Ag Tacú le hAistriú

Gaeloideachas

Guth don Oideachas lán-Ghaeilge agus Gaeltachta

An Painéal

- **Aisling Breathnach**
  Bainisteoir Naíonra Chaitlín Maude

- **Jessica Tomney**
  - *Éascaitheoir Tuismitheora/Cúramóra, Naíonra Chaitlín Maude*

- **Bláthnaid ní Ghréacháin** (Cathaoirleach)
  Ardfheidhmeannach Gaeloideachas

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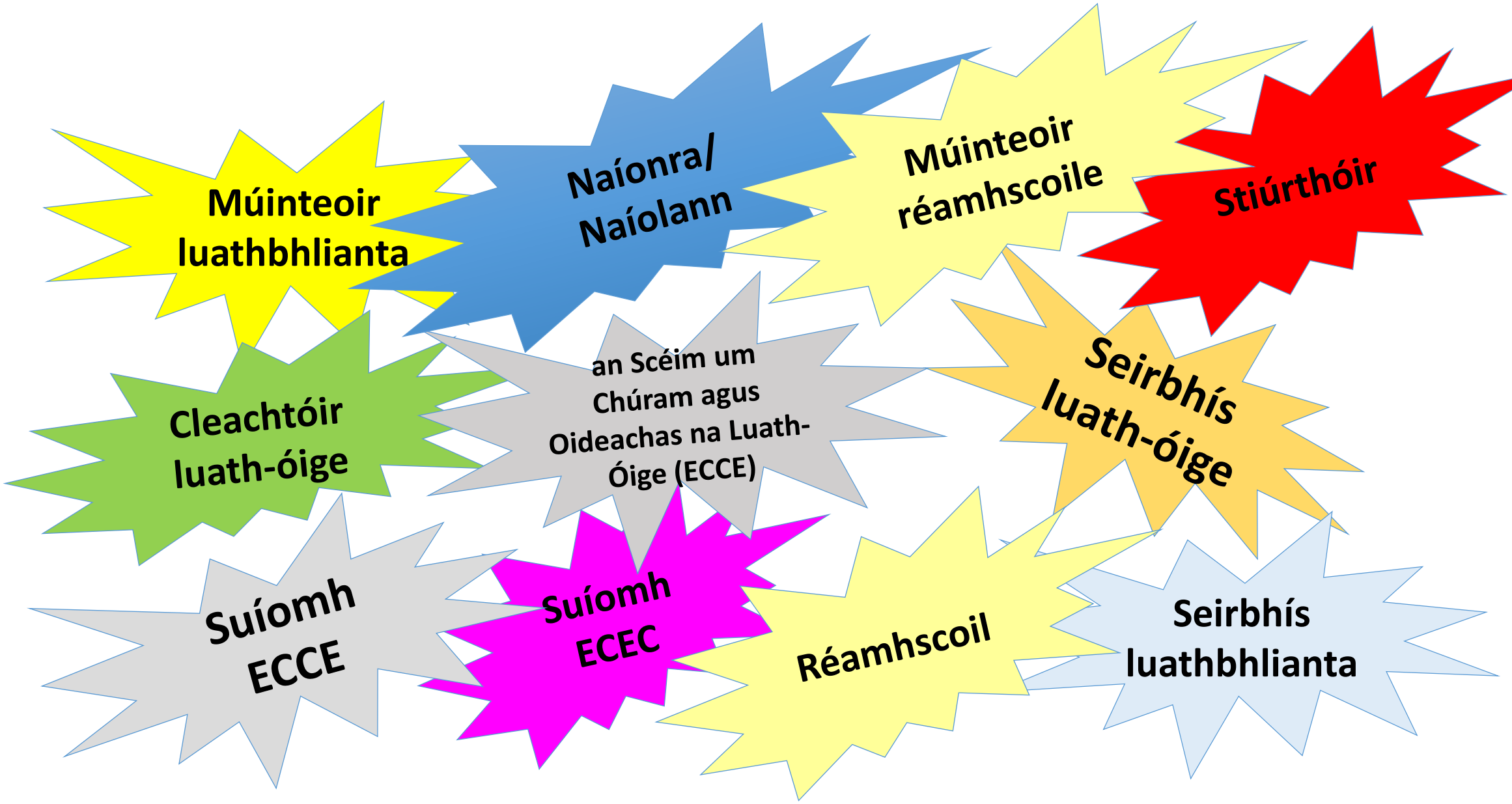
Fáilte agus Cur in Aithne

Éascaitheoirí: Aisling Breathnach
Jessica Tomney

Fáilte: Roinn d'ainm, ról agus Naíonra le do thoil sa bhosca comhrá.

