

## **Children with SEND** may wish to ask some of these questions:

**Q: Who will help me?**

**A:** If you need help a teacher or ETA will support you with the bits you find tricky. Sometimes a friend or a partner might help.

**Q: What should I do if I am worried about something?**

**A:** Speak to your teacher or other adult in school. Speak to your parent or carer and tell them what you are worried about. Everyone worries at some point in their life and the school staff are here to reassure you.

**Q: How will I know if I am doing okay?**

**A:** Your teacher will let you know your targets and how to achieve them. You will have regular talks with your teacher about your progress. Your work will be marked to show what you need to do next and rewards will be given for making progress and doing well.

**Q: Will I be able to join clubs and go on school trips?**

**A:** We try really hard to make sure clubs and visits are accessible to everyone. If there is a problem which might put you at risk, the teachers in school will do everything they can to find a solution.

**Q: How will you help me get ready for the Middle School?**

**A:** All First Schools work closely with the Middle Schools to make sure you will have a good transition. You will be able to visit the Middle School on several occasions and key members of staff may come and visit you here. Our Year Five class teachers will talk to you about any concerns you might have and may accompany you on your visits to the Middle School.

**Q: How will you help support me in school if I am new?**

**A:** Your last school will send us lots of information about you so we can get things right for you. The other children in school will help you settle in and show you what to do. The teacher will meet with you during the first few weeks to talk about any problems you may be having.

**Q: How will I know how to improve my work?**

**A:** When you complete your work your teacher will give you clear instructions on what to do to make it better. These are called 'next steps'. You will also have a Maths target and an English target which you will know about and work towards.