

# *Everywhere Bear* *Whitelees Transition to P1*

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## Transition to Primary 1

### Why are transitions important?

Transition is what we call it when a child moves from one thing to another. There are lots of little transitions during the day, getting dressed, turning the television off, putting jackets on to go outside, all parents know that some transition are easier than others! Other transitions are bigger, for example starting a new nursery or school. All children need help to prepare them for transition.



The Everywhere Bear by Julia Donaldson and illustrated by Rebecca Cobb

### Transition Tuesdays

We will be posting a related activity sheet, every Tuesday #TransitionTuesday, for you to take part in a shared experience at home. We would love it if you wanted to share your experiences with us through photographs or drawings but please don't think you need to be completing every one and use the following hashtags #TransitionTuesday #HereThereEverywhereBear.

### NLC Websites

Early Learning & Childcare in North Lanarkshire - For Parents & Carers

<https://elc.northlanarkshire.scot/parents.html>

### Twitter

Early Years NLC (@EarlyYearsNLC) | Twitter

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<https://t.co/vzEgX3fy>

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# The Everywhere Bear

We will be gifting our transitioning children with their very own bear and a copy of the book. We hope you enjoy many exciting adventures going here, there and everywhere with your special bear.

Please tweet your pictures  
@EarlyYears NLC  
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#herethereeverywherebear  
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# Week 1



Remember to tweet your  
pictures  
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Read or listen to the story with your child. Display a bear in your window.

Take pictures of your bear in different places, for example when out for a walk or at a park.

Talk to your child about places the bear might like to visit.



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# Week 2

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Encourage your child to sing and join in with rhymes such as, 'Around, Around the Garden' and 'Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear'.

Make a bear mask from household materials or a paper plate.

Collect your child's teddies and soft toys and allow them to make a den with them.





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# Week 3

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Host a teddy bear picnic with your child in your garden or in your home. Help your child to make a healthy snack.

Collect a selection of teddy bears and order them from tallest to smallest.

When out on a walk with your bear spend some time looking at all the different birds you see. Maybe you could make a bird feeder?



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# Week 4

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Talk with your child and make up some stories  
about the adventures your bear has been on.

Make a picture of your bear using objects from  
your garden such as, grass, leaves and flowers.

Make your own model teddy bear using junk or  
loose parts.

