

Sophie, Imani and Dalip are coming  
to Wilkinson Primary School



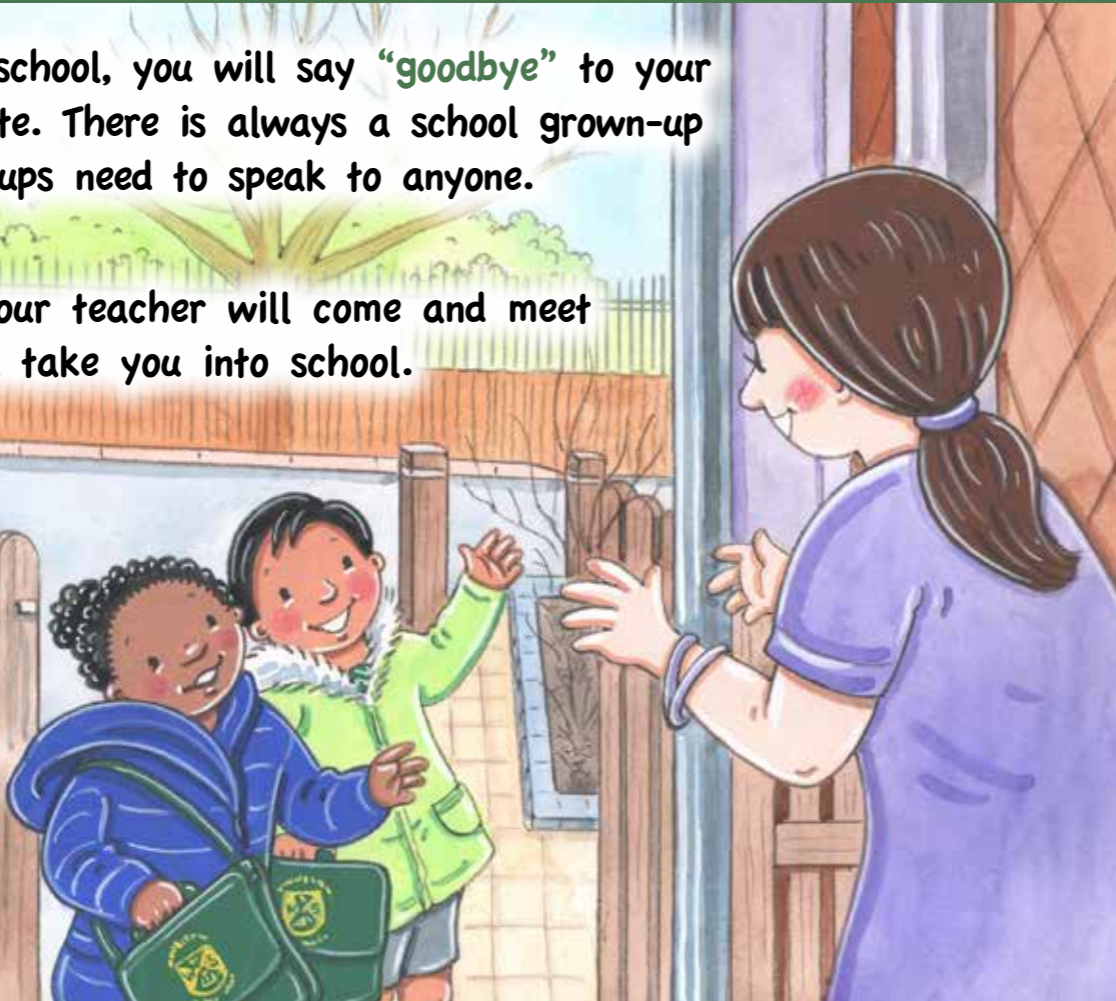
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## What happens when I get to school?

When you arrive at school, you will say “goodbye” to your grown-ups at the gate. There is always a school grown-up there if your grown-ups need to speak to anyone.

On your first day, your teacher will come and meet you at the gate and take you into school.



When you come into school, you will put your coat in the cupboard on your own special coat hook. You will put your book bag in your book bag tray and lunch box onto the trolley.



Dalip and Sophie are having fun threading beads and playing together.

Your teacher will check who is in school and ask if you are having a school lunch or have brought a packed lunch.

Then you will go into the classroom and ‘Get Busy’, where you pick an activity to do until everyone is in the class.



Then you will go into your groups and start your activities for the day.

