I am going to School, and I want to tell you all about myself.

My name is

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My family and friends

I have……. brother(s) aged …… called .....

I have……. sister(s) aged …….. called .....

The people I like being with are .....

My friends are .....

These are my friends who are going to Holmesdale School……

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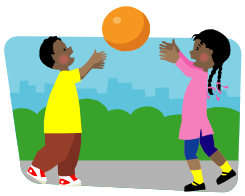
(Please list and clearly identify children you know are coming to Holmesdale too. We aim to place your child with at least *one* of their friends wherever possible)

	Often	Sometimes
I like to play with other children		
I prefer to play on my own		



How I play and learn

I like to

	Yes	No	Sometimes	Comment
Talk to other children				
Talk to grown ups				

My favourite songs and rhymes are .....

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My favourite game is .....

	Yes	Not yet
I have learnt to take turns in a game		

My best toy is .....

I like to

	Yes	No
Look at a book		

My favourite book is ……

Listen to stories		

My favourite story is ……

What I am like now

I am happy when… .....

I get upset when .....

When I start school I am looking forward to .....

I usually prefer to use

my right hand	☐
my left hand	☐
either hand	☐

What I can do

	Can already	I need a little help
Eat with a spoon	☐	☐
Use a knife and fork	☐	☐
Put on my coat	☐	☐
Put on my shoes and socks	☐	☐
Do up buttons	☐	☐
Flush the toilet	☐	☐
Go to the toilet on my own	☐	☐
Wash and dry my hands	☐	☐
Blow my nose	☐	☐

I can

	Yes	Not yet		Yes	Not yet
Play with puzzles	☐	☐	Cut with scissors	☐	☐
Write my name	☐	☐	Draw	☐	☐
Copy my name	☐	☐	Paint	☐	☐
Jump	☐	☐	Throw and ball	☐	☐
Kick a ball	☐	☐	Catch a ball	☐	☐

Comments .....

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How many animals can you see in each picture?

	Yes	No
I have been to playgroup / nursery		

The playgroup/nursery I went to was ……..

Thank you for telling us all about you.

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To Parents

Perhaps there are other things you as the parent would like us to know:

How did your child get on at playgroup? E.g., did your child find it difficult to leave you? Did he/she make friends easily? Did he/she particularly like or dislike any activity?

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Do you want to make any other general comments about your child's readiness for school?

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Are there any special family circumstances or events you would like us to know about, such as a new baby, illness in the family, or other changes in the family?

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Is there anything else you would like us to know?

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Home Visits - please could you indicate whether there is dedicated parking/any parking arrangements or specific directions to your address for when teachers conduct home visits.

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Thank you.