

RIVACRE VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL



Amber, Michelle and Ollie are coming
to Rivacre Valley Primary School

What happens when I get to school or nursery?



You will wait until the whistle goes. Then you will line up with your grown-ups and go into your classroom.

Michelle and Ollie are starting in reception today.

"Hello, Michelle and Ollie," says the teacher. "We are going to have lots of fun today."

You will hang up your coat on your coat hook like Ollie is doing.

You will put your book bag in the book bag box and your water bottle in the tray.

If you are in nursery, your teacher will show you where to put your lunch box.

Your grown-ups will help you find your name and you will put it on the green traffic light to show you are in school.

When your grown-ups have said, "goodbye," you can go and play in your classroom.

Amber is starting in nursery today and she is drawing a flower.



Are you looking forward to coming to Rivacre?

What will I do in school or nursery?

You will learn lots of new things through playing and exploring.

You can do indoor and outdoor activities and play with friends or by yourself.

Michelle and Ollie are doing some model building and drawing together.

"If I tie these sticks together, it makes a good shape," says Ollie.

"I'm drawing a picture for my mum," says Michelle. They are having fun playing together.



Ollie is in the book area, looking at a book about pirates. He is enjoying having some quiet time.

How will I make friends?

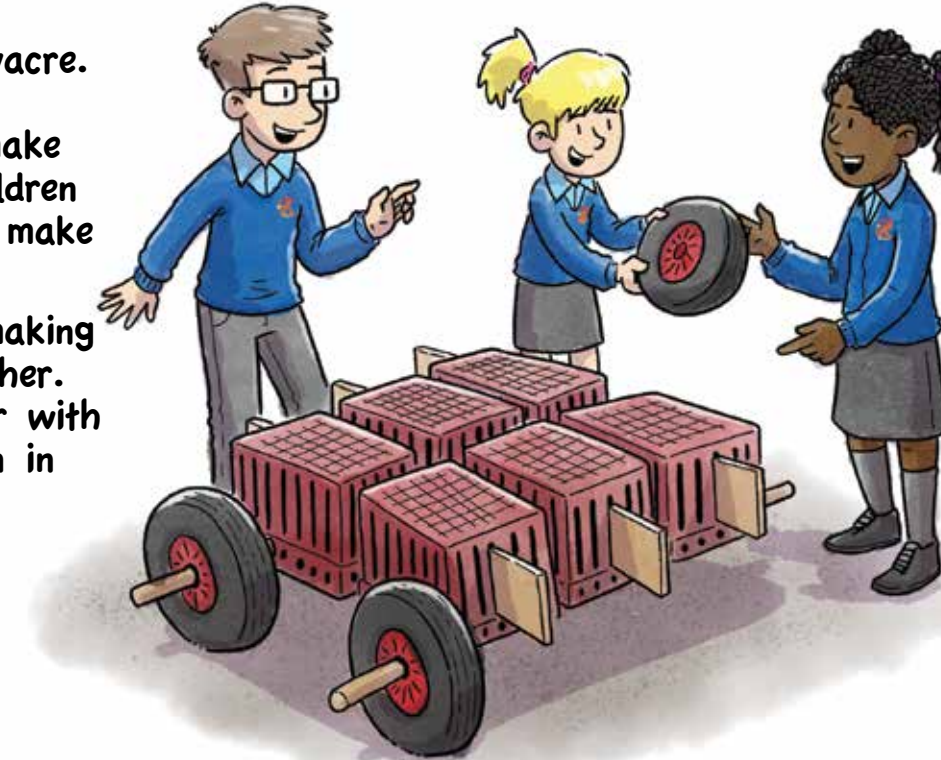
We are friendly and kind at Rivacre. If you don't know anyone when you come here, you will soon make friends. There will be other children just like you who will want to make friends with you.

Ollie, Amber and Michelle are making friends by playing with each other. They are helping to make a car with their teacher and other children in nursery and reception.

"I need another wheel," says Michelle.

"Here it is," says Amber.

"I can help you put it on," says Ollie.



What if I am hungry or thirsty?

You can have milk or water to drink, and some fruit to eat.

In reception, you can have a snack and drink when you are hungry or thirsty.

In nursery, you will have snack time. You will sit on the carpet with your friends and listen to a story or have a chat.

Amber is having a drink and listening to her teacher read a story. Do you know what fruit the children are eating?



At lunchtime, you will have a delicious, healthy meal in the canteen. We encourage you to try new foods, so you can discover lots of different food that you will love.

Kind grown-ups will look after you and are there to help during lunchtime.

Michelle is having a jacket potato. "May I have some sweetcorn too?" she asks.

Amber is enjoying her lunch. She is happy using her cutlery, but she knows that if she needs help, she can ask a grown-up.



What is your favourite meal?

What if I need the toilet?

When you start nursery, you may be able to use the toilet by yourself. If you can't, don't worry. Your teachers will help you.

When you start reception, you can go to the toilet by yourself. Just let the teacher know before you go.

Ollie needs to go to the toilet, so he puts his hand up.

"Please may I go to the toilet?" he asks.

"Yes, that's fine. Thank you for asking so politely," says his teacher.



Amber has been to the toilet. She didn't need any help and she is very proud of herself.

She has remembered to flush when she has finished.

She is washing her hands with soap and warm water and then dries them. If she has an accident, she knows she can ask her teacher for help.



Can you use the toilet by yourself?

What happens at the end of the day?

At the end of the day, you will sit on the carpet. Your teacher may read you a story or you may have a chat about what you have been doing that day.

We also have 'Rivacre's got talent', where you can show your friends something you like doing. Ollie is going to sing a song tomorrow. Today Michelle is showing her friends a beautiful picture she has done.

"Well done, Michelle," says her teacher.
"Great work."



When it is time for home, you will get your coat and belongings and sit back on the carpet to wait for your grown-ups to collect you.

In your book bag, you will take home any work that you have done during the day and any messages for your grown-ups. Michelle is taking her beautiful picture home for her mum.

In reception, you will also take reading books and phonics sheets home.

Amber is going home with her dad.

"Did you have a nice time today?" asks her dad.

"Yes, I have had lots of fun," says Amber. She tells her dad about all the things she has done all the way home.



When are you coming to Rivacre?



Learn, explore and grow at Rivacre Valley Primary School

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