

VISUAL ATTENDANCE SYSTEM

Benefits of Using a Visual Attendance System

- Promotes independence for the children
- Supports maintaining ratios
- Tracks movements of the children

For example, they may: drink at the water fountain, use the bathroom, visit the gym, visit peers in another room or enjoy an activity in the hallway with peers.

It can be customized for your program and the spaces the children have access to.



Implementing the System

1. As a team plan:
 - Available areas
 - When they can access them
 - Spots available in each
2. Rearrange the areas of the board to reflect the areas currently available to the children.
3. Introduce the attendance board to the children during community time and show them how to use it.
4. Anticipate that the children will need help and reminders to develop this routine.

