

# The Foundation Stage Profile



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# What is the Foundation Stage Profile?



- The FS Profile is a way of summing up a child's progress at the end of the Foundation Stage.
- It is a statutory assessment method.
- It is based on the teachers ongoing assessments and observations on all six areas on learning.
- Each child's typical developments will be recorded on 13 assessments scales.
- 80% of assessment is based on child initiated activities. It maybe that your child has done something at home that has not yet been observed in school.



# The 13 Assessment Scales



- PSE – Dispositions and Attitudes
- PSE – Social Development
- PSE – Emotional Development
- CLL – Language for Communication and Thinking
- CLL – Linking Sounds and Letters
- CLL – Reading
- CLL – Writing
- MD – Numbers as Labels for Counting
- MD – Calculating
- MD – Shape, Space and Measures
- Knowledge and Understanding of the World
- Creative Development
- Physical Development



# Scoring



- In each of the 13 assessment scales children can score up to 9 points.
- Points 1-3 indicate a child who is still working towards the Early Learning Goals.
- Points 4-8 indicate a child who is working within the Early Learning Goals.
- Point 9 indicates a child who is working beyond the Early Learning Goals and is **VERY** difficult to achieve.



# Average scores



- According to the LEA, a good average score for each assessment scale is 6.
- Children are all very different and mature at different rates.
- Any Early Learning Goals they do not achieve in Reception will be completed in Year 1.
- Our judgements will be moderated by the LA.



# What next?



- You will receive your child's scores on one sheet of paper along with their report.
- It is not advisable to compare your child with others
- The scores are nothing to worry about, they do not stay with your child.
- If you are concerned about your child's scores please come in and speak to us about it.

