

Kindergarten transition statements

Information for parents and carers



Purpose of transition statements

At the end of the year, your child's kindergarten teacher will create a transition statement that describes your child's learning and development.

The transition statement includes information about:

- each of the five learning and development areas in the *Queensland kindergarten learning guideline (QKLG)*
- your child's strengths and interests
- suggestions for what you and the kindergarten teacher think is important for the school to know
- strategies for your child's successful transition to school.

Contributing to the transition statement

You can contribute to your child's transition statement. Talk to the kindergarten teacher about your child's interests and what might help your child to settle into school.

Creating the transition statement

Kindergarten teachers will seek your written consent to create your child's transition statement in the secure QCAA Portal.

If you prefer not to have your child's transition statement created in the Portal, your kindergarten teacher can download a template from the QCAA website.

Sharing the transition statement

After you have read your child's transition statement, the kindergarten will ask for your informed consent to:

- share the transition statement with your child's identified school
- contact, or respond to contact from, your child's Prep teacher and relevant school staff to discuss strategies for a successful transition to school.

If you prefer, you can take the transition statement to share with the school.



More information

To find out more about the kindergarten transition statements, visit www.qcaa.qld.edu.au/kindergarten/qklg/supporting-transition-school.