## Starting school by Marjorie Francis



Starting school is a major landmark in a young child's life and in the life of their parents. This resource is ideal for marking this important transition as children leave your church toddler group or pre-school Sunday school class, or to promote the links between the church and a local primary school.

Starting school can be a stressful time for a child and this little book has proven to help ease the worries and anxieties most of them face. The children's book uses clear, simple language, enhanced with colourful artwork to describe situations children might meet in school. And fun activities to help them engage with the text. A pocket on the cover holds the revised parents book. This addresses concerns many parents face when their child starts school, and includes quotes from parents who have already been there.

This is a great little book to help a child to talk about anything they are concerned about at this time in their lives. It is also a great option for a church to give to families to show that they are aware that this is an occasion in their lives. Along with "It's Your Move" for those moving to secondary school, this book can be a vital resource for families facing transition.