Forléargas ar an Seisiún

- Tús: Tionscnamh Forbartha Óige (Childhood Development Initiative) & PEAR
- GDPR/Cosaint Sonraí
- Sainiú a dhéanamh ar aistrithe & cíoradh a dhéanamh ar na príomhchéimeanna aistrithe a bhíonn i saol páiste
- Tacú le teaghlaigh aistriú a bhainistiú
- Ullmhacht chun scoile
- Ról an pháiste sa phróiseas aistrithe
- Achoimre & ceisteanna


Múinteoir luathbhlianta
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Cleachtóir luath-óige
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Seirbhís luath-óige
Suíomh ECCE
Suíomh ECEC
Réamhscoil
Seirbhís luathbhlianta

Rialtas na hÉireann
Government of Ireland

- **Early learning and care (ELC) services – ELC services**
- **Early learning and care (ELC) manager – ELC manager**
- **Early learning and care (ELC) practitioner – ELC practitioner**

Whole-of-Government Strategy for Babies, Young Children and their Families

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- Maoinithe tríd an gClár Óige Ceantarbhunaithe (Area Based Childhood programme, ABC).
- Loinnithe i dTamhlacht.
- 23 eagraíocht sa phobal.
- Cleachtadh bunaithe ar fhianaise.

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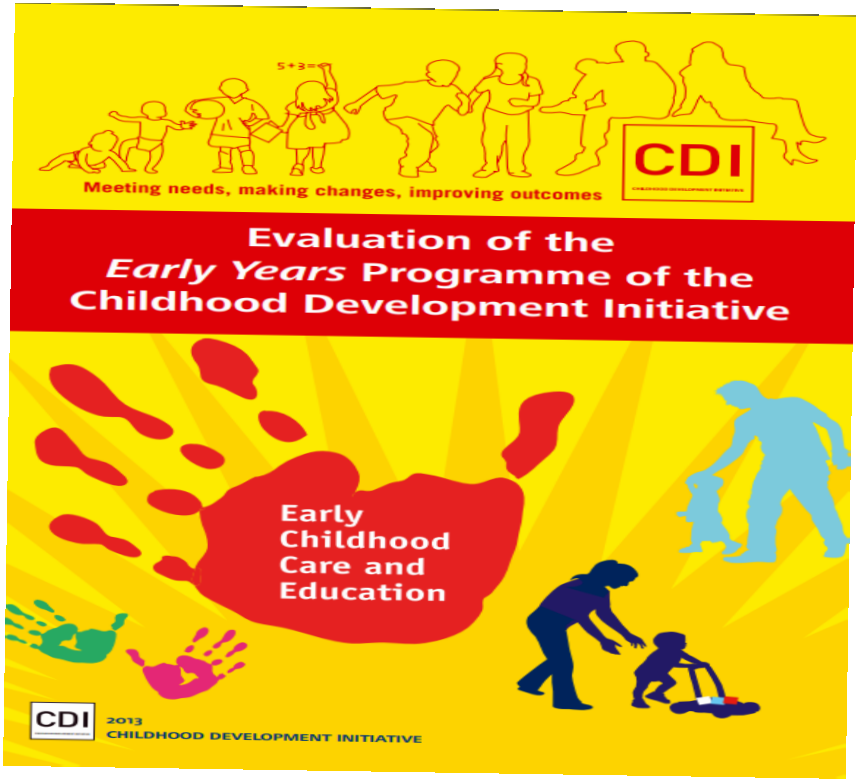
- Feabhas Sláinte, Oideachais and Sóisialta
- Caighdeán Seirbhísí bunaithe a ardú
- Cláir a bhunú, a thabhairt agus a mheas.

