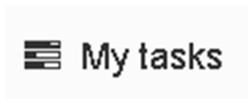


By using Better Start, you are submitting child level progress data to Nottinghamshire County Council, so please ensure that parents have been made aware of Nottinghamshire County Council's privacy notice which you can find by using this link: <http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/education/child-data-security/child-data-security> which informs parent/carers of the purpose of holding data regarding pupils and children.

Provider Portal Instructions

How to record 'Ages and Stages' EYFS development levels in Better Start

Click on the **Better Start** button, then click on the latest **Better Start task** that is listed on the left hand side in 'My tasks'



The task will usually be for assessments undertaken in the current term. However, you can request a separate 'baseline' task for new starters if you wish.

Email us: eypp@nottscc.gov.uk

Once in the task, click on **Choose Children** and tick the children to include in the assessment on the right hand side of the screen (you will find a list of who you need to tick in the report that has been sent to you in the portal under **Headcount menu > Payment History**).



Please identify the children for which the assessment will be completed.

Forename ↕	Surname ↕	Date of birth ↕	Age (in Months) ↕	User Defined Groups	Include In Assessment ↕	Toggle
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Then, click **NEXT** and



- Work from left to right along the columns next to each child.
- Firstly, under 2YR_RVW, select 'Yes' or 'No' ('Yes' if you have carried out a '2 year progress check' and 'No' if you haven't)
- Then enter the current 'Ages and Stages' level for each child in each of the categories (i.e. select from a pull down list under each column listed against the child).

On the next page you will find the Column Headings key and which assessment area each one relates to, and the 'Ages and Stages' grade list for reference.

The column headings and assessment areas are:

HV_2YR_RVW	Has the child had a provider 2 year old progress check ?	
BS_COM_LIST	Communication and Language	Listening and attention
BS_COM_UNDS		Understanding
BS_COM_SPEA		Speaking
BS_PHY_MOVH	Physical Development	Moving and handling
BS_PHY_HLTH		Health and self-care
BS_PSE_CONF	Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Self-confidence and self- awareness
BS_PSE_FEEL		Managing feelings and behaviour
BS_PSE_RELA		Making relationships
BS_LIT_READ	Literacy	Reading
BS_LIT_WRIT		Writing
BS_MAT_NUMB	Mathematics	Numbers
BS_MAT_SHAP		Shape, space and measures

- You can SAVE at any time and go back to the task any time whilst the task is open.
- When you have finished the entries for all the children on your list you need to press Submit Assessment at the bottom of the screen.
- You can also Submit Assessment at any time whilst the task is open.

Save

Submit Assessment ▶

The Ages and Stages definitions are:

Grade	Value	Description
7A	21	EYFS Achieved (48-60), (Very Secure)
7B	20	EYFS Achieved (48-60), (Mostly Secure)
7C	19	EYFS Achieved (48-60), (Beginning)
6A	18	40-60+ months, EYFS 6 (Very Secure)
6B	17	40-60+ months, EYFS 6 (Mostly Secure)
6C	16	40-60+ months, EYFS 6 (Beginning)
5A	15	30-50 months, EYFS 5 (Very Secure)
5B	14	30-50 months, EYFS 5 (Mostly Secure)
5C	13	30-50 months, EYFS 5 (Beginning)
4A	12	22-36 months, EYFS 4 (Very Secure)
4B	11	22-36 months, EYFS 4 (Mostly Secure)
4C	10	22-36 months, EYFS 4 (Beginning)
3A	9	16-26 months, EYFS 3 (Very Secure)
3B	8	16-26 months, EYFS 3 (Mostly Secure)
3C	7	16-26 months, EYFS 3 (Beginning)
2A	6	8-20 months, EYFS 2 (Very Secure)
2B	5	8-20 months, EYFS 2 (Mostly Secure)
2C	4	8-20 months, EYFS 2 (Beginning)
1A	3	0-11 months, EYFS 1 (Very Secure)
1B	2	0-11 months, EYFS 1 (Mostly Secure)
1C	1	0 - 11 months, EYFS 1 (Beginning)

Finally, confirm the Submission Declaration: (note: consent will have been given by parents who have signed the new 'Parent Declaration Form')

Submission Declaration

Confirmation

I confirm that all the information I have provided is correct to the best of my knowledge and that I have consent to send this data to my Local Authority.

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Cancel

Confirm