



Supporting Community Learners from:



# Transition

## *Early Years to Primary 1*

### Starting School

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## What is Transition?

Transition is the term used in school when children change stages. In primary school there are TWO key transition points. At the beginning when children start in Primary 1 and at the end in Primary 7 as they get ready to begin High School. Our transition programmes are designed to support children through the whole process of transition, so that they can begin their new journey feeling confident and ready to learn.

We plan our transition programme with other local schools and nurseries to ensure that our children have opportunities to meet new peers and teachers, and visit new schools. This also ensures that important information is transferred between schools and from nursery, to support children when they start.

### Carlibar Primary :

Your child will get to meet their new teacher and visit their classroom, meeting some of their new classmates. The children will have an opportunity to meet some of the people who will look after them at school.

We will also provide a handbook for parents which we hope will cover Frequently Asked Questions.

Social distancing measures will be in place during your child's attendance and I kindly request that you follow these in order to keep everyone safe.

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## Transition to Primary 1

### At Nursery

Transition sessions in nursery run during May and June, allowing children to meet others who are going to the same school. The sessions help children prepare for starting school, providing opportunities to talk about what is exciting or what might be worrying about going to school. Each session will focus on particular skills to help children make friends, become independent, and will introduce some of the routines of school.

There will also be **two** opportunities for your child to visit their Primary School detailed as follows.

### Primary 1 Transition Sessions

Carlibar Primary School

Induction visit 1: 15/6/21 10 am
Induction visit 2: 21/6/22 2 pm