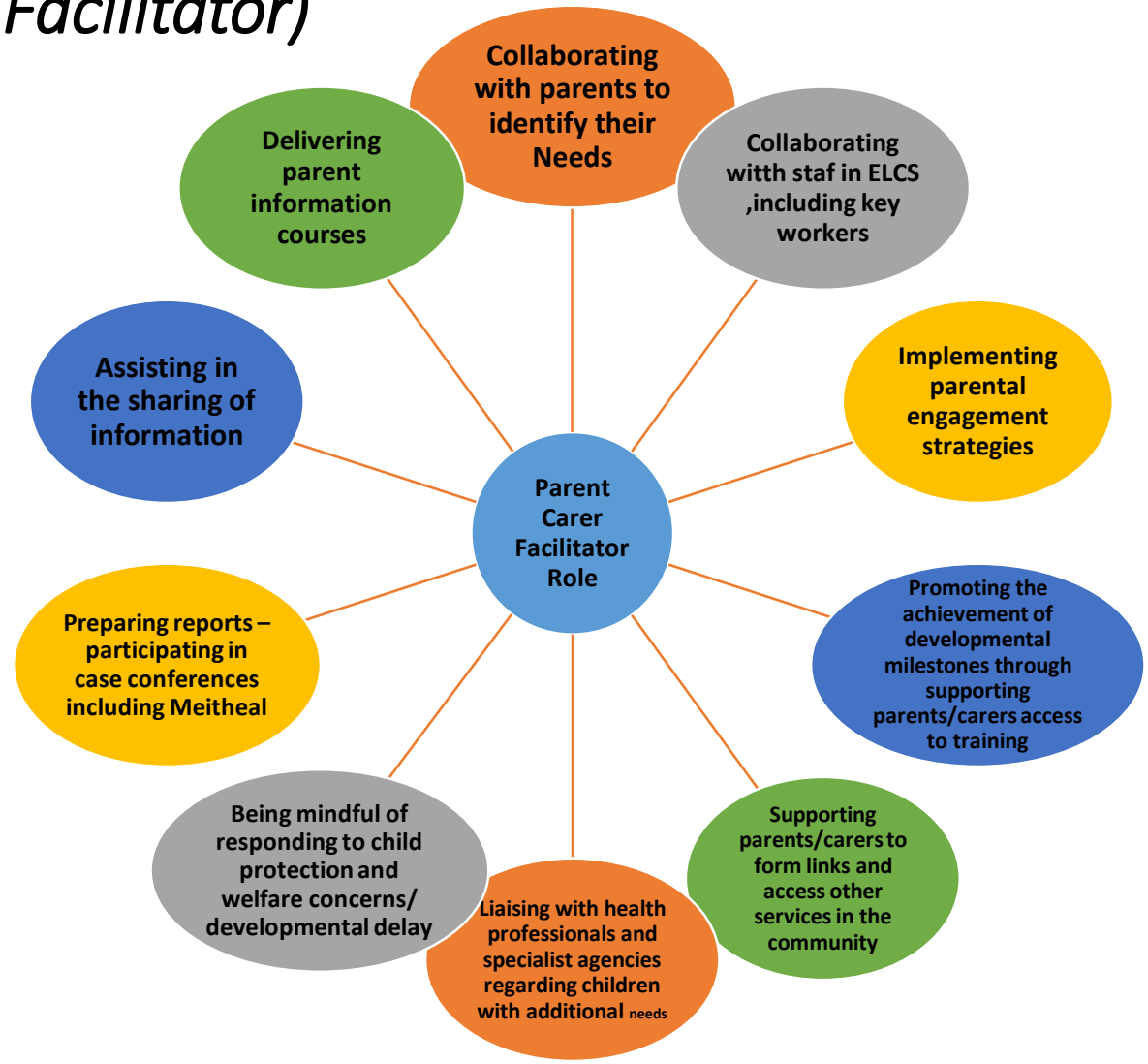
Measúnú ar chlár luathbhlianta CDI

- Torthaí dearfacha
- Ról an Tuismitheora Chúramóra Éascaitheora (PCF) á leanúint
- ‘For parents/carers the programme focuses on the facilitation of parents’/carers’ self identified parenting needs and educational interests through work with a dedicated parent carer facilitator (PCF) and through participation in a parenting course’ (Hayes et al., 2013: 6).



Ról an Tuismitheora Chúramóra Éascaitheora

(Parent Carer Facilitator)



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- Níl maoiniú ann do sheirbhísí (ELC) chun PFC a fhostú a oibríonn le tuismitheoirí amháin.

- Is féidir bosca uirlisí PEAR a úsáid chun tacú leis an obair le tuismitheoirí agus clanna.

Ról an Stiúrthóra

'I think to be able to talk to the parents about concerns you would have. Finding the right approach or using appropriate language/words'.

(Early Learning and Care Practitioner, Ring, O'Sullivan, O'Keeffe, Ferris and Wall, 2019).

