

COVID-19 – sufficiency and  
sustainability planning for  
Spring 2021

# Early Years Recovery Fund

- Secured £1.8 M funding for early years providers
- Recovery Conversations offered to all group providers
- Sustainability rating from providers view and sufficiency rating from LA view
- Mapping of Recovery Conversations
- Process and Application documentation agreed
- Final ratification by cabinet due end October 20
- Package of support

# Brokerage of two year old places

- Re-engaged Family Centres
- Focus on families that have applied but not taken up funding
- Continue to contact families on DfE list that have not applied but step up the number of contacts
- Target areas where providers are reporting low take up
- Renewed delivery of information sessions to internal staff teams, partner agencies and commissioned providers

# Communications to parents and providers

- Secured a small budget
- Reviewed our communications plan
- Renewed promotional material designs
- Focus on changes to parental circumstances
- Messaging to build confidence in parents to send their children to an Early Years Provision
- Promotional materials for providers
- Refresh of web pages

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