

Arnas, Destiny and Ilyas are coming to Godwin Primary School



What happens when I get to school?



Your grown-ups will bring you into the playground, where an adult will be waiting by the door to say “Hello” and show you where to go.

“Goodbye, Mum,” says Arnas as he goes into school.

Your teacher will be waiting at the classroom door for you. You will find your coat peg outside the door and hang up your coat, like Arnas is doing.

If you have brought a lunchbox, you will put this on the shelf near the coat pegs.

Then you will go into the classroom and wash your hands and put your book bag in your drawer.

You will sit on the carpet and look at books until it is time for school to start.

Your teacher will check who is in school that day, what you would like for lunch and chat about any news you have.

“We are going to have lots of fun today!” says the teacher.



Are you looking forward to coming to school?

What will I do in school?



Creative area

Reading area

Some of you may know some of the other children in your class and some of you won't. Don't worry, we are all very kind and friendly here and you will soon make friends.

Role play

Red Room for messy play

Sometimes you will do activities with your teacher and sometimes with your friends. There are activities indoors and outdoors.

Arnas and Destiny are looking at a book together. "I love the pictures in this book," says Destiny. "So do I," says Arnas.

Ilyas is playing a counting game. "There are six counters, so I am writing that number down," he says. Has Ilyas written the right number?

Writing area



Malleable area



Small World play

Construction area

The children are playing outside.

They have used the boxes and planks to make a pirate ship.

"I don't want to fall in the water," says Arnas.

"The sharks might get you!" says Destiny.

Water and sand areas

Sensory garden

Mud kitchen

Pond area

Stage area

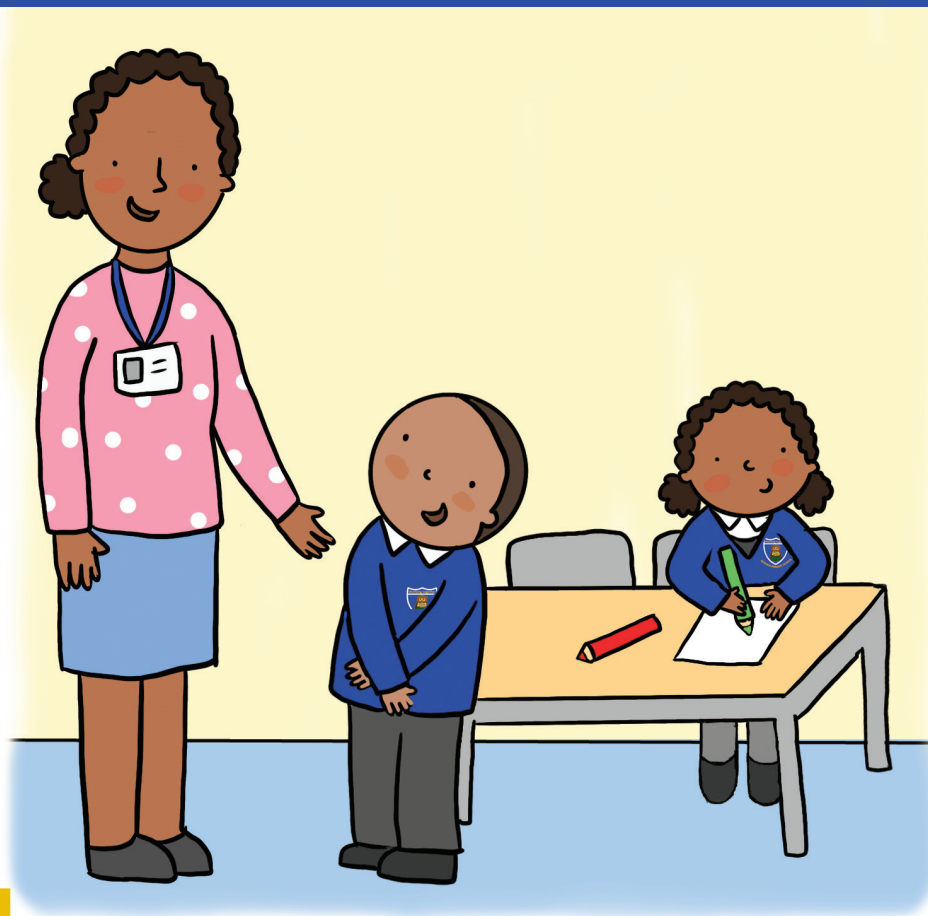
Growing area

Role play shed



What are you looking forward to doing at school?

