



Dear Parents/Carers

We have written this letter to let you know how it affects us when we are late for school.

If you are the person who is late it feels really embarrassing because all the other children stare at you. When you come and sit down you often don't know what is going on because you have missed the teacher explaining what is going to be happening during the day. If you arrive late for the start of an actual lesson it feels worse because you have missed the teacher explaining what to do. If it's Maths you won't know how to work out the problem or if it's Read Write Inc you might miss a whole sound that will help with your reading. When everyone else knows what to do it is embarrassing to ask for help. Often it is not our fault if we are late for school and it makes us feel really sad- the day doesn't get off to a good start.

If you are one of the children who was on time and people arrive late then it can be really frustrating as the teacher may have to stop what we are doing and go back to the beginning to explain again. Then if someone else arrives even later we have to do it again!

Please can we ask our parents to make sure we are on time for school as we know it is really important to our work and to how we feel during the day.

Thank you very much

Yours sincerely  
Robert Miles Infants School Council.