



Orientation Day

MOE Kindergarten @ Frontier

10 Nov 2020





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Ms Syura



Ms Cindy



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Ms Poonam



Ms Erin



Ms Dania



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Ms Idah



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Chen Laoshi



Yu Laoshi



Liu Laoshi



Cikgu Nura



Cikgu Amira



Aasiriyyai Anu



Shan Yin Laoshi

Collaboration with FPS



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Exciting Spaces



Makers Space



Library

Exciting Spaces



Computer Dens



Rock Wall

Exciting Spaces



Click here to view the exciting spaces from Frontier Primary School -
https://frontierpri-moe-edu-sg-admin.cwp.sg/wp-content/uploads/2020/11/Exciting-Spaces.mp4?_=2



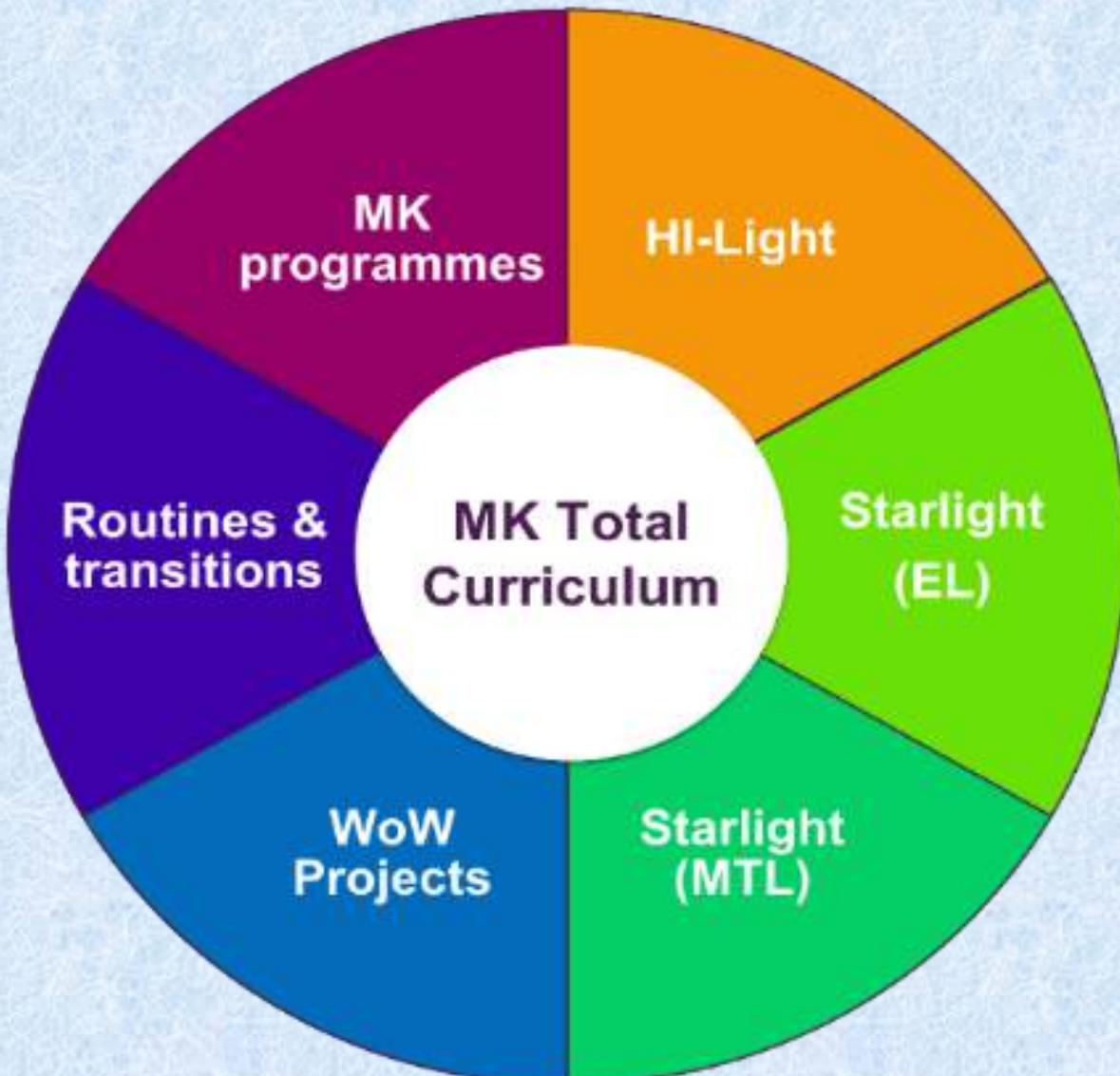
WHAT YOU
NEED TO
KNOW?