Sé straitéis chumhachtacha: CDI's Model of Parental Engagement

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- **Athmhachnamh**: lárnach le **deiseanna ardchaighdeáin** a sholáthar do **pháistí, tuismitheoirí agus clanna.**
- **Athmhachnamh:** gné an-tábhachtach do **chleachtas proifisiúnta luathoideachais**.
- Is gá comhlíonadh le **GDPR** agus athmhachnamh á dhéanamh.

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Sainiú ar aistrithe

Cad é do thuiscint ar ‘aistrithe’?

Breathnú ar ‘Aistrithe’

- ‘Changes that occur throughout the life-cycle that can be predictable or unpredictable and can occur over a short or long period of time’ (Childhood Development Initiative (CDI), p. 82)

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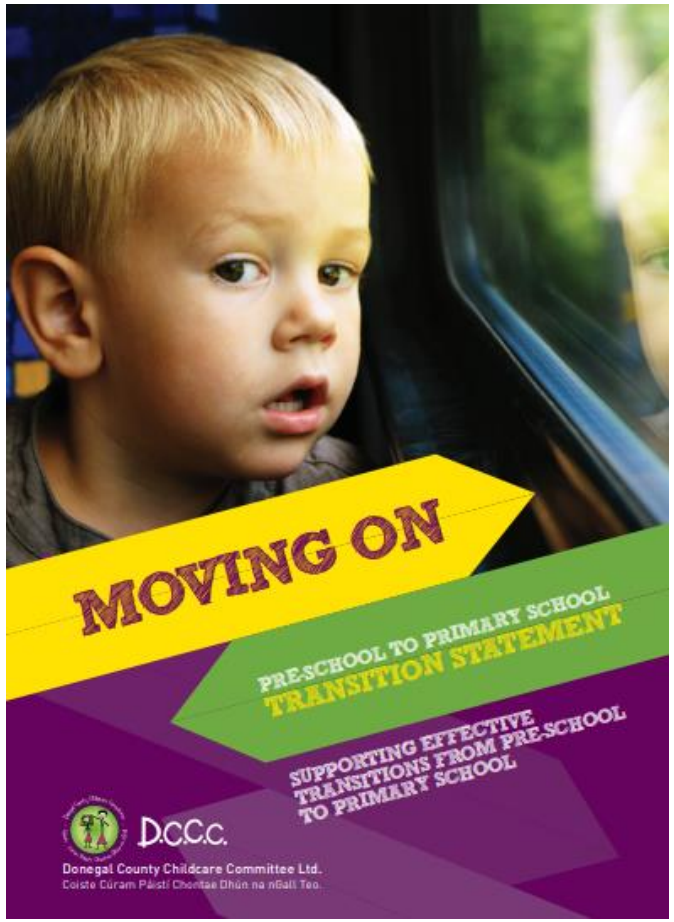

http://www.donegalchildcare.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/07/Moving-on-Transitions-Statement.pdf

- Transition describes the **experiences** children have when they move to a **new setting**. This can include moving from the child's first place of learning i.e. the home, to a pre-school service or creche, or from pre-school to primary school. The transition process is essentially the **ongoing process of change** for children, families and educational services to facilitate children's move from one setting to another.

(Donegal County Childcare Committee (DCCC) 2014, p.2)

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Ag déanamh sainmhíniú ar aistrithe is gá smaoineamh ar…

- Is próiseas leanúnach **athruithe** atá i gceist le haistrithe do pháistí, chlanna agus sheirbhísí oideachasúla;
- Toisc go mbíonn **athrú** i gceist, is féidir le haistrithe a bheith strusmhar agus imní a ardú do gach duine atá rannpháirteach ann mura ndéantar bainistiú ceart orthu;
- Ach nuair a dhéantar bainistiú maith ar aistrithe, bíonn deiseanna **iontacha áille** ann.

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Sa Naíonra

Ó Naíonra go Scoil

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Tionchar Covid-19 ar Aistrithe

- Tá tionchar ag Covid-19 agus na srianta ar ár saol go léir.
- Táimid tar éis bealaí nua éagsúla a aimsiú chun cumarsáid agus gaol a choinneáil le páistí agus tuismitheoirí
- Ach tá saol páistí athraithe faoi láthair.
- Chun tacaíocht a thabhairt do thuismitheoirí muinín a bheith acu teacht thar n-ais chuig seirbhísí is gá dul i dteagmháil roimh oscailt and míniú conas go mbeidh an Naíonra sábháilte do pháistí.

Foireann agus Tuismitheoirí

Teacht isteach agus Bailiú

Grúpa(í) Súgartha (Pod/Pods)

Páiste

Cumarsáid dhá bhealach riachtanach le tuismitheoirí.

