

Moving onto High School



Name:

Primary School:

High School:

Organising myself

When I start High School



I will have to get up at

When I get up I will have to:

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I will leave for school at

My journey to school will be by:

* Car * bus * Walking * train

* Bicycle * mini-bus



I will travel with:

* An adult * a friend * on my own

* a brother / sister *with my parents/guardian

True or false

I am looking forward to High school

True 1 2 3 4 5 False

I may have lots of things to remember for school

True 1 2 3 4 5 False

I may have a different teacher for each subject

True 1 2 3 4 5 False

I may have homework most days

True 1 2 3 4 5 False

I will already know my way around the school

True 1 2 3 4 5 False



Things to remember



List 5 things I may need to remember everyday:

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.



I will still have to do homework

I will still have to follow the rules



Things that stay the same

I will still have to wear a uniform

I will still have breaks during the day

I will still have to

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The journey to and from school

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Things that will change

The time school starts and finishes

I may have to change rooms for each lesson

I may have a different teacher for each subject

Can you think of any others?

My Taster day



When I visited my new school I felt

My tutor/ teachers name is

I am in class _____

I met some new people, their names are _____

The best part of the day was _____

Some of the other teacher's names are

We ate our lunch in the _____

I remember how to get to the _____

Other things I remember are _____

My favourite part of the day was _____

Finding my way around

Most Year 6 pupils feel a little scared about going to a school, which is much bigger than their Primary school.



Sometimes they feel worried about getting lost or being late for a lesson.