OVERVIEW

- ~ MK Learning Environment
- ~ MK Total Curriculum
 - Outdoor
 - Learning Centres
 - Flagship Programmes

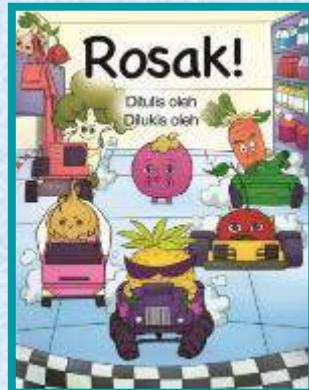
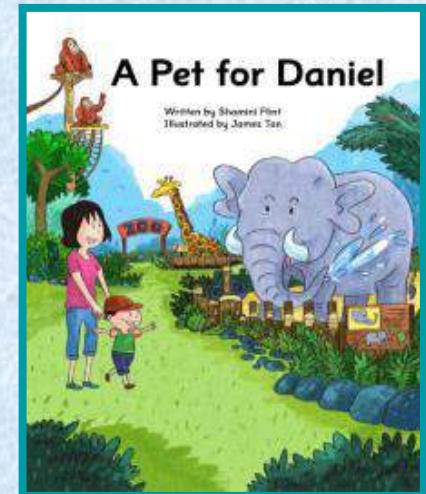
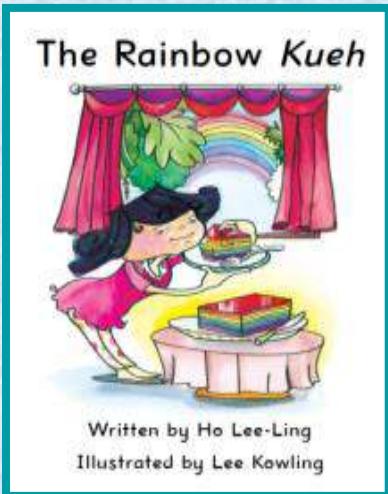
MK Total Curriculum



Flagship programmes



Flagship programmes



Weeks of Wonder (Wow) Projects

1 I wonder

- Children choose a topic of interest as a class to find out more about
- Children discuss and ask questions about the topic



What We Know	What we Want to know
- Looks like the number ZERO (Zero)	1. Is the sun circle?
- Looks like the letter 'O' (Oh)	2. Is the ball a circle?
- A circle has a curved line (Juu)	3. How to draw a circle?
- No straight lines (Samee)	4. What shapes or pictures can we make using circles?
- Circle has no sides (Gibon)	5. What other food are circular in shape?
- Circle has no points (Ziyan)	6. Why are wheels circle?
- Round	7. Can we form circle with our bodies?



2 I find out

- Children find answers by watching videos, looking through websites, thinking and observing the things around them
- Children explore activities and experiments based on the topic

3 I know

- At the end of the project, children reflect and share what they have learnt and found out from the project.





Indoor Learning Environment



Click here for a virtual tour of our classroom

<https://goo.gl/maps/P2ZssfBKyS6kpmAn6>



Outdoor Learning Environment



Click here for a virtual tour of our garden
<https://goo.gl/maps/xeXJBHAApY3cpAiY8>



Outdoor Learning Environment



Click here for a virtual tour of our water play area

<https://goo.gl/maps/DWdCJZk83CZnykVX7>

Learning Environment



Classroom

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Garden

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You can also access these links to view the different spaces and outdoor learning areas of MK @ Frontier:

Sand Pit / Imaginary Play
Water Play
Gallery

<https://goo.gl/maps/FWUxpcg9mAxUE7DB6>
<https://goo.gl/maps/DWdCJZk83CZnykVX7>
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Via Frontier Primary School <https://frontierpri.moe.edu.sg/virtual-tour-of-moe-kindergarten-frontier/>

Outdoor Learning Activities



Outdoor Learning Activities



Outdoor Learning Activities



A Day in MOE Kindergarten @ Frontier!