- Cuairt roimh oscailt.
- Ceistneoir maidir le socrú isteach conas a bhí sé?
- Leabhráin “Aithne orm” líonta isteach ag na tuismitheoirí.
- Earra idirthréimhseach, le Covid an t-ábhar fágtha sa Naíonra agus ceann eile sa bhaile.
- Lorg eolas maidir le aon bhuairt/ceist atá ag tuismitheoir.
- **Slite eile maidir le eolas a roinnt le tuismitheoirí (Aon tuairim- bosca comhrá)**

(CDI 2018)

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Cumarsáid le tuismitheoirí (Covid19)

- Teagmháil le tuismitheoirí roimh thosú.
- Foirm pháiste/Child Form
- Comhaontú tuismitheoirí le polasaithe nua/Parental agreement
- Modh nua Teacht isteach agus Bailiú/Arrival and departure procedures
- Cad a tharlóidh má tá do pháiste tinn/If your child is unwell at home or becomes unwell in the service
- Buaileadh le tuismitheoirí/Meet parents each day at arrival & collection times
- Cumarsáid leanúnach/Ongoing communication

Obair le páistí

- Dúl ar gcúl/regression in development
- Bás sa chlann/Bereavement
- Duine sa chlann le Covid-19
- Fulaingt trí mhí-úsáid, faillí/experienced abuse, neglect, witnessed & impacted
- Cailleadh post, deacrachtaí airgid/loss of jobs, Income or debt