Are you looking forward to starting school?

## What will I do in school?

You can do activities indoors and outdoors. Sometimes you will do activities with your teacher and sometimes with your friends or by yourself.

The children are looking at sounds with the teacher.

group activities

maths activities

phonic sessions

Play-Doh

Imani, Sophie and Katie are practising the words they have looked at with the teacher.



outdoor play

Sophie and Dalip are playing outside.  
“When I’ve finished on the scooter, you can have a go,” says Dalip to Sophie.  
They are having fun sharing.

art

reading

creative sessions

PE

Imani and Dalip are making some lovely pictures.

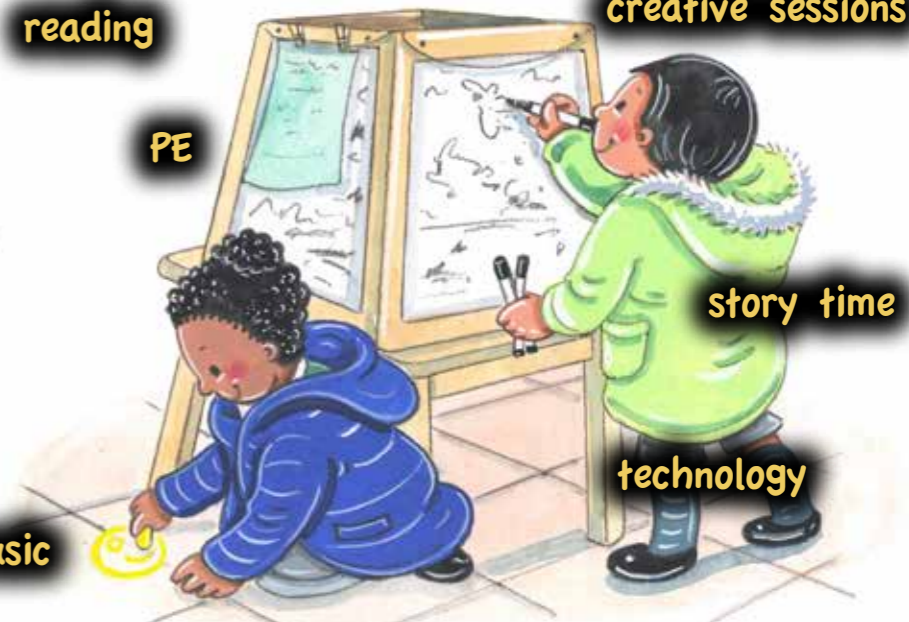
“I’m drawing a happy face,” says Imani.

“I’m drawing a bird,” says Dalip.

music

story time

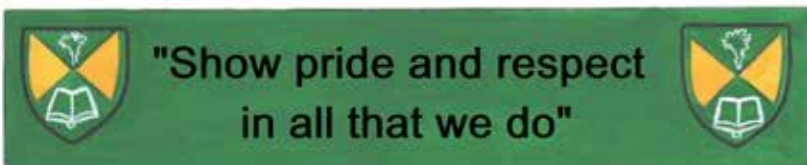
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## What do you like doing with your friends?

## What if I'm hungry or thirsty?

You will have snack time in the morning. You will wash your hands before you have something to eat. You can have fruit and milk or water.



The teacher is reading the children a story while they have their snack. The children are eating carrots today.

"I can't wait to crunch into this carrot," says Imani. The children like trying tasty snacks every day.



At lunchtime you will go to the hall to have your lunch.

If you are having a school meal, you will queue up to collect your meal from the serving area. Your grown-ups will know what food you can choose each day, so you can talk about it at home.

If you have brought a packed lunch, you will collect it from the trolley in the hall.

When you have collected your meal, you can sit with your friends.

"I love my lunch," says Sophie.

The children have practised using their cutlery at home and everyone is being very kind and helpful to each other.

There are lots of kind grown-ups in the lunch hall who are there to help. Just put your hand up if you need anything.



What is your favourite meal?

## What if I need the toilet?



When you need to go to the toilet, put your hand up to let your teacher know. Try and use the toilet during breaktimes, but don't worry if you need help at other times.

"Please can I go to the toilet?" asks Sophie.

"Yes, you can," says the teacher.  
"Thank you for asking so nicely."

The toilets are just outside the classroom, so it doesn't take long to get there and they are very easy to find.