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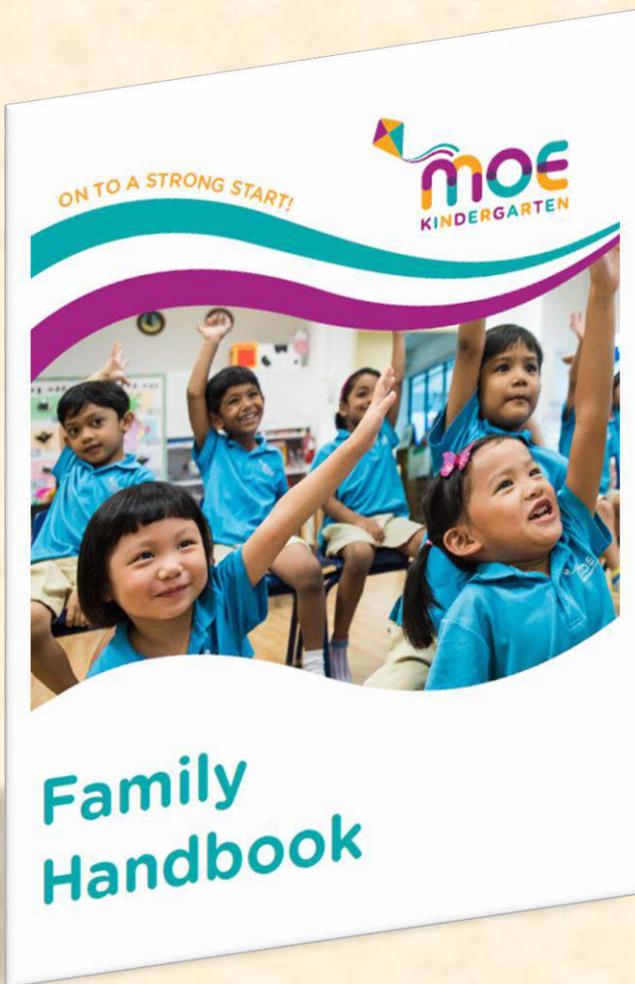
OVERVIEW

Your Orientation Package

- ~ Family Handbook
- ~ Communication Platform
- ~ Authorisation Passes
- ~ Arrival and Dismissal
- ~ Well-Being of Children
- ~ Kindergarten Uniform
- ~ Kindergarten Financial Assistance Scheme
- ~ Snacks
- ~ Typical Day



Family Handbook



- ~  **Information and practices in MOE Kindergarten @ Frontier.**
- ~  **Each family will be issued one handbook during the submission of the forms on MK Admin Day, 11th November 2020.**
- ~  **Read and submit acknowledgement form (last page of Family Handbook) on the first day of school, 4th January 2021.**



Your Orientation Package via email

- Information on Arrival and Dismissal
- Sample Snack Menu / Class Timetable
- Programme for First 2 Days of School
- Daily Checklist
- Calendar of Events for Term 1
- Communication Platform



You will receive your orientation package on the 20th November 2020 via email.

Communication platform



Connecting with teachers via Telegram.



For administrative matters, we can be reached via:

-  Email: mk_frontier@moe.edu.sg
-  Telephone: **6686 3665**
-  Admin: **6578 9555**



AUTHORISATION PASS

- I. Provide required information and photos for the passes via the online Child Data Form.



2. Each family will receive 2 Authorisation Passes.



3. Present this pass during arrival and dismissal times for the teachers to verify



To ensure safety of all children, we seek your cooperation to display your authorisation passes at all times.

You will receive these passes by the end of the first week of school.

Arrival and Dismissal

- Children will use our MK main gate, situated next to the bus stop, during arrival and dismissal.
- Authorization pass should be displayed at all times during arrival and dismissal.



