



Education Works in Pre-School

During the busy pre-school day, children engage in a wide range of well-planned and stimulating activities, designed to develop specific skills and concepts.

Early Years practitioners skilfully support children's development across 6 areas of learning, monitoring their progress and adapting experiences to meet individual needs.

Education Works in Pre-school aims to enable settings to raise parents' understanding of the preschool curriculum and develop their role in supporting children's learning.

Settings can apply for up funding to provide information sessions/ workshops, guidance and support materials to encourage parents to support their children's learning at home.

Settings may wish to...

- ⇒ **Share information** about the importance of the pre-school curriculum and the 6 areas of learning
- ⇒ **Demonstrate learning experiences** and strategies used to develop specific skills
- ⇒ **Provide guidance** and support materials to help parents extend children's learning and develop specific skills at home
- ⇒ **Sign-post** parents to useful contacts and sources of relevant information



Guidance material is provided on the **GRTL Website Members Area**, to support settings in delivering tailor-made programmes :

- Suggested session outlines and sample presentations
- Practical ideas for workshops
- Suggested lending resources
- Advice from Early Years' Education and Health Professionals
- Access to current research
- Sharing of practice across local pre-school settings

Within **Getting Ready to Learn** there is no set programme to follow.

Each pre-school setting is best placed to decide which elements would be most relevant to support their parents and children's specific needs.



For more information please visit

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