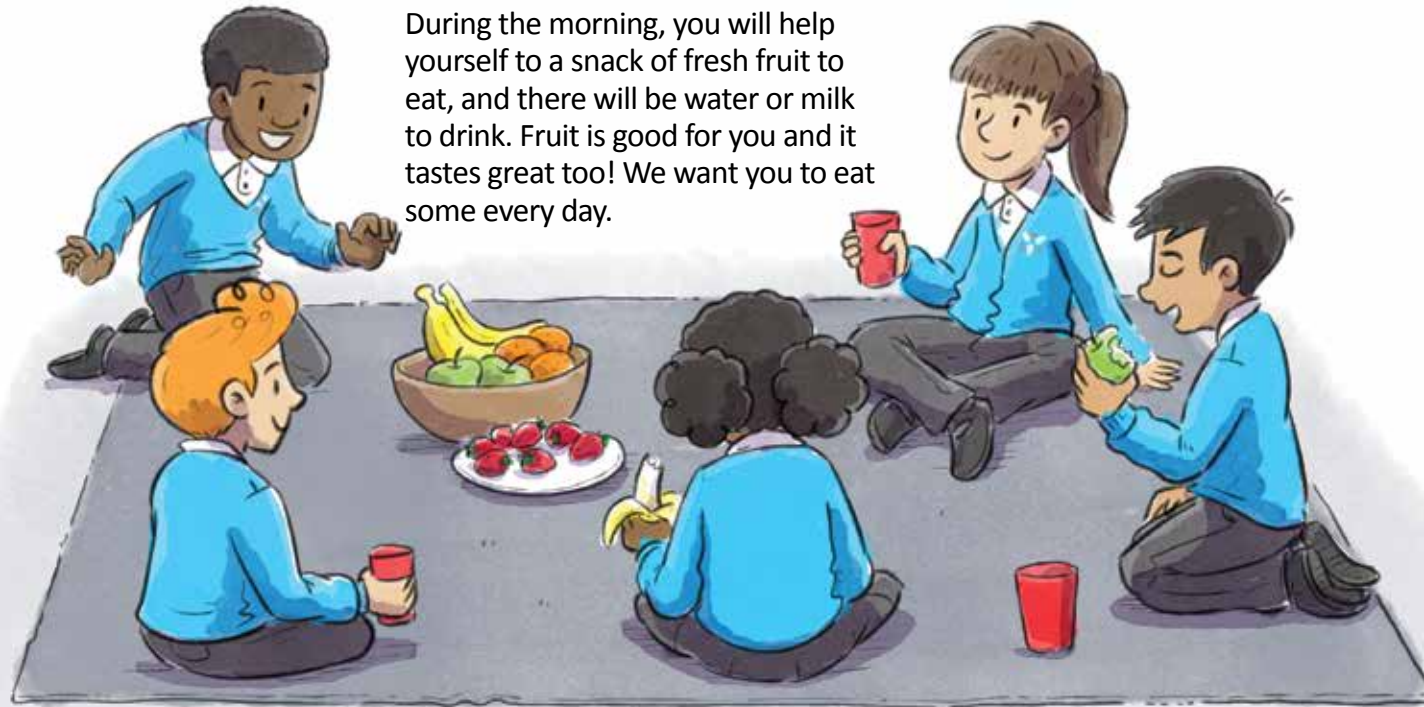
Ania is having fun in the playhouse with her new friend Rosie.

Malik, Ania and Sabra think it is great fun learning new things and making new friends.



What are you looking forward to doing at school?

What happens if I am hungry or thirsty?



During the morning, you will help yourself to a snack of fresh fruit to eat, and there will be water or milk to drink. Fruit is good for you and it tastes great too! We want you to eat some every day.

Ania and her new friends are choosing their fruit as they sit together.

“My green apple is so crisp and juicy. You should try one,” Malik says to his friends.



Your grown-ups will talk to you about what you can choose for lunch at school each day so you are ready to tell your teacher when they ask.

At lunchtime, there are lots of friendly adults to help you get the food you want.

Ania, Sabra and Malik have collected their delicious hot school dinners. They are now talking as they enjoy their food.



“What did you get for lunch?” Sabra asks their friend Harry as he joins them.

“I always choose lots of lovely vegetables because they are really good for us,” Harry replies.

What is your favourite food?

