

Using information cards

Information cards can be used to help children and young people (CYP) share information. They can:

- ✓ be adapted to suit the specific needs of the CYP, according to their age/stage
- ✓ be created to address any situation
- ✓ be used on a lanyard or a key ring to make them easily accessible

Examples of information cards:

My name is Abi

- I am shy and find it very hard to answer questions or read things out in class.
- I manage better when I am talking directly to one adult.
- I find it really hard to work in a group, but it does help a little if you give me a specific role.
- I prefer it when I can work individually.

If it is possible please could you let me leave 2 or 3 minutes early so that I can miss the crowds in the corridors?

Thank you

Hi, I'm Oliver

- I find it very hard to take in a lot of verbal information, so I may worry about what I have to do when it is time for us to work individually.
- It really helps me to have a list of written instructions to refer to and to work through.
- I may need help from an adult to get started.
- Sometimes working with a buddy can help.
- If there is homework, could you please make sure I have clear instructions that I can write in my planner?

Thank you