



Young Carers School Passport

Guidelines for Young Carers and their family

The Young Carers Passport can be used within school when you are struggling due to caring responsibilities. There are **3** sections to the Passport:



1. Telephone

This may be shown to your teacher or admin staff when you need to make a private telephone call home to settle your mind.



2. Egg Timer

This should be used when or if you need time out. You may have become upset, you may have other things on your mind or you may need to be available to speak to professionals. The teacher should allow you to leave the room then discuss the matter with you. This is **NOT** an excuse to get out of lessons you do not like and will not be for full periods at once unless absolutely necessary.



3. Homework Book

This may be shown to a teacher when you have fallen behind with homework - no questions will be asked on the spot but instead the teacher should approach you after the session to see if they can support you in any way.

If one of the sections is used then it must be dated on the back of the appropriate card and signed by a staff member.

If you have any problems that do not fit into the **3** categories please use your **I.D. card** to speak to a staff member in private.

Please take time to find out who your 'school lead' is for Young Carers.

When the table on the back of a card is full please call the Young Carers Service for a new one on:

0800 3895 785

Please pass completed ones to the school to return to us.

