



Kareem and Audra are excited to be joining Nelson Primary School



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Welcome to Nelson Primary School

# What happens on your first day?



It is Audra and Kareem's first day at Nelson Primary School. They are both coming for the afternoon on their first day so they can meet their teachers and make new friends.

Pastoral Support Workers (PSWs) meet the children in the reception area and take them to their new classes. The PSWs show the grown-ups and children the doors they will use when they arrive at school in future.



When Audra and Kareem go to join their new classes, their teachers introduce them to the children in their class and to their classroom buddies. These are the special friends who will show new children around the school.

Kareem's teacher is introducing him to his new class and his buddy:

*"Everyone, say hello to Kareem. It is his first day and he is joining our class."*

After everyone greets Kareem, he goes to sit with his new buddy who will look after him as he finds his way around the school.



# What happens on your second day?



On their second day at school, Kareem and Audra arrive at 8.40am, walking through the playground. They say goodbye to their grown-ups and go straight to their new classes. Kareem needs to go upstairs for his class.

Audra and Kareem are in their classes and reading the books they were given on their first day. When reading time has finished, Kareem and Audra's classes join other classes in the hall for assembly. After assembly, the children return to their own classes for English or maths lessons. Audra loves her Read, Write, Inc. lesson, while Kareem enjoys 'Maths No Problem'.



The children are given a carton of milk at morning breaktime. They can drink water in school whenever they want to and need to bring a sports bottle to fill with drinking water.



## What do I do if I want to use the toilet?



You should use the toilet at breaktimes, but if you need to go to the toilet during class, you put your hand up and politely ask your teacher if you can go.

Audra is working in class on a maths task with her teacher's help. She needs to go to the toilet so she lets her teacher know.



Audra goes to the toilet. When she has finished, she makes sure she flushes the toilet and leaves it nice and clean for the next child who uses it. She washes and dries her hands and quickly returns to her class.

## What will happen at breaktimes?



When the bell goes for playtime, you put your coat on and go out into the playground. Audra is given a piece of fruit and Kareem has brought some fruit from home. They eat this fruit during break-time.

There are always adults in the playground to look after you. There are lots of fun activities at playtime such as games of catch and football. Some children just talk to their friends. When the break is over, a teacher rings a bell or blows a whistle. All the children stand still and queue up with their classes, ready for their teachers to take them back to the classrooms.





## How will I make friends?



Everyone at our school is at their happiest when we all follow the school's Golden Rules. Children who follow these rules and try their hardest in school can earn house points for their teams.

Our pupils are kind, friendly and well-behaved at Nelson. They make sure that Audra and Kareem make friends quickly when they are learning and doing fun things in class, in the playground or in an after-school club. If children feel lonely, they can talk to a teacher or a Pastoral Support Worker.

## What will happen at lunchtime?

Everyone enjoys lunchtime at Nelson Primary School. You play in the playground until a midday assistant calls your year group to eat lunch. You can sit with your friends and enjoy a healthy meal. Everyone is polite and we all tidy up when we have finished eating.



There is no afternoon break for KS2 at Nelson Primary School, but after lunch, there is still plenty of time to play and have fun. You can do lots of things such as:

- using the climbing wall, bikes, scooters and skipping ropes
- dancing on the stage and playing ball games
- playing indoor games or other activities

## What things can I do at Nelson Primary School?

There are lots of new and exciting things to learn and do at Nelson. There is a Breakfast Club and lots of after-school clubs. There is a library and we have a School Council and Debate Team. Children earn 'Reading Wristbands' for reading regularly.

Music is very important at Nelson and we have choirs that regularly perform in and out of school. Some children learn to play musical instruments.



If children like sport, they can join athletics, multi-sports or basketball club and sometimes take part in competitions.

## What happens at the end of the day?

At the end of the school day, the teacher reads a story to the class and the children gather their coats and bags, before they line up to go home. The class wait in the playground and the teacher says goodbye as their grown-ups collect them.



Kareem and Audra are waving goodbye to their teacher and classmates as they go home with their grown-ups.





Kareem and Audra had a lovely welcome when they joined Nelson Primary School and they know you will too!



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