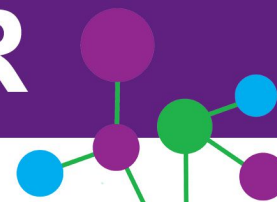


GETTING READY FOR



Plympton Academy

Inspiring Success

For Parents

- ✓ Attend all the open evenings and meetings you can.

- ✓ Read all the information sent home from Plympton Academy and return it in a timely manner.
- ✓ Label everything.

- ✓ Make a list of questions to help you remember your concerns before you get to Plympton Academy.
- ✓ Buy school uniform, books, stationery, school bag and a drink bottle.

The first day



- ✓ Help your child set their alarm clock.
- ✓ Make sure your child has your contact numbers.



The first week

- ✓ Encourage your child to pack their bag the night before - making sure to remember PE kit.

- ✓ Photocopy school timetable for use at home.
- ✓ Help your child check their planner daily.

At home

- ✓ Talk positively to your child about the move to Plympton Academy.

- ✓ Make sure your child is used to using a quiet work area for doing homework in.
- ✓ Decide how your child will get to and from school and what to do if that plan fails.

- ✓ Practice making the journey to Plympton Academy with your child using the transport they will use (let your child have the money for this trip and buy the tickets). Or if walking plan and walk down the best route to look for safe crossings.

Encourage independence



- ✓ Can your child walk to Plympton Academy with a group of friends?
- ✓ Encourage your child to carry and be in control of a small amount of money.

- ✓ Actively encourage your child to participate in any transition to Plympton Academy offered to them.

Please provide Plympton Academy with an up-to-date email address and any medication your child needs.

