



Parent Workshop - Transition at MPS

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Welcome
Please help yourself to
refreshments

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Worries

Anxiety

Excitement

Friendships

Positivity

TRANSITION

Attachment

Expectations

Changes to behaviour

Relationships

Past
Experiences

CHANGES

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Transition Process at MPS for all Pupils

- Year groups sit together and spend time thinking about each class
- Transition notes and meetings
- Looking for opportunities to put the children in their proposed new classes to complete activities
- Letters home ahead of transition days to inform of new class teacher
- Relationships and knowledge of the children

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In Addition for our SEND Pupils

- Opportunity to be introduced to teachers and teaching staff earlier before transition days
- Spending time in new environments ahead of transition days
- Knowledge of what to expect / reassurance
- Social Stories
- Communication Passports
- Teaching staff have specific SEN conversations
- All teaching staff have Staff Training around transition and opportunities to discuss



- Ensure that all documents are up to date
- All resources that the child uses are transitioned
- Puzzle Club
- Hummingbirds
- Communication with secondary / new schools
- Know the name of new class teacher ahead of letter
- Transition Booklets (over the Summer)

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When I am happy I...

Smile

Sometimes I flap my hands

I choose a sensory activity independently -
water/ paint/ sand

I am learning how to...

Communicate - I currently do not
respond verbally or with visuals

Know that I need the toilet

I like....

Painting my hands

Playing in water

Being outside

All about me

I don't like....

Loud noises

Feeling lost/ unsure

Responding to questions or visuals

When I am anxious I....

Ignore adult instructions

Say 'No'

Turn away and may run

PICTURE OF CHILD |

When I am highly anxious you can help me by...

Giving me time in Hummingbirds (sensory environment)

Reassure me by handing out your hand

Smile at me and say my name

Name:

The best way to get me to do something I
don't want to do is

Reassure me by taking me by the hand

Use a positive happy tone

Show me a visual

Self-help skills...

Feed myself using my hands

Wash my own hands

To communicate I will/use/need...

Visuals

Take me by the hand / I will take you
by the hand

Look to see what my peers are doing

Say my name to gain attention

To help me understand I need you to do...

Model

Use visuals

Simple language



Additional Support

<https://www.mksendlocaloffer.co.uk/education-and-send/starting-or-changing-school-and-transition-support>

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