Steps to starting school

Build your child's confidence so that they start school confident, curious and ready to learn

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need to follow-

rules

I can use a

knife and fork and open my

lunch on my

own

unbutton my

shirt, use a zin

and put on my

own shoes &

socks

I enjoy making

marks and

have practised

holding a

pencil

I am able to

ask for help

if I don't

feel well

- for their new routine by switching their meal times to match those of the school day
- Encourage your child to explore new environments and interact with new people
- Talk to your child about what they are most looking forward to at school
- Let your child practise putting their new school uniform on and taking it off
- And remember, every child is different and starts school with different abilities





