

# EARLY YEARS (PVI) TRANSITION PLANNER.



	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY
Activities to support transition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Organise provision for settling in new starters</li> <li>Complete cohort summary sheet</li> <li>Display school information about next school intake for parents/carers</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parent/carer consultations (dependent on individual setting)</li> <li>Arrange meetings with SENCO/other professionals where necessary</li> <li>Evaluate September transition procedures - invite parental contribution: coffee morning/ survey/questionnaire</li> <li>Display of where the leavers went</li> <li>Send letter/card to children in their new school</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintain communication with parents/carers</li> <li>Inform parents/carers of important dates for school applications display posters/use variety of communication methods, e.g. social media, website</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inform parents/carers of important dates for school applications display posters/ use variety of communication methods, e.g. social media, website</li> <li>Signpost families to local community events running over Christmas</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review website and ensure that information and photos are up-to-date</li> <li>Inform parents/carers of important dates for school applications display posters/use variety of communication methods, e.g. social media, website</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parent/carer consultations/reports (dependent on individual setting)</li> </ul>
Transition 2023-2024			School applications open		School applications deadline	Access PVI briefing on how to complete the <b>transition level of need tool</b>

	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST
Activities to support transition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Block time for schools to visit in June/July</li> <li>Plan for time/budgetary implications around transition e.g. cost to cover staff spending time with teachers/parents/carers/ other professionals</li> <li>Check that parents/carers who want a place have applied for Nursery place</li> <li>Attend cluster moderations</li> <li>Contact schools to find out who to send the transition level of need tool to</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ask parents/carers to inform setting of the place they have been allocated school place</li> <li>Signpost families worried about transition to the local family centre</li> <li>Ask feeder schools to provide transition resources such as book bags/uniform/ transition books</li> <li>Signpost families to local community events running over Easter</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prioritise transition for children identified with intensive/ personalised needs</li> <li>Continue to ask parents/carers to inform setting of the place they have been allocated school place</li> <li>Set up role-play area using the transition resources from schools</li> <li>Ensure a selection of books are available that discuss change at an age appropriate level</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete and send transition record to new school</li> <li>Be available for school practitioners to communicate and visit you</li> <li>Prepare supplementary information to be passed to the school such as additional assessment information or specific targeted plans for children with identified intensive/personalised needs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continue to be available for school practitioners to communicate and visit you</li> <li>Contact schools that have not booked a visit</li> <li>Signpost families to local community events being run over the summer (e.g. library reading challenge)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Update website ensuring that all information and photos are current including photos of the setting and staff</li> </ul>
Transition 2023-2024	Complete <b>transition level of need tool</b> for every child starting school (reception/nursery class) starting school/nursery class	Reception and Nursery allocations confirmed Send <b>transition level of need tool</b> to the new schools			Send <b>transition record</b> to the new schools by the end of term	