Sophie has been to the toilet. She has flushed and made sure that the toilet is ready for the next child who will use it.

She is washing her hands with warm water and soap. Then she will dry them carefully with a paper towel before she goes back to the classroom.

"I'm glad that I practised using the toilet by myself at home," she says.

She isn't worried about having an accident or asking for help though. She knows that she can just tell her teacher if she needs help.



Can you use the toilet by yourself?

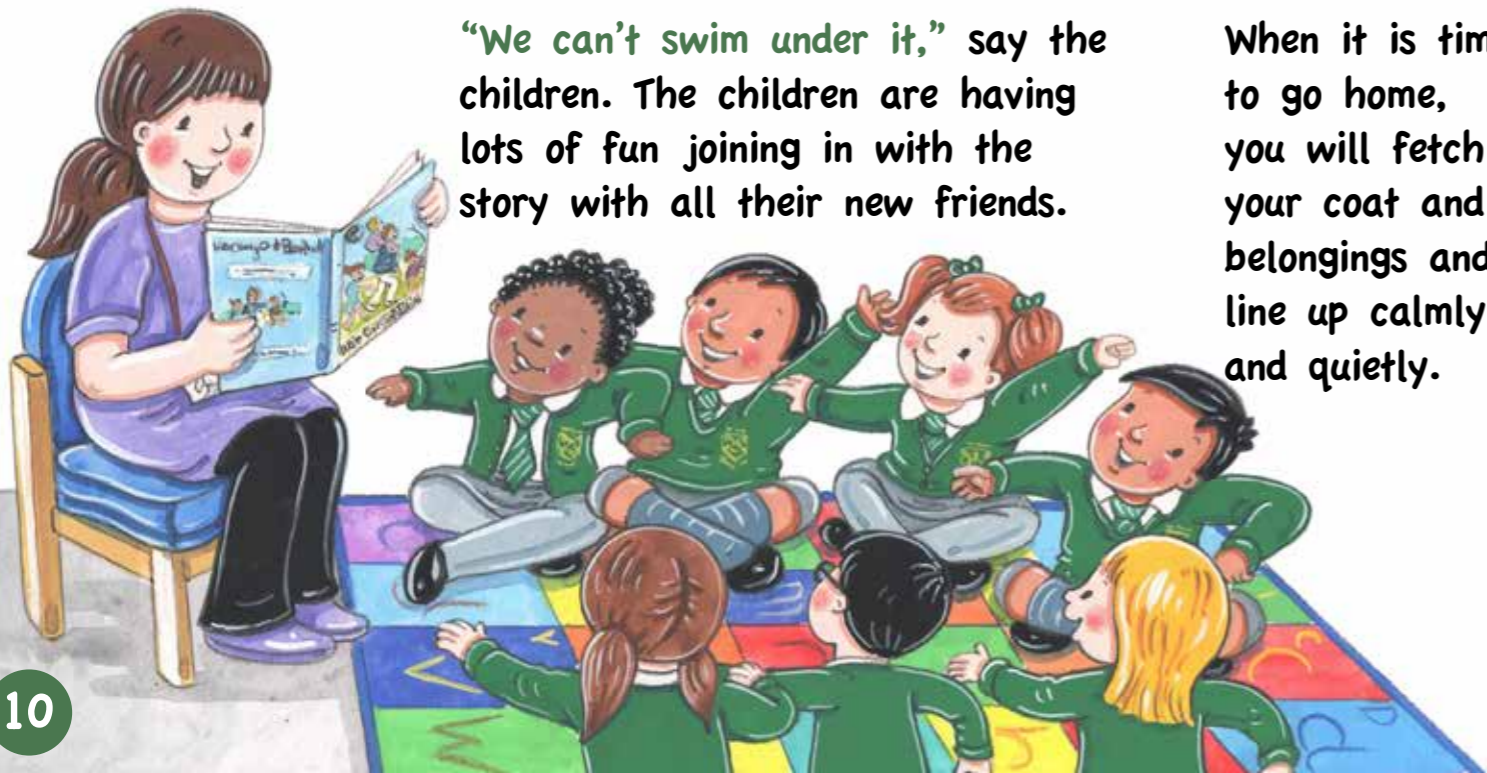
## What happens at the end of the school day?

At the end of the school day, we will all tidy up. Then you will sit on the carpet and listen to a story or sing a song.

