Carer Passport

Checklist
Schools

Administration of the scheme

A physical Passport such as a card, wallet, badge or perhaps a sticker within a student's handbook ☐

A confidential record maintained of the individual support for student carers ☐

Monitoring of progress and attendance of student carers ☐

Established mechanisms for student carers to feedback about the scheme ☐

Identification and assessment

An induction questionnaire to screen for carers ☐

Trigger for a 'Young Carers Needs Assessment' ☐

Assessment of their learning needs and a personalised learning plan ☐

Information for students who are young carers

Information about support for students who are carers in the school ☐

Information about and navigation to a young carer support group ☐

Information about wider support for young carers ☐

Information about wider support for families ☐

Information for students about the support the school offers for young carers ☐

Key contacts for students who are young carers ☐

An information pack and webpage for student young carers ☐

Information on health and wellbeing for young carers ☐

Emotional support for students who are young carers

More flexible opportunities to talk with staff ☐

Mutual support through a peer support group ☐

Access to counselling or therapeutic groups ☐

A 'Buddy' or 'Mentor' scheme for students ☐

Practical initiatives for young carers

Flexibility with homework, detentions, access to a phone ☐

Concessions and flexibility with travel to school and after school clubs and extracurricular activities ☐

Concessions with school trips for young carers (and families where appropriate) ☐

Other (at school)

Improved and accessible communications with parents ☐

Information about support for young carers on a school noticeboard, webpage and school literature ☐

Links with an 'emergency young carer' scheme ☐

A young carers forum or participation group ☐

Established mechanisms for young carers to feedback about the scheme ☐

Monitoring of progress and attendance of young carers ☐

Other (outside school)

Discounts on a range of local services and products ☐

Concessions on sport, leisure activities and travel in the local area ☐