What happens if I need the toilet?



You can go to the toilet whenever you need to, but let your teacher know before you go.

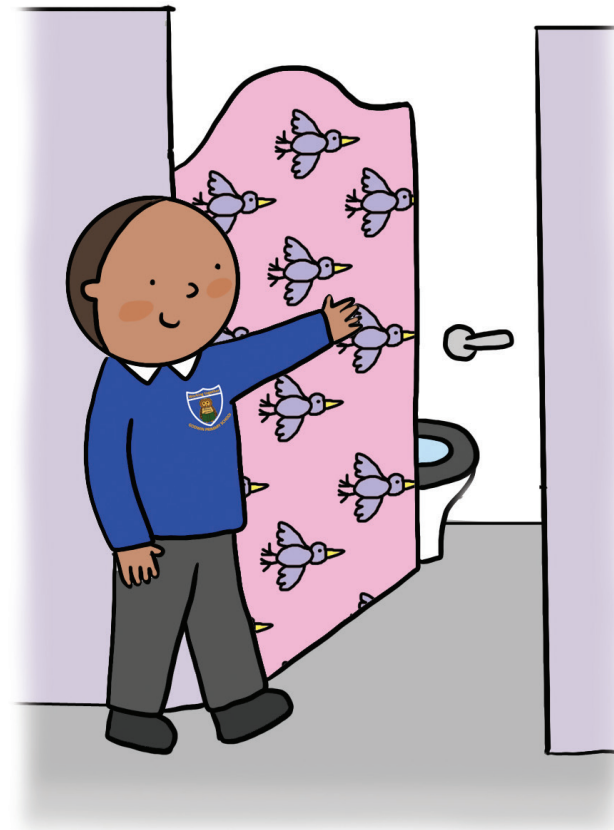
Ilyas is doing some writing with his teacher.

"I need to use the toilet," he says.

"OK, Ilyas. See you back here soon," his teacher says.

You will go to the toilet by yourself, so your grown-ups will make sure that you have lots of practice at home before you start school. If you have a toilet accident, tell your teacher and they will help.

It doesn't take Ilyas long to get to the toilets because they are right by the classroom.



When Ilyas has finished, he remembers to flush the toilet.

"..17,18,19,20," he says.

He has washed his hands with soap and warm water for 20 seconds to make sure his hands are nice and clean.

Then he dries them and goes back to the classroom.

Can you go to the toilet by yourself?

What if I am hungry or thirsty?

You can have a drink from your school water bottle whenever you are thirsty.

When you are hungry, you can help yourself to some fruit or vegetables.

You will sit down and you can have your snack with your friends.

Arnas, Destiny and Ilyas are having their snack together.

“We love crunchy snacks,” say Arnas and Destiny.

Do you know what they are having?



At lunchtime, you will be taken to the lunch room by your teacher, and kind adults will look after you while you eat. You will have your lunch before all the other children at school, so it will be nice and quiet.

You will collect your lunch from the serving area. The food is delicious and there is lots of choice.

You can also bring a packed lunch from home.



The children are eating their lunch and enjoying chatting together.

“Peas are my favourite,” says Destiny.

Everyone is kind and polite at lunchtime. You will use a knife and fork, so it is a good idea to practise this lots before you come to school.



What is your favourite food?

What happens at the end of the school day?

When school is ending for the day, you will sit on the carpet to listen to a story or sing some songs.

“The wheels on the bus go round and round,” sing the children.

Do you know this song?

When it is time to go home, you will collect your belongings and put your coat on. You will also take a reading book home in your book bag.



You will line up in alphabetical order in the classroom. Your teacher will show you where you need to stand in the line. Your grown-ups will be waiting outside.

