



Luke, Charlotte and Sadiq are coming to
Flitcham Church of England Primary Academy

What happens when I get to school?

When you get to school, you say goodbye to your grown-ups in the playground.

"Have a great day," says Luke's dad.

Luke waves goodbye.
He is very excited
about starting school.

Then you line up
with the other
children in your
class and your
teacher will take
you into your
classroom. You
hang up your coat
and book bag on
your coat peg.

"Hello, my name is Sadiq," says Sadiq to Charlotte and Luke.
The children start chatting and making friends with each other.



When you go into the classroom, you will sit on the carpet until the school day starts.

Older children will be sitting
at tables and starting to do
activities, and when you have
been at school a while, you
will be able to do this as well.



The school day is starting and the
teacher is taking the register. She
is checking who is in school today
and who is having a school meal
or has brought a packed lunch
from home.



When do you start school?

What will I do in school?

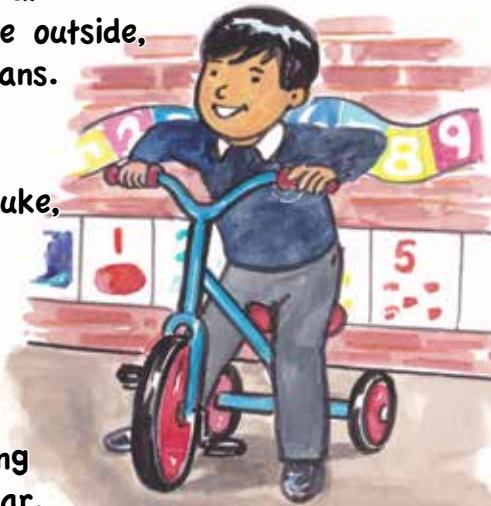


You will have lots of fun at school and learn lots of new things. You will play inside and outside. Sometimes you will do activities by yourself, sometimes with your friends and sometimes with your class.

Charlotte and Luke are making lots of noise outside, bashing pots and pans.

"You sing a song," Charlotte says to Luke, "and I will be the conductor."

Sadiq is riding the trike with his new friends and imagining he is in a racing car.



Charlotte is playing a counting game and seeing how many cakes the teddy bear has eaten.



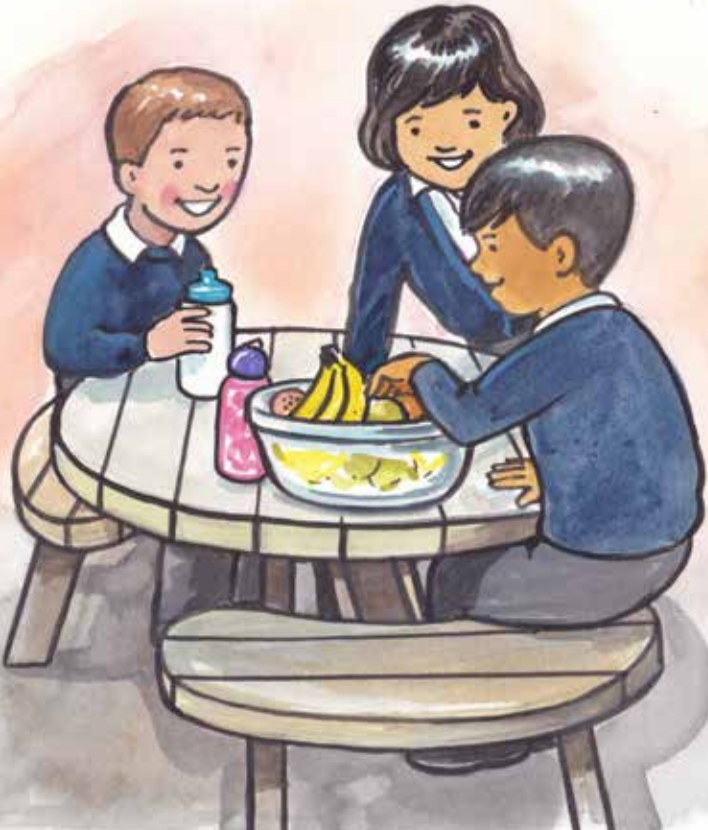
Luke is going to make some Play-Doh cakes.



Sadiq is painting a picture using his three favourite colours, **yellow**, **blue** and **red**.

What are you looking forward to doing in school?

What if I am hungry or thirsty?



You will have your own water bottle with you at school and you can have a drink whenever you are thirsty.

If you are hungry in the morning, at playtime, you can help yourself to some fruit.

