

EYFS Progression of skills and assessment checkpoints - Personal, Social, Emotional Development

Self-regulation	Managing Self	Building Relationships
------------------------	---------------	-------------------------------

Self-regulation

Birth-Three

feelings

- . Find ways to calm themselves, through being calmed and comforted by their key person.
- Engage with others through gestures, gaze and talk.
- Use that engagement to achieve a goal. For example, gesture towards their cup to say they want a drink.
- . Find ways of managing transitions, for example from their parent to their key person.
- . Feel strong enough to express a range of emotions.
- . Grow in independence, rejecting help ("me do it"). Sometimes this leads to feelings of frustration and tantrums.
- . Begin to show 'effortful control'. For example, waiting for a turn and resisting the strong impulse to grab what they want or push their way to the front.
- Be increasingly able to talk about and manage their emotions.
- . Safely explore emotions beyond their normal range through play and stories. Are talking about their feelings in more elaborated ways: "I'm sad because" Or "I love it when..."

Three- Four Years

- . Increasingly follow rules, understanding why they are important.
- . Do not always need an adult to remind them of a rule.
- . Develop appropriate ways of being assertive.
- . Talk with others to solve conflicts.
- . Talk about their feelings using words like, 'happy' 'sad,' 'angry' or 'worried'.
- . Begin to understand how others might be feeling.

Reception

- . See themselves as a valuable individual. . Express their
- feelings and consider the feelings of others.
- . Identify and moderate their own feelings socially and
- . Think about the perspectives of

others.

emotionally.

Writing- ELG .

- . Show an understanding of their own feelings and those of others and begin to regulate their behaviour accordingly. PSED.S-R.ELG
- Set and work towards simple goals, being able to wait for what they want and control their immediate impulses when appropriate. PSED.S-R.ELG
- Give focused attention to what the teacher says, responding appropriately even when engaged in activity, and show an ability to follow instructions involving several ideas or actions. PSED.S-R.ELG

Managing own emotions and feelings.	I can calm myself and be calmed by others.	I can express myself e.g. smile, cry.	I am beginning to talk about my emotions and manage them.	I can explain my en more detail and giv for them e.g. I a because they stole	ve reason im sad	I can confidently talk about my emotions using words such as 'happy' 'sad' 'angry' or 'worried'.	feeling emotio	ons e.g. g down after	I confidently talk about my emotions and feelings and explain how and why I feel the way I do with good understanding. PSED.S-R.ELG	
Understanding others			I am beginning to understand how others might be feeling through facial		I consider the feelings of others e.g. go to children who are upset				stand why others may feel happy or sad events that have happened. PSED.S-	
emotions and	goals. expressions and			_				R.ELG		

Behaviour	Our I can find a way to cope when my parent leaves me. I am growing in independence, but this can lead me to become frustrated.		control a	nd am following to turn rules more pulses to without		l understand why we have rules.	I am asse appropria and use t resolve co	ate ways goals and shalk to patience too		w rds ntrol my r without	I listen to teacher a respond them appropri all times PSED.S-R	and to ately at	I follow instructions from my teacher, even when given several actions. PSED.S-R.ELG
sense of self. . Express preferences and decisions. They also try new things and start when needed. This is have chosen, or one of a community. . Develop their sense of a community Increasingly follow important.			os them to ach nich is suggeste f responsibility les, understand	Recepti I and resources, with help I them to achieve a goal they			Be confiand pers Explain accordin Managering to	Writing- ELG . . Be confident to try new activities and show independence, resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge. PSED.MS.ELG • Explain the reasons for rules, know right from wrong and try to beha accordingly. PSED.MS.ELG • Manage their own basic hygiene and personal needs, including dress going to the toilet and understanding the importance of healthy food choices. PSED.MS.ELG					
autonomy. Understanding myself, my preferences and emotions. Following	asking f	asking for a toy. decisions for myself e.g. playing		olaying e.g. s outd	erence when mall world or oors.	I am showing resilience the face of challenges opening my drink. Without I can explain		es e.g. trying new a		tivities. ELG	the face PSED.MS	show perseverance in the face of challenge. PSED.MS.ELG from wrong, and I try to	
rules Managing my needs and feelings.			more responsible. I am beginning t need to look aft seeping safe, goi	ter myself e.g	ninders. II I am n g. own	reminde nanaging my needs more equently.	I am developing in con independence, resilie perseverance. PSED.I		silience and perso		behave accordingly. PSED.MS.ELG managing my own basic hygiene and conal needs e.g. dressing, toileting and neelthy food choices. PSED.MS.ELG		

Building Relationships

Birth-Three

Establish their sense of self.

- . Thrive as they develop self-assurance.
- . Look back as they crawl or walk away from their key person. . Look for clues about how to respond to something interesting.
- Play with increasing confidence on their own and with other children because they know their key person is nearby and available.
- Feel confident when taken out around the local neighbourhood and enjoy exploring new places with their key person.
- . Notice and ask questions about differences, such as skin colour, types of hair, gender, special needs and disabilities, and so on.

. Develop friendships with other children.

Three- Four Years

- . Become more outgoing with unfamiliar people, in the safe context of their setting.
- . Show more confidence in new social situations.
- . Play with one or more other children, extending and elaborating play ideas.
- Help to find solutions to conflicts and rivalries. For example, accepting that not everyone can be Spider-Man in the game, and suggesting other ideas.

Reception

- . See themselves as a valuable individual.
- . Build constructive and respectful relationships.
- . Think about the perspectives of others.

Writing- ELG.

. Work and play co-operatively and take turns with others.

PSED.BR.ELG

. Form positive attachments to adults and friendships with peers.

PSED.BR.ELG

. Show sensitivity to their own and to other's needs. PSED.BR.ELG

Confidence	I am beginning to have	I show confidence when be	n being I am becoming more		outgoing with I know p		people should listen		I show confidence when playing and	
	confidence in myself.	taken out of my setting by my		unfamiliar people within my setting.		to me just as I should listen		talking to adults and friendship peers.		
	I am playing on my	key person.		I am showing more confidence		to them.		PSED. BR. ELG		
	own and with others.			when talking to new people.						
Friendships	I have created	I am building	I play with one or more		I have multiple positiv		ve I have formed		positive	I work and play co-
	attachments in nursery	to friendships with	children and converse		friendly relationships w		ith adult and pee		r friendships.	operatively, including
	peers or my key persor	. other children.	dren. with them to extend pla		children and adults in		my PSED. BR. ELG		i	turn taking, with
				setting.					others. PSED. BR. ELG	
Other's and their	I am building	I am building I ask questions about people		 I am beginning to find solutions to conflict: 		onflicts I	ts I I can think about		I show sensitivity to my own needs.	
feelings.	friendships with	including their difference	!S	am having e.g. when two people want t		t the bike the p		erspective of	I show sens	sitivity to others needs.
	others.	between me and them.		I use the timer to tal		er to take turns.		others		SED. BR. ELG