

Jasmine, Freddie and Joseph love going to The Brier School



The Brier School

*Preparing for Life -
Building on our Strengths*





Jasmine's dad takes her to school.
Freddie and Joseph arrive in a white minibus.

What happens when I get to school?

"I'm really excited about school today," Jasmine says to her dad, and she waves at all her friends.

"It's great fun on the minibus," says Freddie.
"I made new friends."

"Hello Joseph, good morning, Jasmine," says the Headteacher, Mr Hinton.

"I hope I can practise the guitar today," Joseph says to Mr Hinton.



Are you excited about starting school, like Jasmine is?

"I love writing on the computer," says Jasmine.



What will I do in school?

"Thanks to school, I'm fantastic at playing the guitar," says Joseph.



"The bubbles in the tube are brilliant," says Freddie.
"They make me laugh."




There are lots of exciting activities to do in school, including:

- Choosing songs and rhymes on the interactive white board
- Enjoy lights and sounds in the sensory room
- Learn to run, jump and climb with friends in soft play
- Learn with the help of my iPad
- Learn to share and take turns inside and outside



What activities do you like to do?





When you get to school
you can have breakfast.
And a mid-morning snack
and drink too.

What if I'm thirsty or hungry?

Jasmine talks to a friend,
and picked her favourite
to eat...fish fingers!

"I like eating crunchy
apples at snack time,"
says Freddie.

At lunchtime, adults will help
you get the food you like.
Freddie and his friends sign to
one another using Makaton.

"Thanks for helping me
with my tray," Joseph
says to an adult helper.
He's having sausage
and mash.

What is your favourite food?



What if I need the toilet?



If you need the toilet it's good to tell an adult. Freddie uses the toilet card to show he needs to go.

If you don't ask, don't worry...we can usually tell if you need the toilet.

An adult can take you to the toilet and help you. "I was really good at washing my hands", says Freddie.

Some children may wear pull-ups or nappies, and adults will help with this too.

Do you wash your hands too?



What happens at home-time?

You will get your coats and school bags, and wait in the hall for your adults to collect you, or taxis and mini-buses to take you home.



"I like your story book,"
Jasmine says to Freddie.

"Yes, it is my favourite story at school," says Freddie.
"my mummy reads it to me at home, too."

Everyone has had a
fantastic time at school
and can't wait to come
back tomorrow.

Joseph shows an adult a drawing he has done.
"It's Doctor Who and a Dalek," he says
proudly. "I'd like to meet Doctor Who!"



Are you starting school soon?

Playtime is fun at The Brier School



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