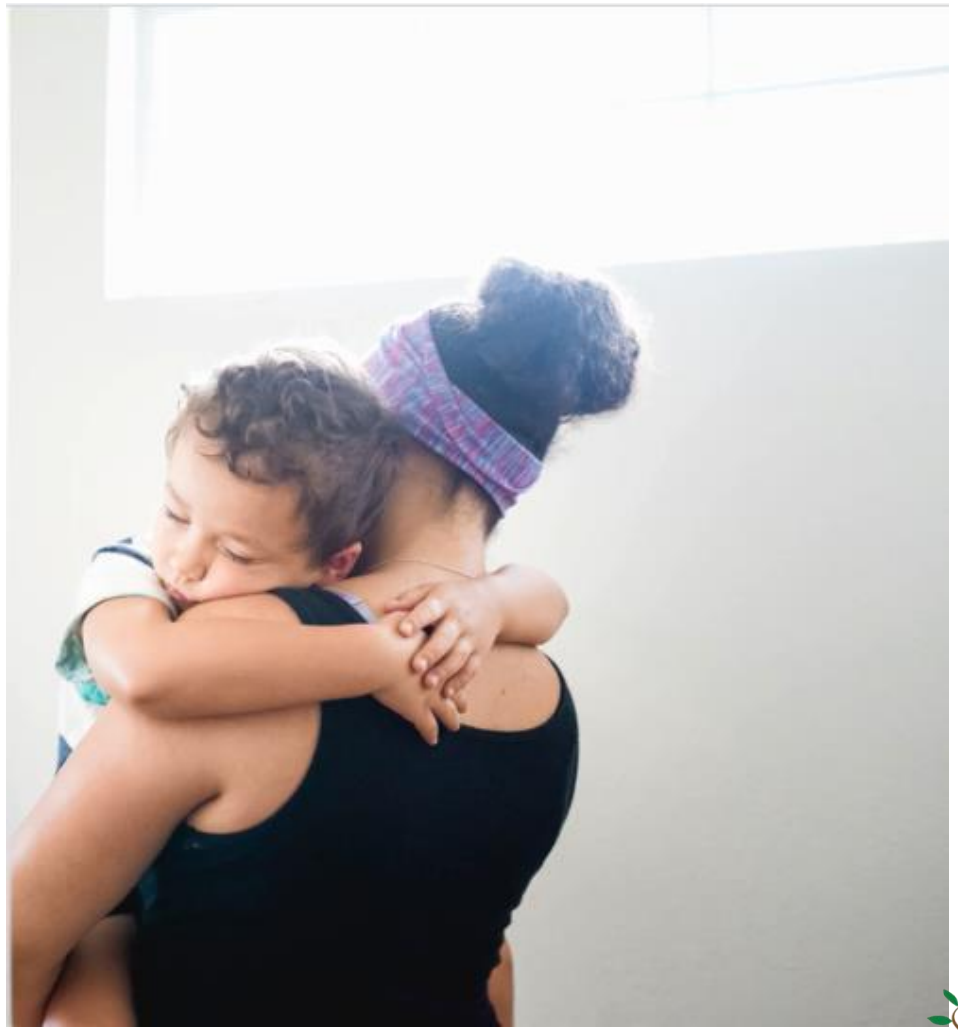
Obair le páistí

- Beidh teagmháil idir páistí – níl gá le scaradh sóisialta nuair atá siad i Pod amháin.
- Beidh scaradh sóisialta mínithe do pháistí thar 6
- Míniú do pháistí maidir leis an timpeallacht agus modhanna nua le cluiche, scéalta, leabhair agus gníomhaíochtaí.
- Cabhrú le páistí maidir le ní na lámha, ciarsúr agus casacht trí chluichí agus ghníomhaíochtaí.

Bí ag súil le tinnis eile/Expect other illnesses

- Cultúr agus luachanna na seirbhíse/The early learning and care service's ethos and values;
- Príomhbhaill foirne/Key staff members.
- Uimhreacha teagmhála/Contact numbers;
- Gníomhaíochtaí agus curaclam/ Activities and curriculum;
- Cur chuige maidir le hoiliúint leithris/ Toilet Training Approach;
- Nósanna imeachta le déileáil le Covid-19/Procedures for dealing with Covid-19.

Ag smaoineamh ar pháiste dul ar scoil.



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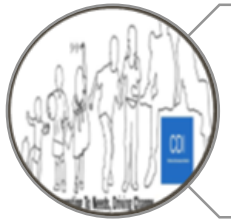

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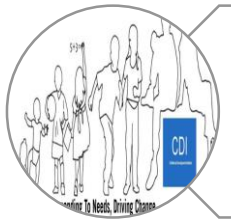

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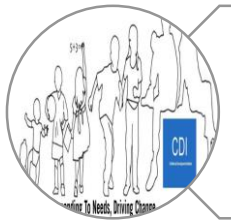
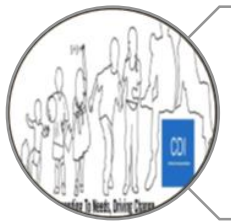


Cúis struis nó imní don Naíonra/What elements of the transition phase could potentially cause stress or anxiety for the early learning and care (ELC) service



Cúis struis nó imní don Scoil/What elements of the transition phase could potentially cause stress or anxiety for the primary school.

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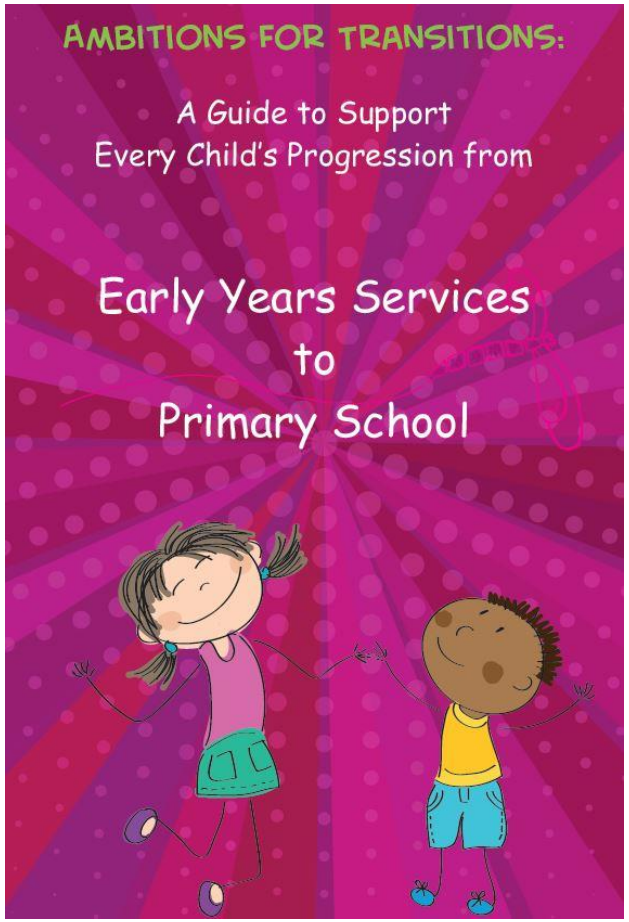

