

**Ben, Lucy and Charlie are coming
to King's Park Primary School**



What happens when I get to school?



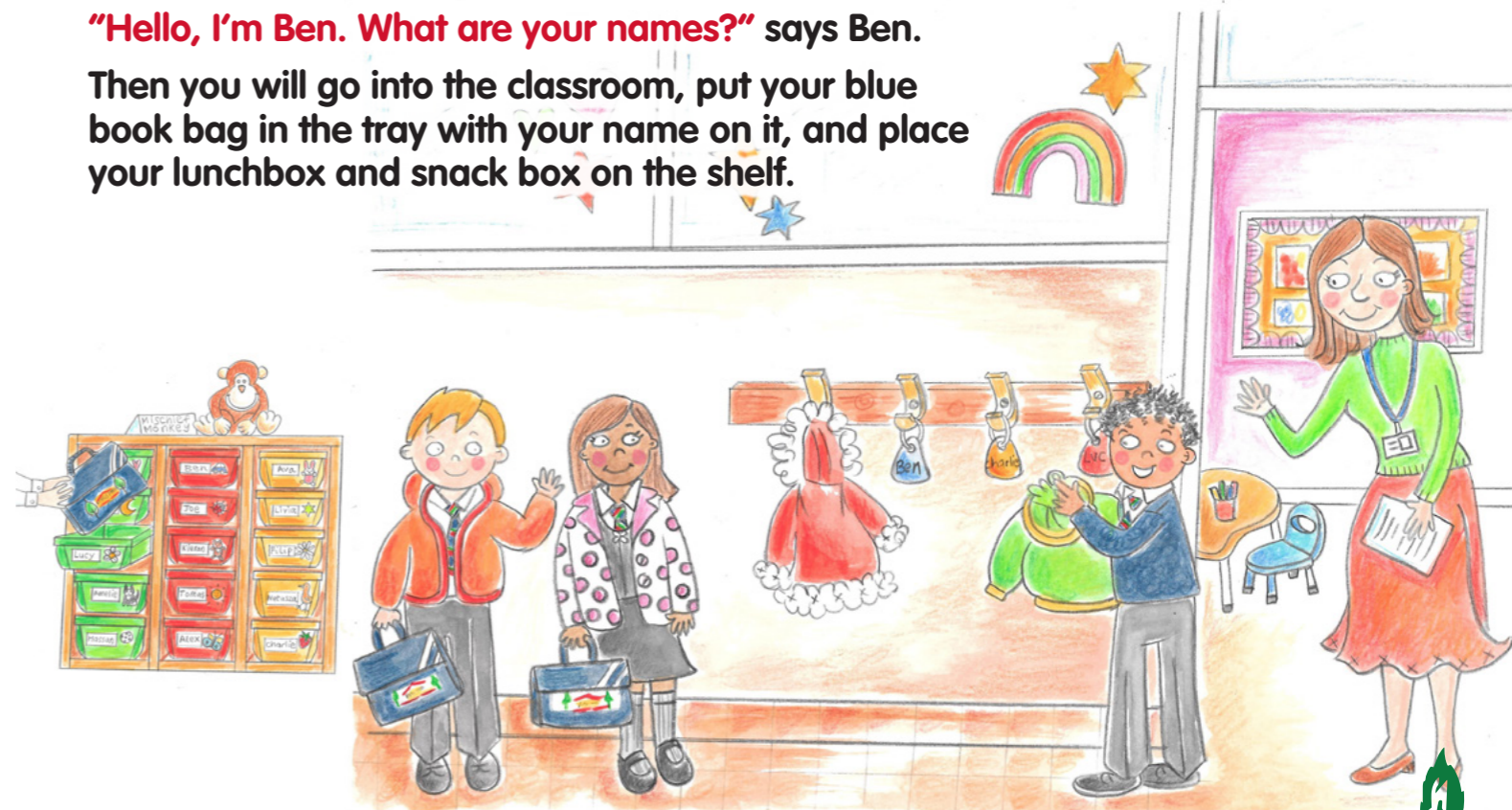
When you get to school, your grown-up will take you to the school gate, where your teacher and teaching assistant will be waiting to meet you. They will welcome you into school as you say goodbye to your grown-up.

"Hello, everyone. I will take you to the classroom. We will have lots of fun today," says the teacher.

In the corridor you will hang up your coat on the peg with your name on it. Charlie, Lucy and Ben are already making friends as they hang their coats up.

"Hello, I'm Ben. What are your names?" says Ben.

Then you will go into the classroom, put your blue book bag in the tray with your name on it, and place your lunchbox and snack box on the shelf.



Are you excited about coming to school?

What will I do in school?

Your teacher will work with you to help you learn.

The children are learning their sounds and how to read and write them.

"Lucy, can you tell me what sound this makes?" asks the teacher as she holds up the card.



You will also learn as you play. We have many fun activities for you to choose from, including construction, a sand tray, a water tray, role play and counting.

Lucy, Ben and Charlie are threading beads.

"I'm going to use red beads because red is my favourite colour," says Charlie.

Now Lucy is playing with play dough with her friend, Grace.

"I'm going to make a play dough pizza. What are you going to make?" asks Lucy.



