

# 2 year Check Letter



Dear parent or carer,

This letter is about your child's progress check at age two. This check is a requirement in the early years foundation stage and takes place between your child's second and third birthday.

This is not the same as the check that health visitors carry out. Sometimes both checks are carried out together. If they are done separately, please share the health check with your early years practitioner. That helps to create a rounded picture of your child's health and development.

**Early development isn't pre-programmed: what parents and early years practitioners do makes a difference.**

That is why your early years practitioner is going to meet with you to complete this check. Having a strong and respectful partnership is important. It sets the scene for your child to thrive in the early years. The check is carried out with you, not just for you.

The partnership includes listening to your views and giving you clear information about your child's progress.

The completed check will be shared with you. It will include your views. It will set out how you and your early years practitioner will work together to help your child's continuing development. If your child is having any difficulties with their development, or has a special educational need or disability, it will set out the additional help your child will receive.

**Find out more about the early years foundation stage**

Search online for 'What to expect in the EYFS'



Your health visitor will also complete a 2 year check around the time of your child's 2nd birthday. Please may we ask: After this appointment could you share with us the completed evaluation form that they give you as we will use this to support your child's personal developmental plan.

Please do not hesitate to ask any questions regarding this process with your child's key person:

Who is :

Kind regards

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