* Connect with your child’s teacher about making a plan for transition
* Share any concerns your child has about returning
* Brainstorm ideas that could help your child to prepare
* Consider a transition plan which supports your child to be successful
* Encourage your child to update their profile for teachers with the information learnt during learning@home
* Agree the plan for communication with teachers once your child returns to school
* Ask your child to help you prepare all school equipment – school bag, books, lunch box etc.
* Update visual schedules for the before and after school routines
* Try out the uniform, hat and shoes
* Agree & start revised bed & get up times as these may have changed during learning@home
* Check in with your school regarding social distancing expectations and hygiene changes and model these at home
* Talk about or trial any new drop off/pick up arrangements
* Make a video reminding your child of their classroom, school environment, teacher and key staff
* Put together a visual story using photos or images – remembering to highlight what is the same as before but also what is different.
* Set a timetable especially for the first day and then as needed
* Visually represent (pictures, images, video) and explain any new routines or expectations
* Practice using any new resources before the first day of school so any adjustments can be made

**Getting ready**

**Practice**

**Prepare resources**

**Returning to school**