The children are at the table outside choosing some fruit to eat. They have all chosen tasty apples today.

At lunchtime, before you have your meal, you will wash your hands. Your teacher will take you into the hall to have your lunch. All the children are very kind and friendly, and you can choose to sit wherever you like. Some children sit with their class friends, and some children may sit with other friends or brothers or sisters. At lunchtime, we all use good table manners, and are polite and kind to each other.

You can choose what you would like to eat from the serving area. The kind adult has helped Luke choose a healthy lunch and now he is sitting with Sadiq.



Sadiq and Luke are very pleased to have chosen the same meal.

"We like lots of the same things," says Luke.

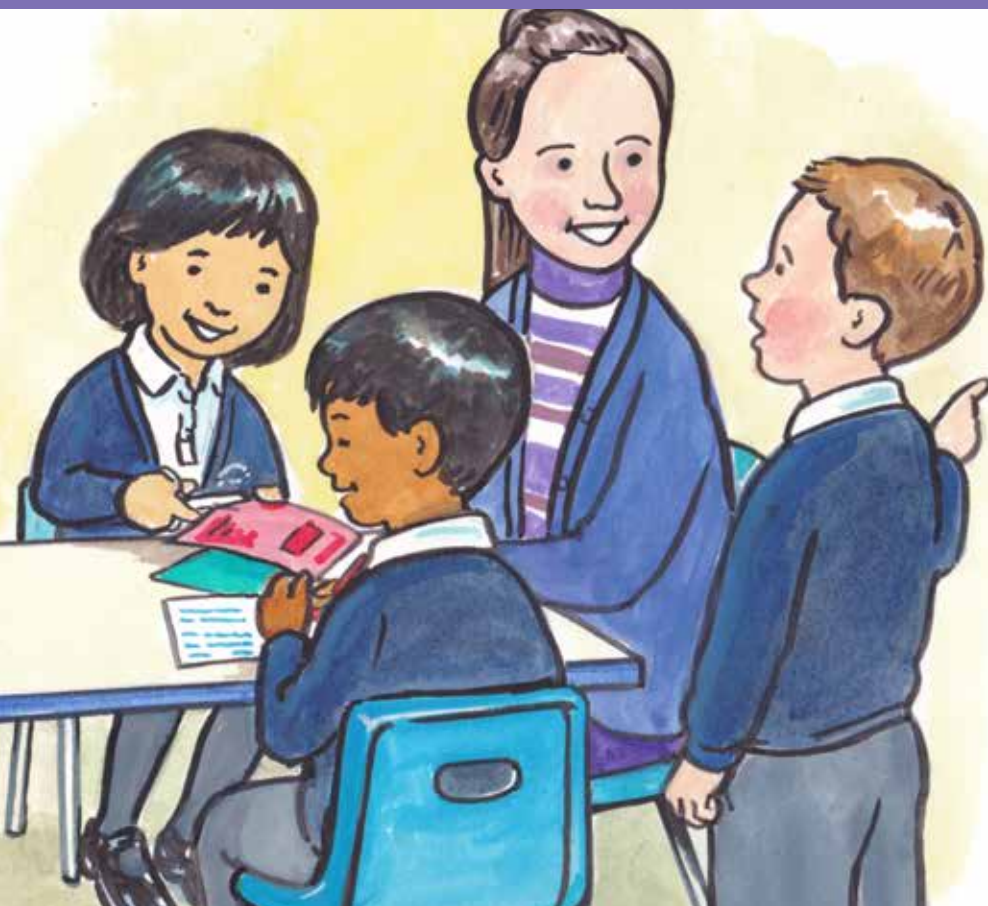


Charlotte has brought a packed lunch from home and is sitting with her friends who have packed lunches too.

When the children have finished eating, they make sure everything is tidy before they go outside to play.

What is your favourite meal?

What if I need the toilet?



If you need to go to the toilet, ask your teacher or put your hand up to get the teacher's attention if your class is doing a quiet activity.

"May I go to the toilet?" Luke asks his teacher.

"Yes, you can," she says. "And well done for asking so politely."

The toilets are in a room in your classroom, so they are very easy to find.



When you have been to the toilet, don't forget to flush and leave it nice and clean. Remember to wash your hands with warm water and soap and dry them as well.

Luke has practised using the toilet by himself at home, so he feels happy using the toilets at school.

But if you need help or have an accident, don't worry. It will be OK. Just tell your teacher and they will help you.



Do you know what to do if you need to go to the toilet?

What happens at the end of the school day?

When it is nearly time to go home, you will sit on the carpet and your teacher will read you a story.

