## **Welcome to Unit 1**

## Get going!



Dear Parent/Care-giver,

Your child is about to start **Unit 1** of their English course book *Learning Lands 3*. The title of the unit is *Get going!* 

In this unit, your child will learn:

- Vocabulary: morning activities and healthy / unhealthy habits
  - o make my bed, get dressed, tidy up, wash my face, wake up, brush my teeth, have a shower, get up, put on my shoes, pack my bag, drink juice, brush my hair
  - o go to bed early/late, eat sweets, do exercise, eat healthy snacks, drink fizzy drinks
- Grammar: How to ask and answer about how often you do something
  - o I always / usually/ sometimes/ never wash my face in the morning.
  - o How often do you do exercise? Once a week./
- Letters and sounds: How to say and write words beginning with r and wr
- Social and Emotional Learning: Relationship skills: Identify healthy friendships and know why they are important
- Multi-literacy skills:
  - o Information literacy: Understand instructions using labels and numbers
  - Critical literacy: Read to learn new things
- Speaking: How to interview a friend
- Writing: How to write instructions.

The vocabulary and grammar is introduced in Unit 1 through the songs I don't want to be late and Are you healthy? and in the story A real friend.

The multi-literacy text for this unit is a set of gymnastics instructions.

Speaking and writing are also explored in Unit 1 through a video for speaking and a model text for writing alongside tasks that support and build your child's confidence.

Finally, if your child will be taking an external exam in the future, they will practise for this by completing the practice material that accompanies the course.

The Learning Lands Pupil's App on Navio provides further reinforcement and review of the Unit 1 content through a range of game-based practice activities. Your child can work independently on these activities at home with or without your support. Their results are saved in a Progress Tracker which is accessible to their teachers. To access these activities, please use the access code which can be found in the front of the Pupil's Book.

I hope that you and your child enjoy this unit and the whole course.

With best wishes,

Class English teacher