



Audit Your Provision

To help you review the strength of your provision, use the checklist below.

0-11 score:
Seek help!
Gain immediate help to plan your whole classroom.

12-23 score:
Doing well
Seek support for improving weaker or non-existent areas.

24-35 score:
Almost there
Add new areas or resources to enrich learning.

36+ score:
Amazing!
Share your outstanding environment with us on social media.

Key Areas of Learning	Continuous Provision Areas	Continuous Provision Resources	Score
Investigations & Problem Solving	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Water Area Water tray and shelving <input type="checkbox"/> Dry Sand Area Sand tray or smaller trays on a table <input type="checkbox"/> Wet Sand Area Sand tray and shelving <input type="checkbox"/> Dough Area Round table, chairs or stools and shelving 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Water Resources Maths, science and storytelling <input type="checkbox"/> Dry Sand Resources Maths, science and storytelling <input type="checkbox"/> Wet Sand Resources Maths, science and storytelling <input type="checkbox"/> Dough Resources Investigating materials and pretend baking 	Score out of 8:
Expressive Arts & Design	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Paint Area Paint easel or a flat table for painting <input type="checkbox"/> DT & Workshop Area Large table, shelving and drawer unit <input type="checkbox"/> Woodwork Area Woodwork bench and mobile storage for equipment <input type="checkbox"/> Transient Art Area Shelving, large table or ample floor space 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Painting Equipment Paint brushes, paper <input type="checkbox"/> DT Materials Junk/recyclable materials, containers in different textures, shapes and sizes <input type="checkbox"/> Woodwork Equipment Child size tools, soft wood, screws and nails <input type="checkbox"/> Transient Art Resources Natural materials of different shapes and sizes for pattern making and figurative art 	Score out of 8:
Maths, Science & Engineering	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Maths Area Shelving, table and chairs or stools <input type="checkbox"/> Science Area Shelving, table and chairs or stools <input type="checkbox"/> Block Area Shelving and dedicated floor space <input type="checkbox"/> Small Construction Area Shelving, dedicated floor space and low play table 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Maths Resources Range of materials for sorting, counting, playing games and exploring shape, space and measure <input type="checkbox"/> Science Resources Range of toys to explore movement and mechanisms, equipment for colour and light, magnifiers and trays <input type="checkbox"/> Block Area Resources Set of medium size wooden blocks, boxes and smaller objects for building <input type="checkbox"/> Small Construction Sets Kits with different ways to build to add challenge. DUPLO, Mobilo, BRIO-mec and Kidstruktur 	Score out of 8:
Language & Literacy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Mark Making Area Shelving, table and chairs or stools <input type="checkbox"/> Books & Puppets Book unit, shelving and a low play table <input type="checkbox"/> Small World Area Fantasy Shelving, dedicated floor space and low play table <input type="checkbox"/> Small World Area Real Life Shelving, dedicated floor space 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Writing & Drawing Tools Pencils, felt tips and crayons. Tools such as scissors, glue, staplers. Selection of different size/style of paper, notes, envelopes <input type="checkbox"/> Books Core set of classic stories, popular themes, maths ideas, traditional tales and non-fiction <input type="checkbox"/> Puppets Farm/wild animals and traditional tales characters <input type="checkbox"/> Small World Resources Real life and fantasy characters with natural materials, small blocks and props 	Score out of 8:
Personal, Social & Emotional Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Role Play Role play units for a kitchen area and accessories for laundry and looking after babies <input type="checkbox"/> Real Life Role Play Mirrored role play unit and space to play <input type="checkbox"/> Fantasy Role Play Role play unit and space to play 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Role Play Resources Laundry equipment, kitchen utensils, cutlery/crockery, baby feeding, bathing/sleeping <input type="checkbox"/> Real Life Role Play Resources Pets, shopping and people in the community <input type="checkbox"/> Fantasy Role Play Resources Dressing-up as wizards, magicians, Red-riding Hood, princesses etc. 	Score out of 6:
Add up your total across the 5 areas and see how well you score.			Total:

Sign Up & Receive Free Planning Guides

Subscribe to our online community and receive a free continuous provision guide every month at: www.earlyexcellence.com/subscribe

This Audit Tool and associated materials are the property of Early Excellence and cannot be modified in any way without the explicit written permission of Early Excellence. © 2018 Early Excellence Limited.

