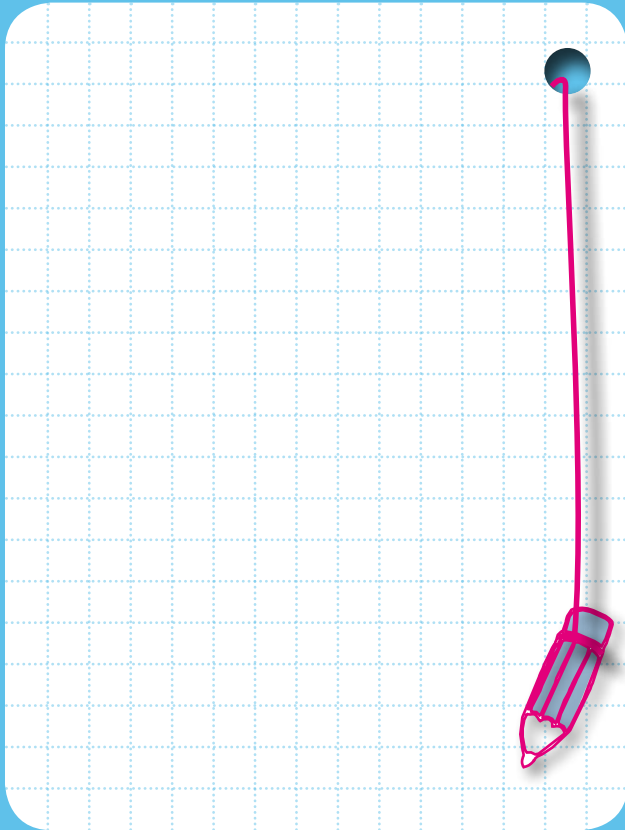
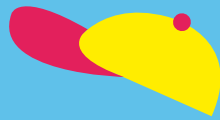




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### It's your responsibility as a parent

As a parent, you have a crucial part to play in all this and can act as a role model. Your child needs you to establish a set routine in the morning to ensure that he or she gets to school on time. You help make school important in your child's life! You help determine how much he or she likes school and is successful there.



**EXTRA TIP**  
Send your child to school as soon as he or she is 2,5!

### School activities

The school regularly organises fun activities to highlight the idea of 'Off to school every day – and on time'. We hope that you and your child will get involved in these.

**Do you have any questions?** Are there any practical difficulties preventing you from getting your child to school on time? If so, talk to your child's teacher or the school principal. We can work out a solution together.

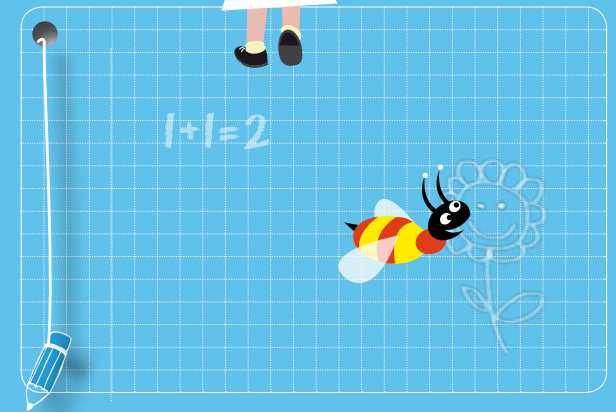


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Before and after holidays too

Get to school on time



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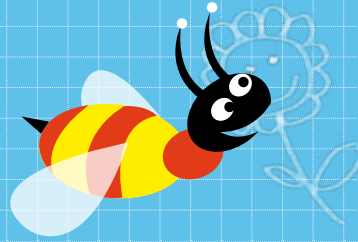
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## Off to school every day WHY?

It sounds quite logical: the more your child gets involved in class activities and can learn along with his or her classmates, the greater his or her chances of being successful later in life.

And it starts as early as nursery school. Research has shown that maximum participation in nursery education is a good basis for increasing opportunities and maximising success in children's subsequent school career.

Yet many parents don't seem to realise this: they drop their children off late at school, or regularly let them skip a day, or extend the school holidays for just a bit longer...

That's why we're giving this leaflet to the parents of all our children. We think it's important for every child to go to school and to be given every possible chance.

### We would therefore like to ask you to make sure that:

#### ...your child goes to school every school day.

*And that means nursery school too, even though it looks as if your child is 'only playing'. The teacher makes sure that the children are given things to do that are both fun and educational. And don't forget: if your child isn't there, he or she will be missed in our group! Children who don't speak much Dutch at home will also get plenty of opportunity to learn the language at school.*

#### ...your child gets to school on time in the morning.

*Then your child is there right at the start of the school day and is directly involved in the activities. That way, he or she immediately feels part of the group and is recognised by the group. The rest of the day is so much more enjoyable if you feel like you belong straightaway!*

#### ...your child also goes to school just before and just after the holidays.

*Plan your holidays carefully so as to ensure that your child does not miss any days at the end of the school year or at the start of a new school year.*

#### Give your child every chance, and help him or her make the most of the school experience. Don't forget: good habits start young!



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