Waiting
Area (K2)

MK Main Gate

Waiting
Area (K1)

KI Arrival and Dismissal

- Children are encouraged to attend kindergarten daily and be present for the entire programme.

AM Session	Arrival Timing	Dismissal Timing
K1 Care (K1CA)	07:45am	11:45am
K1 Happiness (K1HA)	07:50am	11:50am
K1 Kindness (K1KA)	07:55am	11:55am
K1 Respect (K1RA)	08:00am	12:00pm

PM Session	Arrival Timing	Dismissal Timing
K1 Care (K1CB)	12:45pm	04:45pm
K1 Happiness (K1HB)	12:50pm	04:50pm
K1 Kindness (K1KB)	12:55pm	04:55pm
K1 Respect (K1RB)	01:00pm	05:00pm

- **Blackout time (Strictly no arrival or dismissal for Kcare services):**
 - 7:45 am – 8:15am
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K2 Arrival and Dismissal

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AM Session	Arrival Timing	Dismissal Timing
K2 Inventiveness (K2IA)	07:45am	11:45am
K2 Resilience (K2RA)	07:50am	11:50am
K2 Wonderment (K2WA)	07:55am	11:55am
K2 Confidence (K2CA)	08:00am	12:00pm

PM Session	Arrival Timing	Dismissal Timing
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K2 Resilience (K2RB)	12:50pm	04:50pm
K2 Wonderment (K2WB)	12:55pm	04:55pm
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Parking Area



- Parents are encouraged to park your vehicles at the multi-storey carparks situated near the schools as there are no parking spaces in our school premises.



Health Check

- Parents are required to wait for your child to be clear from the temperature check and visual health screen at the waiting area.
- Please keep your child at home if they display signs of:
 - High fever (above 37.5 ° C)
 - Throat infection
 - Conjunctivitis (sore eyes)
 - Diarrhoea
 - Vomiting
 - Head lice
 - Communicable diseases such as chicken pox, gastric flu, hand-foot-and-mouth disease, measles, mumps, rubella



Entry strictly for children only

Well-being of Children

Children who return to kindergarten after recovering from an infectious disease will need to produce a medical certificate (MC) and/or a doctor's memo to certify that the child is fit and well to return to the kindergarten.



MK will not administer medication to your child.

Well-being of Children



Oral Digital Thermometer:

Each child will be given an oral digital thermometer on the first day of school. This is to encourage families to develop the habit of taking your child's temperature before coming to school. Should your child be unwell, please take your child to see the doctor.

Group Accident Insurance:



Upon registration and the first day of school, your child will be covered by Group Accident Insurance. This insurance is paid by the kindergarten. Coverage includes accidents that may occur within the premises of the MOE Kindergarten or during activities organised by the kindergarten (e.g. during field trips).

Kindergarten Fee Assistance Scheme (KIFAS)

Gross Monthly Household Income	Gross Per Capita Income	Monthly Kindergarten Fee after Subsidy* (With effect from Jan 2020)
\$3,000 and below	\$750 and below	\$1
\$3,001 - \$4,500	\$751 - \$1,125	\$15
\$4,501 - \$6,000	\$1,126 - \$1,500	\$60
\$6,001 - \$7,500	\$1,501 - \$1,875	\$80
\$7,501 - \$9,000	\$1,876 - \$2,250	\$100
\$9,001 - \$10,500	\$2,251 - \$2,625	\$120
\$10,501 - \$12,000	\$2,626 - \$3,000	\$150

- Families of children who are Singapore Citizens who need kindergarten fee assistance can apply for KIFAS provided by the Early Childhood Development Agency (ECDA) through MK.
- The family needs to satisfy either the Gross Monthly Household Income (HHI) or the Gross Monthly Per Capita Income (PCI) criterion.

For further queries, kindly contact our Admin Executive, Ms Barbara, at 6578 9555

Kindergarten Uniform

- Children are to be dressed in MK's uniform when attending school. More details can be found on page 18 of Family Handbook.



