

How does the school prepare children with SEND for their next stage of education and life?

From the beginning of Year 6, children are gradually prepared for their transfer to secondary school. We develop responsibility through tasks undertaken in class and around school.

Additional activities are planned to support the transition of our children with SEND and any other children we consider to be particularly vulnerable. For some children, additional visits are set up to visit their secondary school, so that they can become more familiar with the layout of the school and build a better relationship with staff. They may also receive additional support from one of the Solihull Specialist Inclusion Support Service Teams. A transition book is also made for those children that need it. This includes pictures of their new teacher, their new classroom and other key parts of the school including the hall and playground for example.

Similar procedures are in place for children moving into new year groups within Meriden and more information can be found in the Transition Policy which can be found by [clicking here](#).