

# Transition to Prep 2024

*An increasing body of evidence supports the notion that children who have a positive start to school are likely to engage well and experience academic and social success (Denkyirah & Magbeke, 2010; Forest et al., 2004).*

## → OVERVIEW

- Over 8-10 sessions from October 2023 to March 2024, AQ's multidisciplinary transition supports team will guide your child (and you) on this exciting stage of their education.
- We will support families and schools to work together to understand your child's individual support needs (e.g. communication, social, behaviour etc).

## → To ensure you and your child enjoy a smooth and successful transition to Prep, these sessions cover essential components including:

- Planning meetings
- Supported visits to schools
- Planning for school readiness, school check-ins etc.
- Collaborative partnerships
- Individualised transition plans
- Resources
- Provision of in-school support.

## → Where are these supports available?

Transition to Prep supports are available at all AQ centres across Queensland, accessible face-to-face, online, or a combination of both.

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→ EMAIL [css@autismqld.com.au](mailto:css@autismqld.com.au)

→ WEBSITE  
<https://autismqld.com.au/services/>

## → Co-designed with you, your child and their school to ensure success:

- We will spend time getting to know your child and your family so we can understand what is important to you and what supports will help your child with their transition to school.
- We will work with you to develop personalised goals for your child.
- We will support you to build effective relationships with your child's school and staff.
- We will utilise evidence-informed practices to support your child.
- We will support your child alongside their peers.

Please note fees apply for this service. This service is charged under the Capacity Building - Improved Daily Living section of your NDIS Plan. If you do not have funding in this specific Support Category, please discuss with your NDIS EC Partner or phone the NDIS on 1800 800 110.