Kindergarten Uniform

Description	Cost per piece	Sizes	Remarks
Polo T-shirt (top)	\$7		Unisex
Shorts (boys' bottom)	\$8	S to 5XL	For boys
Skorts (girls' bottom)	\$8		For girls
Per set	\$15 (Each child is recommended to have 3 sets of uniform)		

- **Jeep Sing Fashion** is the appointed supplier for MK uniforms.
- Purchases can be made via online or through the retail store



Kindergarten Uniform

- Purchase of uniforms:
 - a. Online purchase
 - Parents are encouraged to make their purchases online (<https://jeepsinguniform.com/>) and have the uniforms delivered to their doorstep.
 - A delivery charge of \$5 is applicable per shipping address.
 - b. Retail purchase
 - Parents can head to Jeep Sing's retail store to purchase the uniforms.
 - Address:
 - 4012 Ang Mo Kio Ave 10,
#01-09 Techplace I Singapore 569628
 - (Nearest MRT stations: Bishan and Serangoon)
 - Number: 6456 3198
 - Opening Hours:
 - Mon – Fri: 10am - 6pm
 - Sat: 10am – 2pm
 - Sunday & Public Holiday: Closed

KINDERGARTEN UNIFORM SUBSIDY

- Parents who wish to apply for the MK uniform subsidy must satisfy the following eligibility criteria.
 - submitted the Application Form for the Kindergarten Fee Assistance Scheme (KiFAS) to the school, AND
 - Estimated gross monthly household income is up to \$1900 or per capita income per family member is not more than \$650.
- MK will issue a MOE KINDERGARTEN UNIFORM SUBSIDY LETTER for parents to claim their subsidised uniforms from the vendor.
- Parents will be informed of their KiFAS application outcome by ECDA.
- Parents are liable to pay \$45 for the 3 sets of uniforms directly to the vendor if they are not eligible for the uniform assistance after the applications are processed.



KINDERGARTEN UNIFORM SUBSIDY ORDER AND COLLECTION

- **For email order and delivery of uniforms:**
 - Please email the completed MK Uniform Subsidy letter to mk@jeepsinguniform.com.
 - You should receive an acknowledgement email within 3 working days.
- **For uniforms claim at retail store/collection at MK:**
 - Please bring either a printed or email copy of the MK Uniform Subsidy letter to Jeep Sing Fashion (4012 Ang Mo Kio Ave 10, #01-09, Singapore 569628)/MK.
 - The uniform supplier shall retain the claim slip (bottom of letter) as a supporting document.
 - For email copies, you should forward the email from the school with the PDF letter to mk@jeepsinguniform.com.
 - Please ensure the subject contains the MK name and child's name.

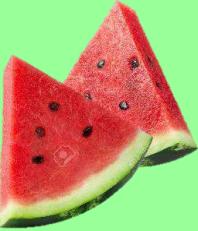
Snacks

- Children are served a variety of healthy snacks (e.g. whole meal buns, fruits, milk) on a daily basis.
- Snacks provided follows the Health Promotion Board guidelines, e.g. "Healthier Choice" symbol.
- Kindly inform class teachers of your child's food allergies.



SNACKS

DAY MENU	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
ODD WEEK OF EACH TERM (Week 1 & 3)	CEREAL (KOKO KRUNCH)	WHOLEMEAL BREAD WITH JAM / MARGARINE	APPLES	CEREAL (HONEY STARS)	WHOLEMEAL PLAIN MANTOU
	FULL CREAM MILK	SOYA BEAN MILK	MILO	FULL CREAM MILK	STRAWBERRY MILK
EVEN WEEK OF EACH TERM (Week 2 & 4)	CEREAL (KOKO KRUNCH)	WHOLEMEAL CRACKERS	WATERMELON	CEREAL (HONEY STARS)	WHOLEMEAL PLAIN MANTOU
	FULL CREAM MILK	SOYA BEAN MILK	MILO	FULL CREAM MILK	STRAWBERRY MILK

