

Other Information



- * Preschool Support is for children who typically have a moderate, severe or profound Intellectual Disability or a condition/syndrome associated with an ID such as Down Syndrome and are attending a mainstream preschool.
- * Children must be attached to a relevant Children's Disability Network Team (CDNT).
- * Preschool visits typically take place on Tuesdays.



For further information you are welcome to contact:

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Preschool Support



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Welcome to our Preschool Support Programme, this is available to your child when they are aged between 3-5 years, and attending a community based preschool. We want you and your child to feel welcomed and supported in the service we provide.



Each child is assigned a Key Person who will work with your child & the preschool staff. All the children are encouraged to develop at their own pace, to participate in all activities and work and play alongside the other children.

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Our Preschool Support Programme currently offers:

- * 4-6 weekly advisory visits to mainstream preschools when your child attends on a **part-time** basis.
- * Fortnightly visits, for up to one hour per session, when your child is attending **full-time** in a mainstream pre-school.
- * One to one tuition with information, advice and support provided to teaching staff.
- * A Key person who observes, monitors and documents your child's progress, linking with members of the relevant Children's Disability Network Team (CDNT), as appropriate.
- * Progress reviews are provided to parents at scheduled Individual Family Service Plan meeting's (IFSP) in Kildarton.
- * All visits will take place during school term time only.

Other Supports



We offer the following support for your child:

- Twice yearly individual family service planning meetings (IFSP's)
- Family support & networking meetings
- Transition supports pre commencement of Kildarton Specialised Preschool
- Inclusion & mainstream preschool support
- Parents Plus Early Years Programme
- Information/education talks & coffee mornings
- Family fun days
- Sibshop
- Dads evenings

