

# Transitions

## School Readiness Poster

This poster is intended to inform/remind parents and practitioners of some of the milestones that can be reached and **celebrated** with children as they prepare for their transition to school.

It is important to stress that this is **not** intended to be as a tick sheet of absolute requirements. All children are different with distinct strengths and areas for development.

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I am used to sharing & taking turns.

I can sit still and listen for a little while.

I can eat independently and use a knife and fork where necessary.

I can tidy up myself.

I can recognise my name when it is written down and perhaps write some of it.

I like making marks and have some experience with holding a pencil.

I enjoy reading, looking at, engaging with books.

I know when to wash my hands and can do so independently.

I am happy to be away/can accept being away from my main carers.

I can talk in sentences.

I like exploring and learning.

I can wipe/blow my own nose and know to put the tissue in the bin it.

I enjoy playing/interacting with other children.

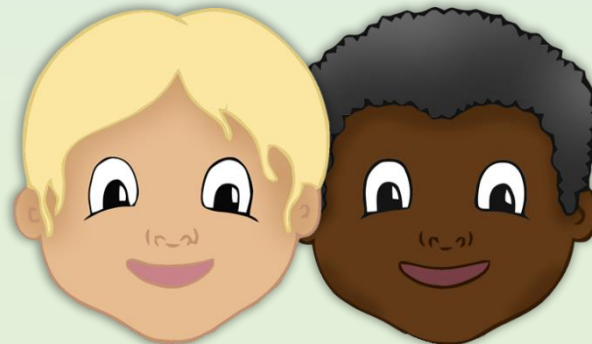
I understand what 'stop' and 'no' mean and that they could signal danger.

I can ask an adult for help (when/if I need it).

I can put on and take off my own clothes and shoes, including buttons, zips and socks.

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I understand boundaries and why rules are important.



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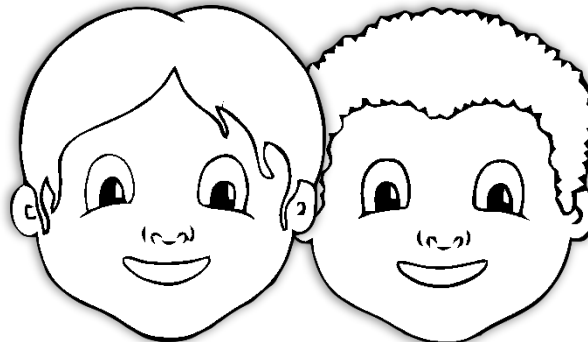
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