



## BGE CURRICULAR TRANSITIONS

### Sharing Practice – Renfrewshire

#### Renfrewshire Learning at Home and Family Learning Flipbooks

Two transition teams in Renfrewshire have produced a series of flipbooks. These provide examples of how flipbooks can be used to support family learning and learning at home – see the links to Renfrewshire flipbooks below. However, it is free and easy to make your own flipbooks:

The website is <https://www.flipsnack.com>

This website is free to use for the basic package. You can sign up via your establishment Facebook page, using your email, or you can create an account. You can create 3 flipbooks free of charge. If you want more then you can just sign into the site in different ways. The website has guidance on:

- creating flipbooks
- sharing flipbooks
- privacy settings

#### Creating a flipbook

##### Step 1: create a power point

- ✓ create a power point presentation with the information you want in the flipbook. Each slide represents one page:
  - use font size 18 at least
  - try to limit the number of words you use
  - use visuals
- ✓ check details, spelling etc – think of the power point as your final copy
- ✓ save the power point as a PDF – you **MUST** give the PDF the exact title you want the flipbook to have as you can't change things at this point

##### Step 2: upload to the website <https://www.flipsnack.com>

- ✓ open the website
- ✓ click to upload your PDF – select the file and press next
- ✓ open 'Preview book – ensure the text is clear (you can also remove shadow option for the book)
- ✓ scroll down to the bottom of the page – select the category you want your book in e.g. 'Education'
- ✓ click 'publish'
- ✓ scroll to the bottom of the page - copy the link to the flipbook

##### Step 3: post the link to families

- ✓ post the link you have copied from the website onto whatever platform your families are accessing

**See next page for Renfrewshire exemplars**

### **Transition flipbooks – early level**

Following an audit of family needs, these books were produced during lockdown to support pre-school families to prepare for the move to primary 1.

[Going to school - preparing for P1](#)

[Preparing for P1 - social, emotional and personal skills](#)

[Preparing for P1 - the world around us](#)

[Preparing for P1 - starting school](#)

### **Transition flipbooks – second level (P7 – S1 transition)**

Following an audit of family needs, these books were produced during lockdown to support P7 families to prepare for the move to high school.

[Preparing for high school - learning](#)

[Preparing for high school - maths](#)

[Preparing for high school - literacy](#)

[Preparing for high school - wellbeing\(Friendships\)](#)

[Preparing for high school - wellbeing \(during school closure\)](#)

[Preparing for high school - top tips](#)

[Induction booklet - going to high school](#)

These books were produced in recent weeks to celebrate how parents support the wider learning of their children and to share additional ideas with parents around learning at home.

[Numeracy at home](#)

[Listening and talking at home](#)