

Home Area Resource Audit

Resources		Comments
Area characteristics		
Well-defined and reflects common characteristics of a home		
Bright, inviting and consistent		
If possible the area should consist of more than one area of a home e.g. kitchen and living room as opposed to just a kitchen		
Area should be situated next to role play, or have role play incorporated within it (see constant provisions)		
Area should promote and allow for collaborative play		
Resources presented in an accessible way for all children e.g. role play resources on a hanging rail		
Constant Provisions (to be tidied/maintained daily)		
Small sofa/chairs		
Kitchen table with chairs (table cloth, vase and flowers)		
Cooker/oven		
Cupboard units		
Sink		
Washing machine		
Books related to common interests		
Real utensils (mixing and serving spoons, whisk, masher, fish slice, tongs)		
Notepad and pens/pencils		
Clock - displayed at children's level (digital and analogue)		
Lamp to soften lighting		
Enhancements to consider:		
Real foods (tins, packets, pasta, boxes, fruit, veg)		
Pots, pans, plates, bowls, cutlery		
Oven gloves		
Tea towels		
Recipe books/cards		
Calendar, diary, tv guide, catalogues, comics		
Soft furnishings (cushions, rugs, plants, lamps, photo frames with pictures of the children)		
Scales		
Hoover		
Telephone		
Dustpan, brush, duster		
A small selection of baby clothes (baby grow, bib, blanket)		

Open ended role play resources e.g. scarves, material, hats, glasses, jewellery etc		
Loose parts		
Resources/enhancements linked to children's interests/special events e.g. babies, starting school, hospital etc		
Bed		
Curtains		
Create a fireplace/window		
Framed photographs of the children, possibly with their family		
Plant (real or artificial)		