

Jack, George and Hannah are excited to be starting at Nyland School

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How will you introduce me to Nyland School?

Before you start at Nyland School, you will visit us with your grown-ups. You will meet one of the adults who help to run the school. This is usually Mrs Birkett, our Deputy Headteacher and SENDCO.



"I can't wait to welcome you to Nyland School. We have so many fun things planned," says Mrs Birkett.

You will chat and learn all about the school. You will

also get to have a look around the school and find out where everything is. Everyone is really friendly at Nyland.

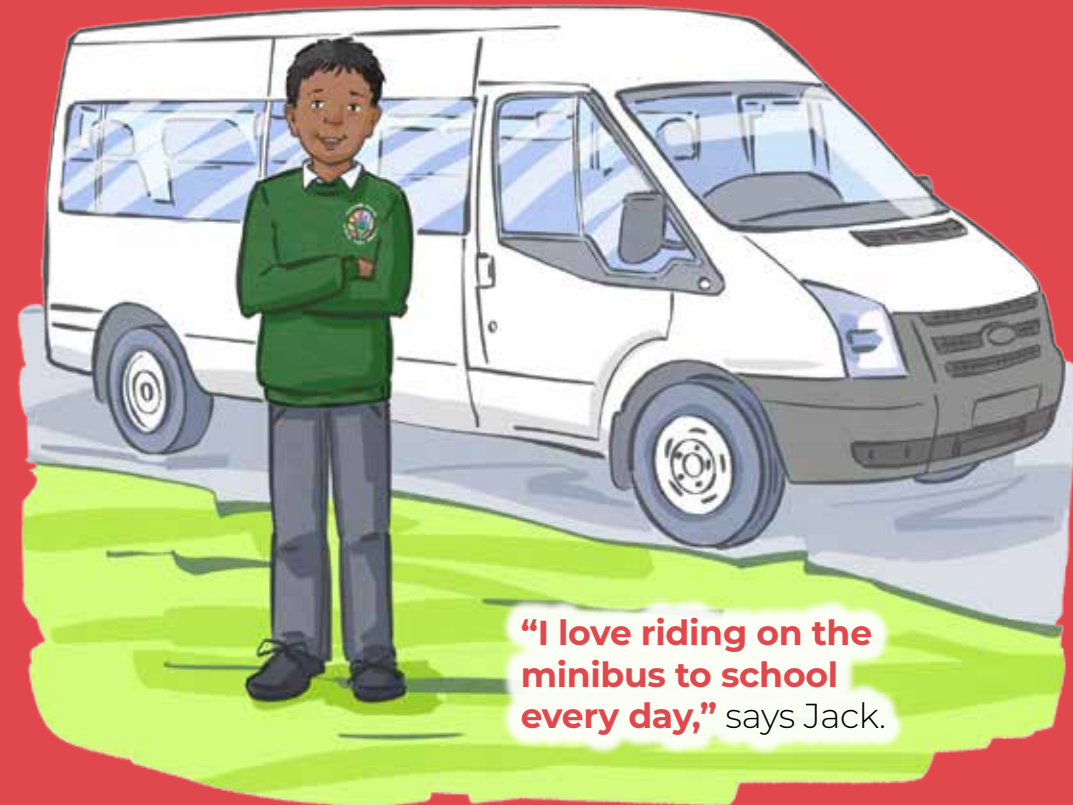


"I am so excited to look around the school," says George to his mum.

On your first day, you will come to school by minibus or taxi or with your grown-up.

If you come by minibus or taxi, kind grown-ups will take care of you all the way to school.

You will be met at school by your teachers, who will take you to your classroom.



"I love riding on the minibus to school every day," says Jack.

Are you excited about meeting your new friends and teachers?

What will I do at Nyland School?

We have small classes at Nyland School. This means your teachers will get to know you and your class friends really well. You will spend lots of time together, like one big family!

Your teachers will learn all about you so they can create a range of work and activities that are perfect for you.



The teacher is working with Hannah and getting to know her. She is finding out what she enjoys doing at school.

You will do lots of fun and interesting activities at school. Sometimes you will do work with your teacher, sometimes on your own, and sometimes in groups with your friends.

You will do writing activities, reading, maths and science. You will also have a brilliant Design Technology lesson every week. In this lesson, you will use lots of interesting tools and make lots of exciting things.



What are you looking forward to doing at Nyland School?

How will you help me feel happy and confident at school?

Our classrooms are very calm places and our teachers are kind and here to support you.

If you are finding things difficult in the classroom, your teachers will help you cope and will let you have some time out if things get too much.

We will also teach you about **Zones of Regulation**, which will help you cope when you are having difficult feelings. You will learn more about these special zones when you start school.

Everyone at Nyland School wants you to feel happy and do well, and we will help you to do your best.



The Headteacher is helping George with his reading.

What else can I do at Nyland?

There are so many fun outdoor activities that you can do at Nyland.

You can go cycling, do forest crafts and even go canoeing! During the school year, you will also have swimming lessons.

Every year, we love to take our pupils on exciting trips. In Year 6, you can even go on a residential trip to visit a farm with your friends.

We also have lots of other fun activity days throughout the year, like World Book Day and fundraising for Children in Need.

“Canoeing is so exciting. I feel so brave!”
says Hannah.



What is your favourite outdoor activity?

What if I am hungry or thirsty?

Every morning, we will give you breakfast to start your day at school. You will also get a healthy fruit snack, mid-morning.

Jack and George are chatting and enjoying their breakfast at school.

"Bagels are so delicious,"
says Jack.

"I am having cereal today,"
says George.



In the morning, you will choose with your teacher what you would like for your lunch. You can choose from a hot meal or a jacket potato. We also have a salad bar. All our school meals are healthy and delicious.

If you prefer, you can bring a packed lunch.

At lunchtime, you will collect your lunch from the school kitchen and take it back to your classroom to eat with your friends.

Kind grown-ups are there to help if you need it. Remember to be polite and say, "please," and "thank you".

Jack is having his lunch with Tom and Olivia.

"What is your favourite vegetable?" asks Jack.



"I love peas, and I am having them with my lunch today!"
says Tom.

What is your favourite meal?

What happens at the end of the day?

At the end of the school day, you will sit with your friends and your teacher to talk about all the fun things you have done and what you have learned.

If your teacher has any messages for your grown-ups, they will put them in your book bag.

Your teachers will also telephone your grown-ups if they have any important information to tell them and will send them emails to let them know how you are doing at school.



Your grown-ups can also send messages to your teacher in your book bag.



When it's time to go home, you will collect your coat, book bag and belongings and you be taken to the pickup point.

You will be collected by your grown-ups or by the adults who are taking you home by minibus or taxi.

“Hello, Jack. Have you had a nice day?” asks the kind grown-up who is driving Jack home on the minibus.



“I have had such a fun day,” says Jack. **“I can’t wait to tell my mum and dad all about it.”**

Are you looking forward to coming to Nyland School?

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George, Hannah and Jack love coming to Nyland School and they think you will too!



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