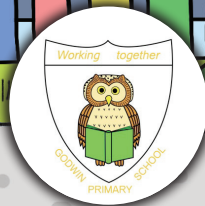
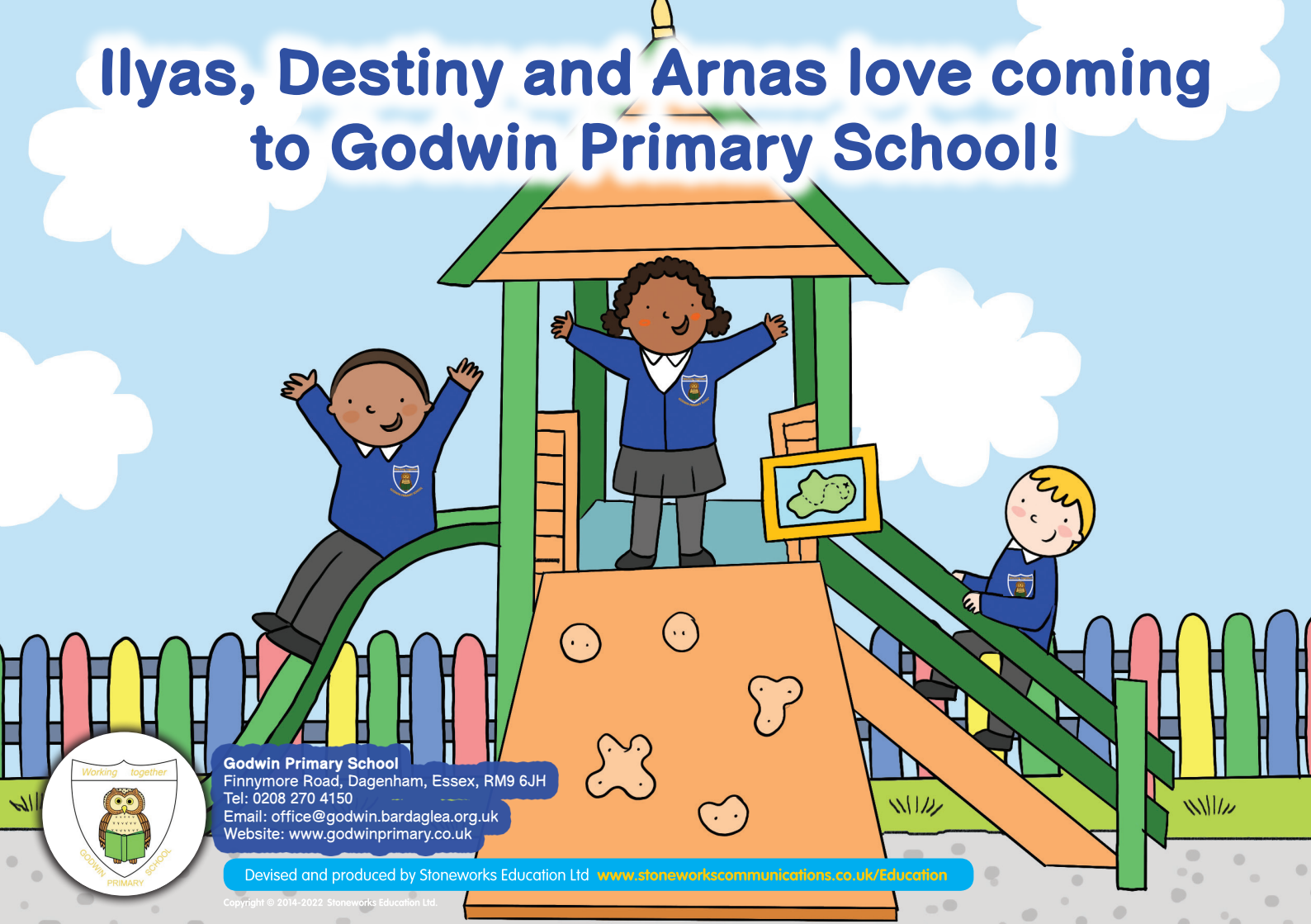
Your teacher will take you into the playground and call out your name when they see your grown-ups.

“I have had lots of fun today,” Arnas says to his mum.
“And I have got a book to read with you.”



Are you looking forward to coming to school?

Ilyas, Destiny and Arnas love coming to Godwin Primary School!



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