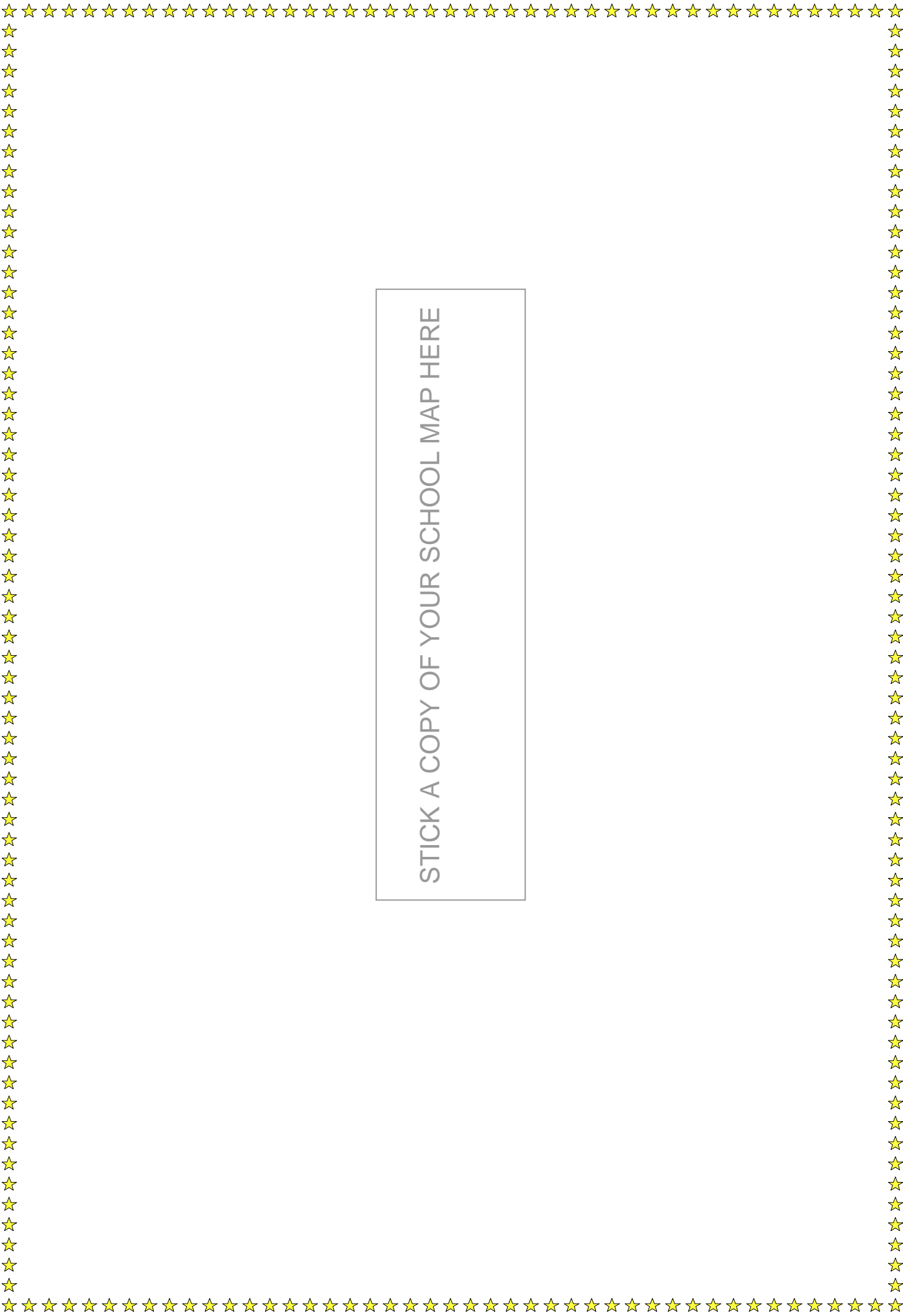


I could use a map to help me find different places in my new school.



I will soon know my way around.

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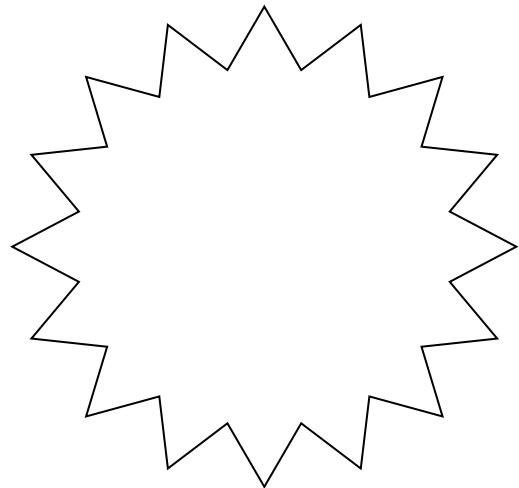
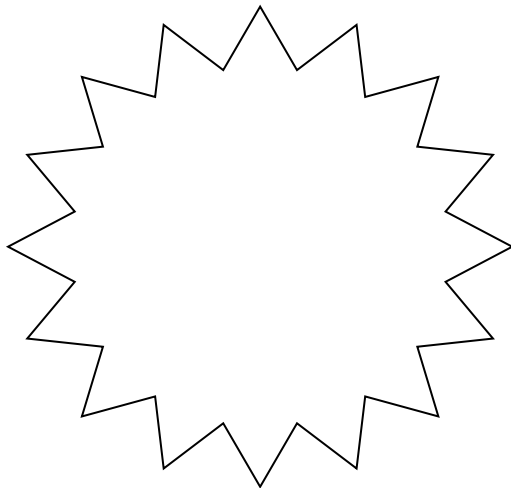
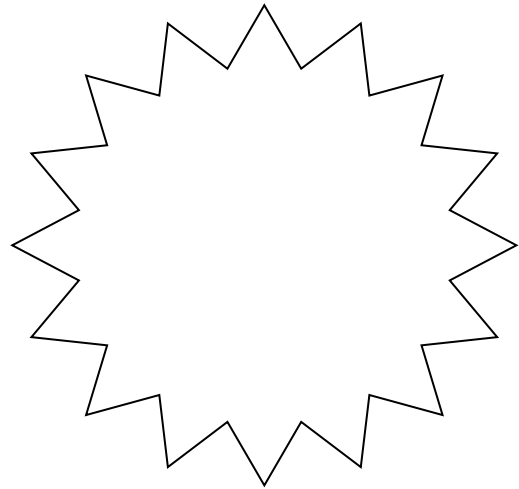
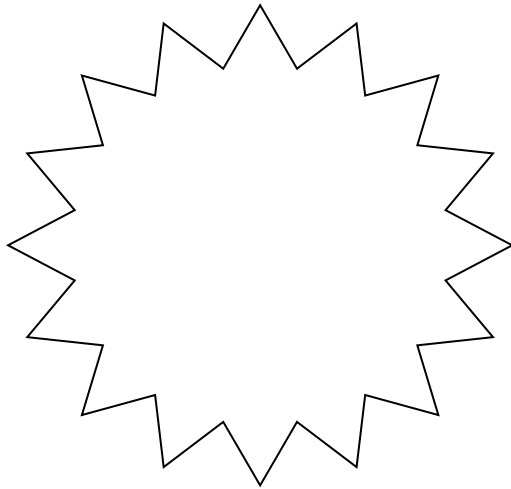
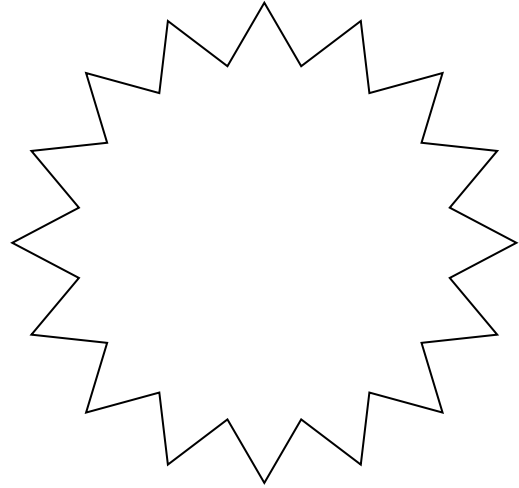
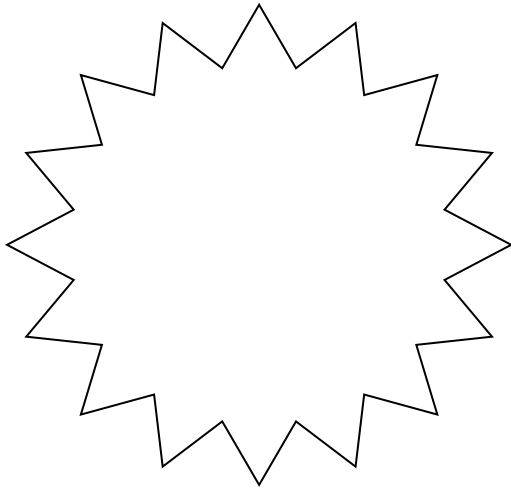


