What are some ways to welcome a new student to your school?



I think that the best way to welcome a new student is to become friends with them. It would make them feel welcome. Having friends would get them to a good start. They would have their back. Going to a new school is not easy, but having friends at the new school would make it a lot easier.

# Alyssa Lewis, 6th, Jonesville Middle, Mrs. Gibson

In the small school I attend, everyone treats each other like family. We greet new students in the typical way most schools do. Some good ways to welcome a new student is to introduce yourself, become their friend, show them their classes, and just overall be that one happy smile they see at school. I'm sure the student will appreciate these acts of pure, simple kindness. In summation, there are a myriad amount of ways to greet a new student to your school.

#### McKinsey Christian, 8th, Surgoinsville Middle, Mrs. Hensley

The things I would do to welcome a new student would be giving him a couple of books, school supplies, and five dollars. I would give him a couple of books because kids love books and because books have great stories. I would do that because sometimes when you're sad, they make you feel better. I would give him school supplies because mostly when you go to a new school you need school supplies. I would do that because it can save the parents money. I would give him five dollars because he can save up the money. Another thing he can do is buy a snack with that money. Those are the things I would do to welcome a new student. When you get a new student, it's very cool and fun.

Cole Jones, 2nd, Hilton Elementary, Mrs. Edwards

First, show them where everything is like their seat, pencils, and other things. Second, tell them the rules of the school so they don't get in trouble. Third, let them hang out with your friends. Fourth, sit with them at lunch if they're alone. Fifth, play with them outside. Kids will feel welcome when you help them at their new school.

#### Laken Cassell, 5th, Weber City Elementary, Mrs. Webb

If there was a new student at my school I would help them by being friendly. I bet she would be nervous so I would help them. I would play with them at recess. So, that's what I would do to help a new student.

## Hailey Hagy, 1st, Hilton Elementary, Mrs. Light

There are many different ways to welcome a new student to Jonesville Middle School, but I'm just naming a few. First, show the new student to his or her homeroom. Next, sit with them at lunch, talk to them, get to know them better, and make them welcome at JMS. Finally, be supportive to this new

student and show them this is a good school. Collier Collins, 6th, Jonesville Middle, Mrs. Gibson

# Some ways I welcome a new student to my school

are speaking to them, showing them around, and being their friend. I could talk to them and get to know them better. I would ask them about their old school and tell them our school is fun and they will like it. I could show them around the school and tell them where everything is, especially all the important places. We could become friends and play together. I would invite them to play fireball and soccer on the playground at recess. These are some of the ways I like to welcome a new student to my school to help them feel more comfortable.

#### **Owen Jessee, 2nd, Hilton Elementary, Mrs. Rhoton**

Have you had a new student in your class? Well I have. Today I am telling you how to deal with it the right way. First, I introduce them to the teachers. The student needs to know their teachers, right?

Then I would introduce them to nice friends. They need to make friends with the right people. Then, tell them some of the main rules. You do not want them to get in trouble because they did not know that was a rule. Thank you for listening to my guide on how to deal with a new student.

#### Addy Mounger, 4th, Miller Perry Elementary, Ms. Jeffers

I would say hello and talk to him. If he says he likes football and the Sea Hawks then we would be cool but, if he says he likes the Patriots we just wouldn't be friends.

#### Brenan Hensley, 6th, Elydale Elementary, Mr. DiVirgilio

I would welcome a new student by saying hello and asking their name. Then, I would ask them to play on the playground. I think that would make a new student feel welcome.

### Lyfe McNew, 2nd, Hilton Elementary, Mrs. Edwards

If I ever had a student joining our school I would show him around. I would also greet him and introduce myself and other people. And I would tell him all about myself and my friends and the

school. It never hurts to make a friend. That's what I would do.

# Isaac Hensley, 5th, Elydale Elementary, Mr. DiVirgilio

If we got a new student, I would show him where the cafeteria is.

## Wyatt Hall, 2nd, Nickelsville Elementary, Mrs. Gilmer



The best way to welcome a new student into your school is to just be nice. When I first walked into a class full of people that I now see on a daily basis, everyone was nice, and after a few days, I fit right

in. It really doesn't take much to just be nice to someone and to help them feel at home away from home. Though it is simple, it is also the best way to welcome someone new into your school.

#### Damien Kincheloe, 8th, Surgoinsville Middle Mrs. Hensley

If we got a new student, I would show them around. That is the nice way to go. I would show them the classroom.

#### Danica Ford, 2nd, Nickelsville Elementary, Mrs. Gilmer

If a new student came to my school I would help them by showing them around the school. I would show how things work in the classroom. I would introduce them to new students. If they had no one to play with I would play with them.

# Bryson Hughes, 1st, Hilton Elementary, Mrs. Light

I would help them catch up to what we were doing and show them the classrooms because they won't know where all the stuff is. I would be really nice to them and I would be their friend. I would play with them in gym and I would teach them how to draw. We would have a lot of fun and I would help them with their homework at the end of the day. I would introduce them to some of my friends and

we would all be good friends.

## Natalie Good, 5th, Elydale Elementary, Mr. DiVirgilio

Being a student at a new school is scary, making friends with one is cool! Here's what I would do to welcome one to my school! First, I would show them

around the school, it's a little hard because well, schools are big you know? The second thing I would do is tell them the Miller Perry School rules, it's not a school without rules! The last thing I would do is become friends with the new kid. I bet he could be really nice! Having a new kid...is great!

#### Bronson Lovato, 4th, Miller Perry Elementary, Ms. Jeffers

What are some ways to welcome a new student to your school? I find simply being kind and becoming friends with a new student is the first way to make them feel welcome. Also, helping them find their way around is another great way to show kindness and welcome them. Informing them of events that they may not be familiar with may also be appreciated. These are some ways that I think would make a

#### new student feel welcome. Abigail Tate, 6th, Yuma Elementary, Ms. Mullins

There are many ways to welcome a new student to your school. You should be nice to them and be their friend. Help them find their way around school. You could also help them learn their classmates' names. You can eat with them at lunch and hang out with them at recess. I think you should welcome new students at your school!

# Finleigh Tate, 5th, Weber City Elementary, Mrs. Webb

If we had a new student at our school, the first thing I would do is greet that person with kindness. Because everyone is scared to move schools,

I would be their best friend. I would show them around the school. Last of all, I would tell them how nice the principal is because everyone is scared of the principal. I know I was.

Alexis Greene, 4th, Miller Perry Elementary, Ms. Jeffers

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