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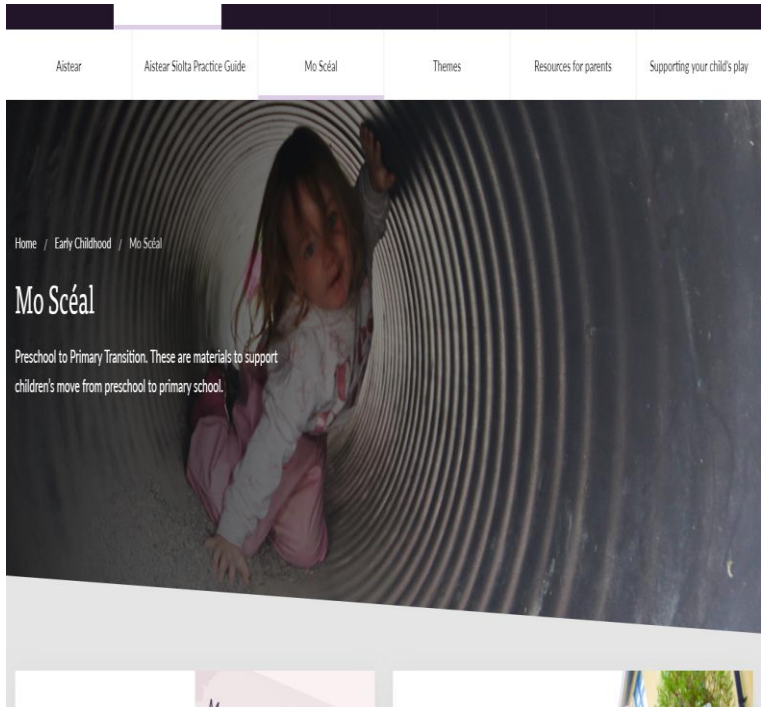

https://www.ncca.ie/en/early-childhood/mo-sc%C3%A9al

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Cad é do mhíniú ar ullmhacht chun scoile?

Bosca Comhrá

Ring et al. 2016

https://www.dcya.gov.ie/documents/earlyyears/20170118AnExaminationOfConceptsOfSchoolReadinessAmongParentsEducatorsIreland.PDF

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Modheolaíocht/ Methodology: Céim a hAon: Qualitative Phase

- Samplaí de Bhunscoileanna agus Naíonraí/ early learning and care (ELC) service
- Agallamh leath-struchtúrtha/ Semi-structured interviews and cainteanna le páistí/child conferences

Participant	Number
School Principals	7
Junior Infant Class Teachers	7
Early Learning and Care Managers	9
Early Learning and Care Practitioners	9
Parents of children availing of the universal ECCE scheme	30
Children	57
Total	119

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Modheolaíocht

- Suirbhé bunscoileanna (N=3,299) and Seirbhísí ELC le scéim ECCE (N=4,201).
- Sampla 500 scoileanna and 500 ELC
- Meascán Bunscoileanna le:
  - Needs profile (mainstream/ special schools);
  - Composition (boys/girls/mixed gender);
  - Socio-economic grouping (DEIS/non-DEIS);
  - Geographical location (city or suburban / large town / medium town / small town / village or rural);
- Meascán de ELCs le:
  - Príobháideach / Pobal (community / private)

Ullmhacht chun scoile bainteach le…….

Early Learning and Care Practitioners

- Aibítir a aithint agus scríobh/ Recognising and writing the letters of the alphabet.
- Uimhreacha a aithint agus comhaireamh/Recognising numbers and basic counting.
- Fuaim litreacha a aithint/Knowing letter sounds.

Primary Teachers

- Suim sa teanga agus cumarsáid/Interest in language and communicating.
- Neamhspleáchas/ Independence.
- Féinrialúchán/ Self-regulation.

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Ní raibh ach ceathrar tuismitheoirí a luaigh tábhacht an tsúgartha/ Only Four Parents Mentioned Play as being Important in Preparing Children for School.

Ring and O'Sullivan 2017

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- In ann obair bhaile a dhéanamh/Being able to do homework.
- Aibítir a aithint agus scríobh/ Recognising and writing the letters of the alphabet.
- Uimhreacha a aithint agus comhaireamh/Recognising numbers and basic counting.
- Deireadh le Súgradh/No more play.

