Home-time checklist for kids!

Do you know of a child who regularly forgets to bring things home from school? Who arrives home without their jumper/lunch box/ homework things? This fun checklist is a big help for prompting a child to ensure that they have everything with them before they leave school in the afternoon. It helps them become a little more independant and organised. It should be attached to their school bag in a place where they will easily be able to refer to it. The line at the bottom is for that extra thing on a particular day - sports gear, gloves, music book... whatever - use a white-board marker to write it in or draw a picture.

Instructions:
Print out on heavy weight (160gsm) paper - if you have it. Cut out the strip and then laminate it. Trim it to size. Punch a hole in the top and attach the ring from a keyring, loop this through a zipper or another suitable place on their schoolbag. Add an item to the list at the end if you need. Now talk with your child about how they can use the reminder - if you feel it would benefit you may want to offer a small reward at the end of the week for good progress.