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Looking Forward



These are some of the things I am looking forward to:



Worried about...



These are some of the things I am worried about:

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Social Tips

“You should try to be kind.”



“Try to meet new people.”

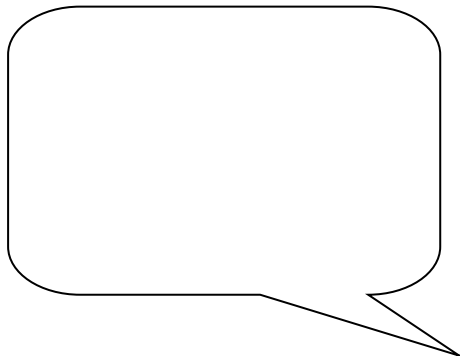


“Remember that everyone needs a chance.”

“Find out about any clubs available at school.”

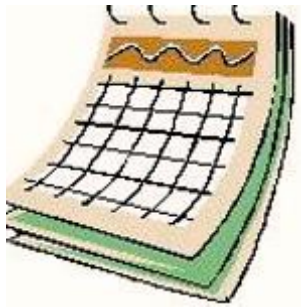
“Be polite to others.”

“Ask for help if you need it.”



Practical Tips

**After school,
pack my bag
ready for the
next day**



**Keep a copy of
my timetable
at home**

**Use a different
plastic wallet for
each subjects'
books**



Add your idea here...





Letter to the year 6 children moving onto High school

Hello,

I am in year 7 at a local High school and I would like to tell you how I felt when I started High school. Right from when I found out which school I was going to I started to get a bit worried.

I had heard many things about High school and was not sure if they were true or not. One of them was that you got a detention every time you talked in class or didn't do your homework. Now I know that detentions are not really given unless you don't follow the rules, just like in primary school really.

I was very nervous on my first day. I didn't really know anybody and thought that I wouldn't have anyone to talk to. I was wrong, I made friends quite quickly that week and they are still my friends now. Everybody was looking for new friends the same as I was.

I really enjoy school now and have settled down well (I think). My new teachers are great and if I need extra help or really don't understand something; they try to help me sort things out.

You do get used to the new rules and the different timetables; it just takes a few weeks to adjust to it. As long as you do your homework, pack your bag the night before and get plenty of sleep (my mum makes me go to bed at nine thirty now because I have to get up earlier!!) you will all be fine.

I hope you all get on really well at your new schools and that all your worries just disappear when you start your new school.
Good luck!

Moving On to High School

I am in year 6 at _____
I will soon be leaving and going to another school
My new school is called _____

Usually children can get a bit worried when they are about to go to a high school because of the changes in routine

Sometimes things are the same at high school, but usually things are done in another way

For example, at primary school children usually have the same teacher for most lessons and in high school I may be taught by a variety of teachers

I will try to stay calm about moving on to high school and enjoy the rest of my time at primary school



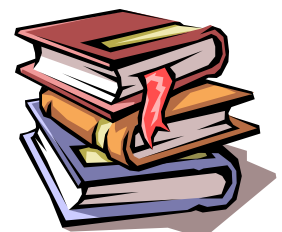
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