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Sample Daily Timetable



Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
8.00 - 8.10am		Arrival and Circle Time				
8.10 - 8.40am		Outdoor 				
8.40 - 9.40am		Starlight Literacy (MTL)				
9.40 - 10.00am		Snacks 				
10.00 - 10.30am		Learning Centre				
10.30 - 11.10am		Starlight Literacy (EL) 				
11.10 - 11.50am		HI - Light				
11.50 - 12.00pm		Recap and Dismissal 				

FIRST 2 DAYS OF SCHOOL

- ~ A significant milestone for each child
- ~ Preparing your child for the transition
- ~ "Getting to know you" Programme on
4th and 5th Jan 2021 (Mon and Tue),
8am – 9.30am and 1pm – 2.30pm
- ~ MKs will operate shorter hours on these two days

From **6th Jan 2021 (Wed)**, the MK will operate within
the normal hours of: 8am–12pm and 1-5pm



**Plans are subject to the development of the COVID-19 situation.*

Things to bring

- ~ 1 extra set of uniform
- ~ 1 extra set of undergarments
- ~ 2 extra sets of face mask in a resealable bag
- ~ Water bottle with sling, filled with plain water

KI AM

Getting to Know You

Programme - Day 1 and 2

- Date: 4th January 2021 and 5th January 2021
- Time: 8am – 9:30am (KI AM Session)

Timing	Day 1 and Day 2
8am – 8.30am	Welcome to MOE Kindergarten! Circle Time
8.30am – 8.50am	Snack Time & Toileting
8.50am – 9.20am	Activity Time
9.20am – 9.30am	Goodbye & MK Dismissal
9.30am – 11am	KCare (if applicable)
11am	KCare Dismissal

- Staggered arrival and dismissal timings will be informed on 31st December 2020.
- Due to COVID-19, parents will not be allowed into the centre's premises.
- Please note the sequence of activities may vary between the different classes.

KI PM

Getting to Know You

Programme - Day 1 and 2

- Date: 4th January 2021 and 5th January 2021
- Time: 1pm – 2:30pm (KI PM Session)

Timing	Day 1 & 2
1pm – 1.30pm	Welcome to MOE Kindergarten! Circle Time
1.30pm – 1.50pm	Snack Time & Toileting
1.50pm – 2.20pm	Activity Time
2.20pm – 2.30pm	Goodbye & MK Dismissal
2.30pm – 4pm	KCare (if applicable)
4pm	KCare Dismissal

- Staggered arrival and dismissal timings will be informed on 31st December 2020
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K2 PM Getting to Know You Programme - Day 1 and 2

- Date: 4th January 2021 and 5th January 2021
- Time: 1pm – 5pm (K2 PM Session)

Timing	Day 1 & 2
1pm – 1.45pm	Welcome to MOE Kindergarten! Circle Time
1.45pm – 2.45pm	EL Activity Time
2.45pm – 3.15pm	Snack Time & Toileting
3.15pm – 4.15pm	MTL Activity Time
4.15pm – 4.50pm	Learning Centre Activities
4.50pm – 5pm	Goodbye & MK Dismissal
7am – 1pm or 5pm onwards	KCare (if applicable)

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Transition into MOE Kindergarten



Helpful Tips

Tips for parents

**Signs to look out for during period of adjustment:
Separation Anxiety (2 weeks or more)**



Cry when you leave



Lose his/her appetite



Nightmares



Fall sick



Slight changes in behaviour

Transition into MK

Helping your child adjust to the new environment;



Inform your child
that he/she is going
to kindergarten



Read books about
going to school



Show him/her
pictures/videos of
the Kindergarten



Develop a daily activity schedule
including a consistent morning and
bedtime routine

Transition into MK

Helping your child adjust to the new environment;



Assure your child that
kindergarten is a
good and fun place



Pack his/her clothes,
school bag and water
bottle together



Reassure him/her of
your love and support



Bid your child goodbye when you
leave the kindergarten

Transition into MK

What can parents do?



Ensure child is punctual and regular in attending kindergarten



Importance of sleep



Spend some time with child in the morning to help him/her feel settled for the day



Share with the teacher or Centre Head your child's habits (eating, playing, toileting)

Discuss any concerns/suggestions related to child or the kindergarten



Parents should display a positive attitude as children pick up on your anxieties.

ON TO A STRONG START!

