

Moving to
Year 1

Owl
Class

After the summer holidays you will be in Year 1!

Your teachers will be:



Mrs Pickering
Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday

and



Mrs George
Thursday & Friday

You will also have teaching assistants to help you with your work. You will meet them when you start there.

In Year 1 you play in the playground like you did in Reception and you line up when the whistle blows.

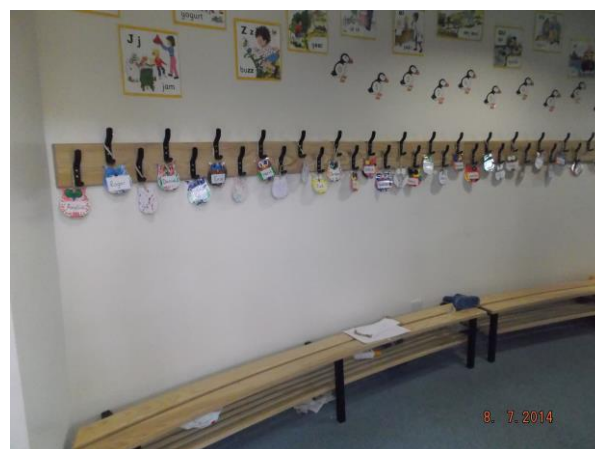
Then, when the teacher tells you to go in, you wave to your Mum or Dad and walk in with the rest of your line.



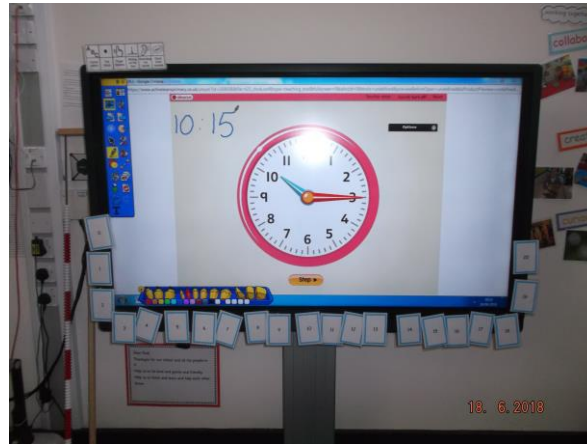
Don't forget to put your lunch box, afternoon snack and water bottle on your class trolley when you arrive.



You hang up your things in the cloakroom on the peg which has your name on it; someone will help you find these on the first day.



When you come into the classroom you will sit on the carpet and the teacher takes the register. You will be asked what you are having for lunch, much the same as in Reception class.



The classroom looks the same as Reception class; there is still a carpet, tables, chairs and whiteboard.

Instead of 2 computers there are 6 laptops so more children can use them at the same time.



In Year 1 there is still a lot of choosing time but not quite as many things to choose from. Some of the things are the same as Reception and some are different.



You won't know where the equipment and other things are to start with but you must ask if you need something.

The toilets are situated in the same area in the cloakroom; you still need to ask if you need to go just like in Reception.



Sometimes children think the work is going to be too hard but the teachers choose jobs that they

think will be fun and someone will help you if you need it.



At lunchtime you go to the hall as usual but sit at different tables with your Year 1 friends. You need to remember to go back to the right classroom when you come back!

Don't forget you will see the teachers from Reception at playtimes and they would love you to come and have a chat.

Although moving to Year 1 sounds worrying, it is fine when you get used to it and everyone is happy to help, so if you are feeling anxious just tell someone and they should be able to sort out your problem.

