

Helpful information for you to know on the first day

- Know the child's name and how to pronounce it
- Do the parents/ carers speak English (you may need an interpreter)
- Does the pupil have any siblings? Liaison with other schools to aid support may be needed
- Are there any dietary/ religious requirements? (i.e. fasting, dress code?)
- What is the pupils home language? Some languages also have a number of dialects so try to find out as much as possible.
- Can the child read and write in their home language?
- What age did the child start school and where did they go? (Not all children start school at the same age)
- Are there any other family members or friends living nearby?