At break time, you will go to the playground where there are more fun things to play with, such as an outdoor kitchen and stage. The children are playing at the Friendship Hut. Lucy is making friends with Emily.

"Hello. Would you like to play with us?" Lucy asks Emily.

What are you looking forward to doing at school?

What happens if I am hungry or thirsty?

You will sit at the table during break time to enjoy the snack you brought in. Fruit is the best snack because it tastes great and is good for you.

Ben, Lucy and Charlie are chatting as they enjoy their snack.

"I love oranges. They taste so sweet and juicy," says Charlie.

"Crunchy green apples are my favourite," says Ben.



At lunchtime you will go to the canteen if you are having a school dinner. If you have brought lunch from home, you will eat that in the classroom.

When you arrive at the canteen, you will sit at the table. You will have your lunch brought to your table.



"Thank you. Sausage, mash and peas is my favourite," says Ben.

Everyone is polite and uses good table manners. Practising using a knife and fork before you start school is a good idea.

There will always be grown-ups in the canteen and classroom to help you.

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 ask your teacher. Charlie needed the toilet, so he asked his teacher before he left the classroom.

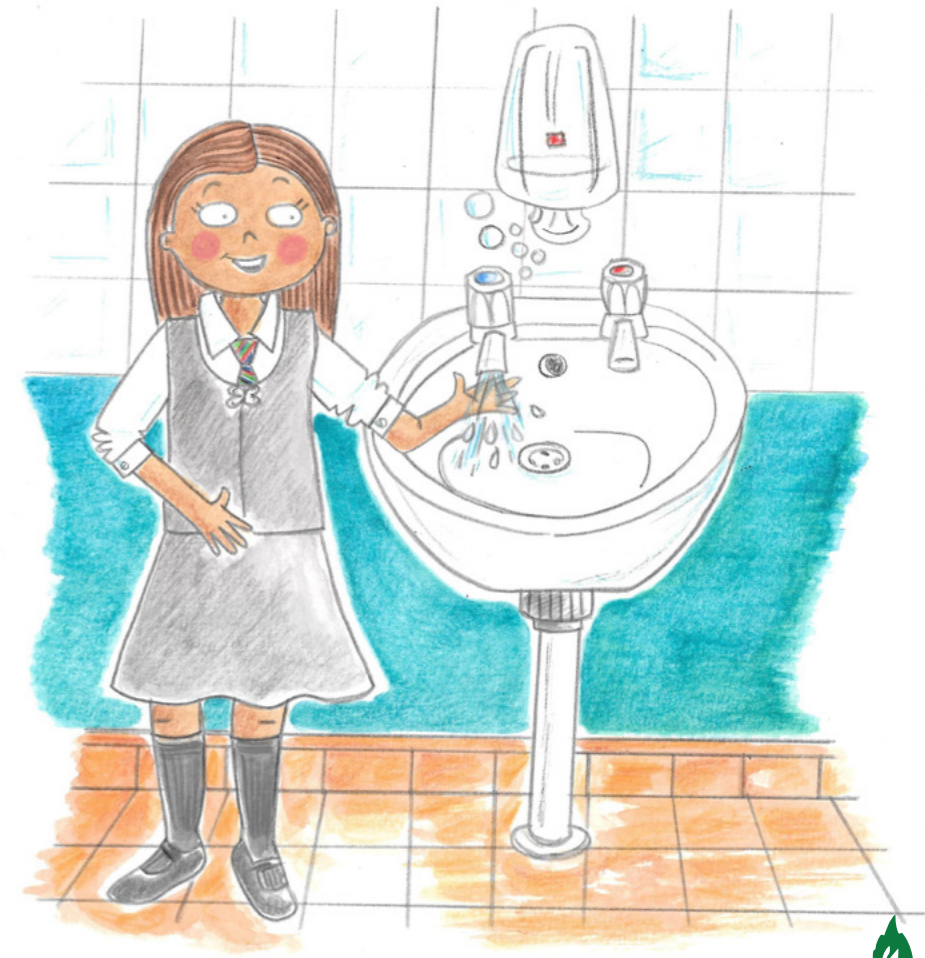
He feels so grown-up going to the toilet on his own.



"I practised going to the toilet by myself before I started school, so I find it easy to do now," he says.

Lucy has been to the toilet. She has remembered to flush to leave it clean for the next child who uses it. Now she is washing her hands.

"You should wash your hands with soap and warm water for 20 seconds, to clean away all the germs," she says.



Can you use the toilet on your own?

What happens at the end of the day?

When school has finished for the day, you will collect your coat, book bag, snack box and lunch box, if you have brought one.

The children have had a fun day at school and are looking forward to seeing their grown-ups.

Then you will line up in the classroom. Your teacher will take you to the front gate where your grown-up will be waiting for you. Your teacher will stay with you until they see your grown-up.



The teacher has spotted Charlie's mum.

"I can see your mum, Charlie. You can go to her. I hope you have had a good day," she says.

Charlie can't wait to tell his mum about the fun things he has done at school and the new friends he has made.



Are you looking forward to coming to school?



**Lucy, Charlie, Ben and their friends
are having lots of fun in our school.**



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**They love coming to King's
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