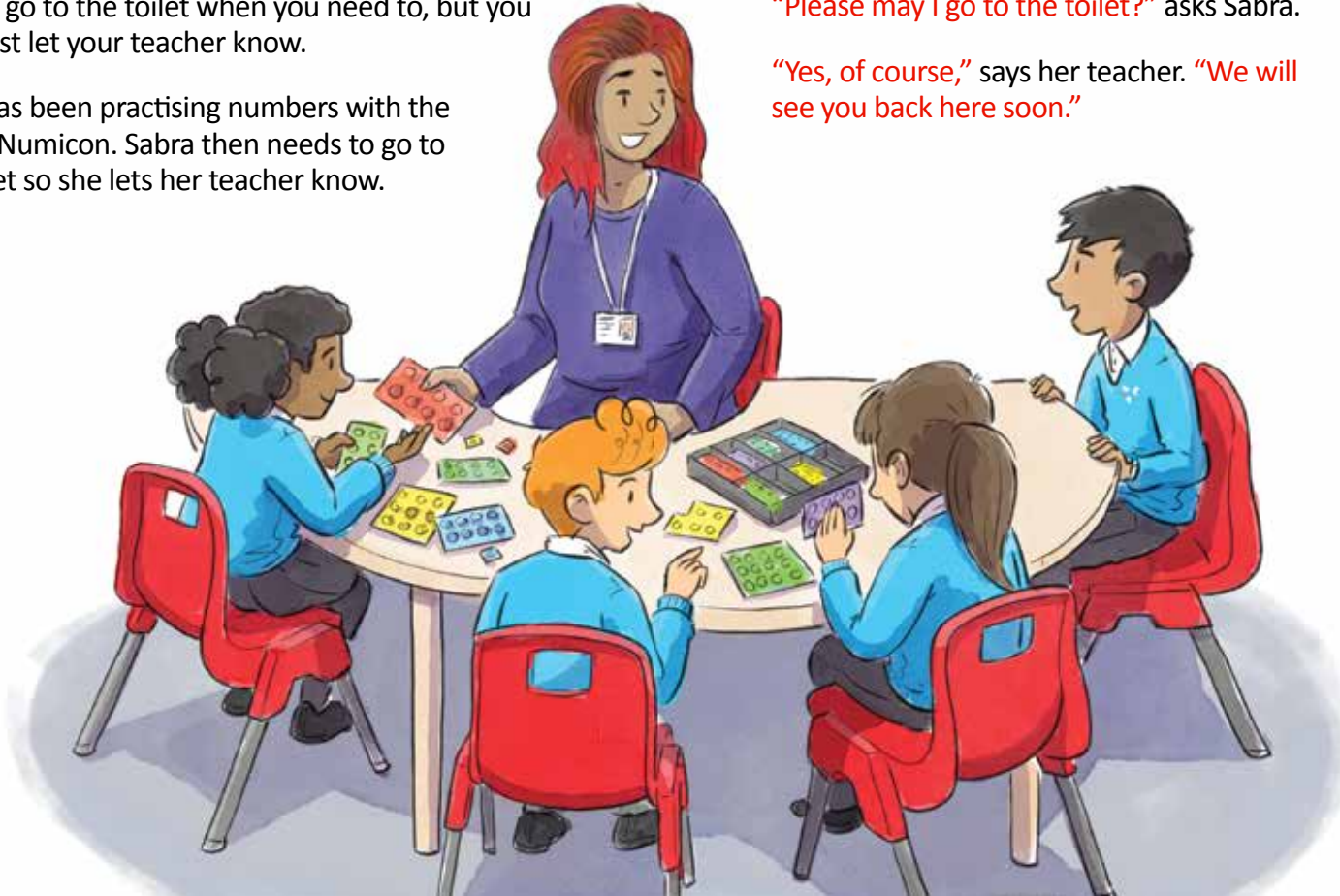
What happens if I need the toilet?

You can go to the toilet when you need to, but you must first let your teacher know.

Sabra has been practising numbers with the help of Numicon. Sabra then needs to go to the toilet so she lets her teacher know.

“Please may I go to the toilet?” asks Sabra.

“Yes, of course,” says her teacher. “We will see you back here soon.”



Sabra goes to the toilet. When she has finished, she makes sure she flushes the toilet for the next child who will use it.

She washes her hands with warm water and soap to get her hands really clean. Then Sabra dries them and goes back to her class.

Sabra feels so grown-up going to the toilet on her own. She is glad she practised this at home before starting school.



Can you use the toilet by yourself?

What happens at the end of the school day?

When school is finished for the day, you will all sit together on the carpet to listen to a story. You will also talk about the fun things you have been doing and learning during the day.

Ania and her friends are listening to an exciting story about children playing in a beautiful park.

“Who likes going to the park?” asks their teacher.

“I do,” says Malik. “I go with my family and we play with a ball. Sometimes we take a picnic to eat if the sun is shining.”



When it is time to go home, you will collect your coat and belongings and then sit down until your teacher calls your name.

Your teacher will then let you know that your grown-up is here and hand you over to them.

The teacher has seen Malik's mum and she lets him go to join her.

“Hi, Mum,” says Malik. “I have done so many fun things today and I have made lots of new friends too.”



Are you looking forward to coming to school?

**Ania, Sabra and Malik
love coming to Ascot Road
Community Free School
and they think you will too!**



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