"I know this story," says Luke.

"So do I!" says Sadiq.

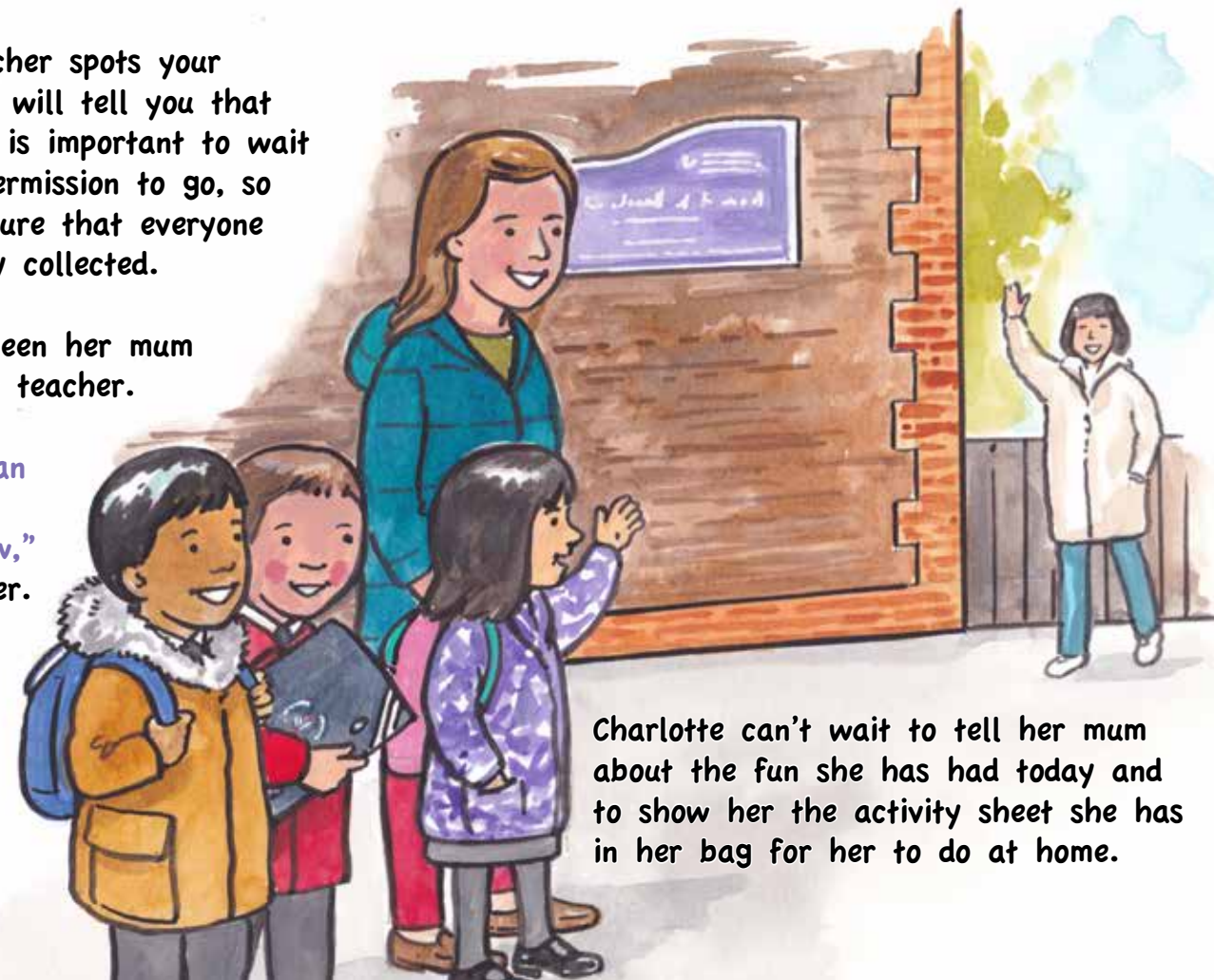
At home time, you collect your coats and bags and line up. Your teacher will take you out into the playground where your grown-ups will be waiting to collect you.



When your teacher spots your grown-up, they will tell you that you can go. It is important to wait patiently for permission to go, so we can make sure that everyone has been safely collected.

Charlotte has seen her mum and so has her teacher.

"Charlotte, I can see your mum. You can go now," says the teacher.



Charlotte can't wait to tell her mum about the fun she has had today and to show her the activity sheet she has in her bag for her to do at home.

Are you looking forward to starting school?

Come and join in the fun!




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