



# Preparing for School

Welcome to Mile Cross Primary School



## Top Tips for school readiness

We hope you and your child are looking forward to September.

We know this is a big step, but there are lots of things you can do to help your child get ready to start school.

Here are some useful websites and video links:

### Starting School with CBeebies:

Games and activities for children as well as advice for parents/carers.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/curations/starting-school-curation>

### Getting Ready to start school with Just One Norfolk:

A video, quiz and advice for parents, plus links to '10 Fun Activities' videos based on some of the Early Learning Goals.

<https://www.justonenorfolk.nhs.uk/childhood-development-additional-needs/supporting-development/starting-school>

### Transition Tips from the Norwich Opportunity Area:

A video of top tips for parents/carers.

<https://norwichopportunityarea.co.uk/top-tips/>



*I can put my socks and shoes on myself.*



*I can zip up my coat.*



## Norfolk Family Learning

Visit the Norfolk Family Learning website to sign up for workshops and online learning. Courses include *Little Talkers*, *Little Movers*, *Making Friends and Promoting Positive Behaviour*.

<https://www.norfolk.gov.uk/education-and-learning/adult-learning/courses/family-learning-courses>

## The Library Service

Ask to borrow a 'Ready for School' bag from your local library.



## Talk & Play

Good communication skills are the most important thing your child will ever learn! Discover new ideas here or take the Nine-day challenge

<https://www.norfolk.gov.uk/children-and-families/childcare-and-early-learning/home-learning/talk-and-play-ideas>

## Just One Number

Call 0300 300 0123 for any health-related questions, from toilet training to advice about behaviour.