Ring et al. 2016; Ring and O'Sullivan 2016

- Blag a thugann tacaíocht do thuismitheoirí agus a bpáistí ag tosú ar scoil https://asiam.ie/are-there-things-i-can-do-at-home-to-prepare-my-child-for-starting-school/

We need to remember that there is no school readiness checklist that your child or any child has to score 100% on

Ring 2018

Ring et al. 2016

Chun cabhrú le paistí a bheith ullamh don bhunscoil tá sé tábhachtach go bhfuil tacaíocht ann do thuismitheoirí tuiscint a bheith acu ar thábhacht an tsúgartha d'fhorbairt iomlán an pháiste/

In preparing children for the transition to primary school, it is important therefore that parents are supported in understanding the value of play for children's overall development

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Comhairle do Thuismitheoirí agus a bPáistí ag Aistriú chuig an mBunscoil: Neamhspleáchas a chothú

Scileanna féinchúraim a fhorbairt/Encourage children to develop self-care skills:

- Ag ithe/Féinchothú /Self-feeding.
- Éadaí féin a chur orthu go neamhspleách/Independent dressing.
- Úsáid Leithris/ Toileting.
- Súil a choinneáil ar a gcuid earraí féin/Keeping track of their own belongings.

(ABC Start Right Limerick 2018, p. 17)

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(ABC Start Right Limerick 2018, p. 18)

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Ag Tacú le Tuismitheoirí agus a bPáistí ag Aistriú chuig an mBunscoil

- **Faigh eolas maidir leis an scoil/Become familiar with the school:**

Laethanta oscailte/Attend information sessions and open days.

Tóg do pháiste ar cuairt/Bring your child to the school.

Ceisteanna a chur/Ask questions.

Nasc le páistí eile ag freastal ar an scoil/ Link with other children of friends or Relatives attending the school.

Tabhair an méid eolais gur féidir don scoil/ Give the school as much information as possible about your child.

- **Féidireachtaí le Covid**

Cuairt chuig geata na scoile /Encourage parents to take the children on a drive/walk past.

Físean faoin scoil /Ask the school to make a video for the children.

Scéal Sóisialta/ Social Story

(ABC Start Right Limerick 2018, p. 19)

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Ná dean dearmad gur duine ar leith gach páiste/Uathúil

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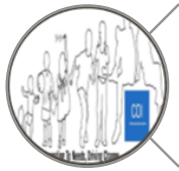
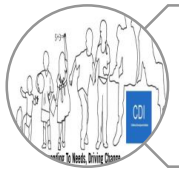
Gníomhaíocht i ngrúpa beag: Ag forbairt polasaí aistrithe



Aidhm an pholasaí aistrithe / What are the aims of a transition policy?



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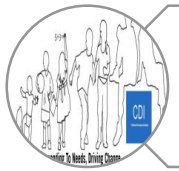

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Cad atá ag teastáil ó stiúrthóirí ón bpolasaí/ What do early learning and care practitioners and services need from this policy?

Cad atá ag teastáil ó bhunscoileanna ón bpolasaí/What do primary schools need from this policy?

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Ná dean dearmad…

Is ócáid thábhachtach é an tAistriú do thuismitheoirí agus an teaghlach freisin.

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Físeáin. Cad is féidir a fhoghlaim trí éisteacht le páistí.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OdVHrhElU5M

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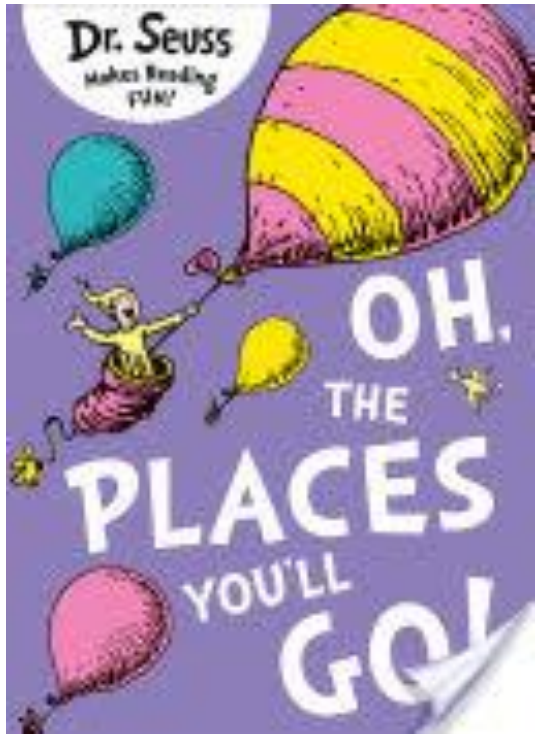

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You're off to great places! Today is your day! Your mountain is waiting, so… Get on your way

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Ceisteanna

Aiseolas

Le do thoil, tríd an mbosca comhrá, fág teachtaireacht amháin a thógfaidh tú ón gceardlann inniu maidir le haistrithe.

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