Today the story is 'We're going on a bear hunt'.

"We can't swim under it," say the children. The children are having lots of fun joining in with the story with all their new friends.

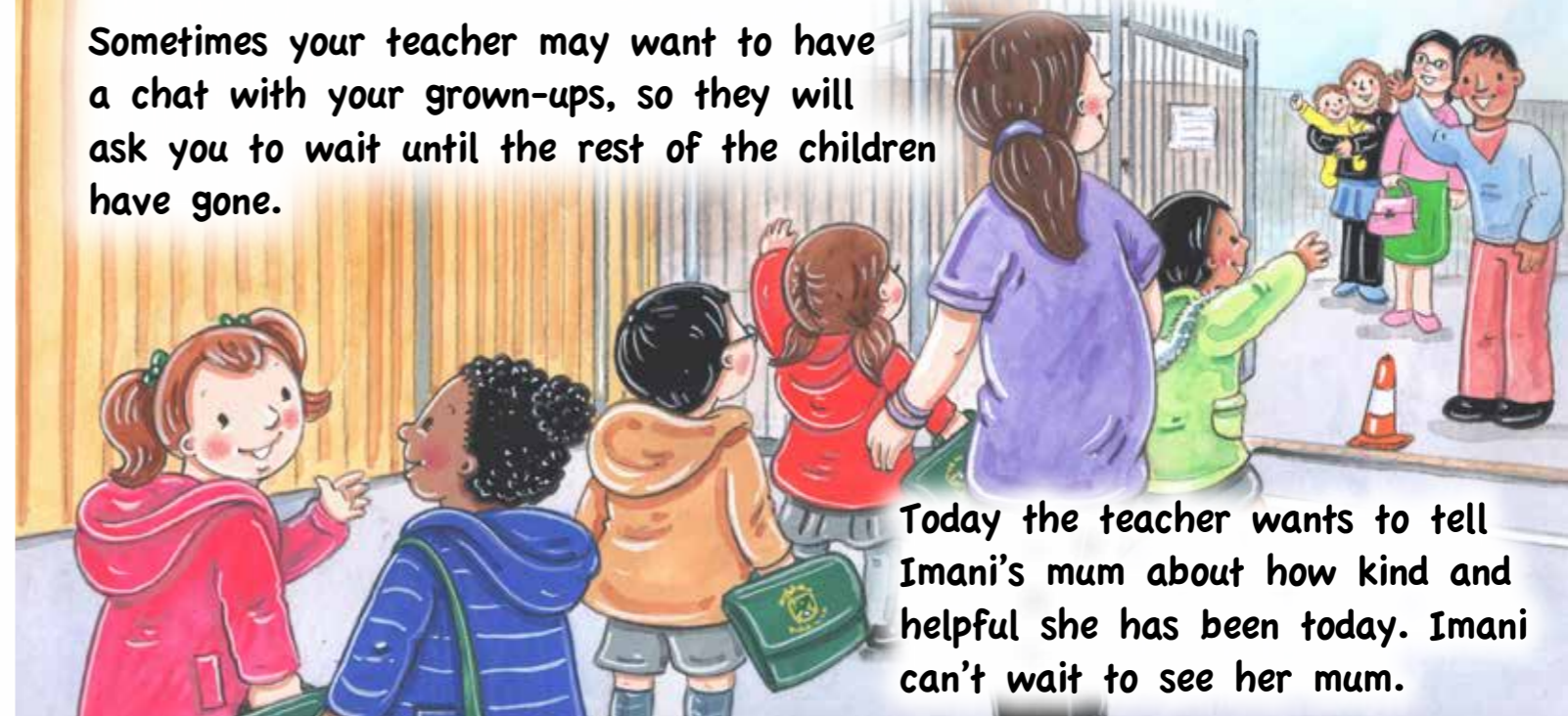
When it is time to go home, you will fetch your coat and belongings and line up calmly and quietly.



Your teacher will lead you out to the main gate, where your grown-ups will be waiting to meet you.

Let your teacher know when you see your grown-ups by putting your hand up. When your teacher says you can go, you can go home.

Sometimes your teacher may want to have a chat with your grown-ups, so they will ask you to wait until the rest of the children have gone.



Today the teacher wants to tell Imani's mum about how kind and helpful she has been today. Imani can't wait to see her mum.

When do you start school?

We all love growing  
together at Wilkinson  
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