

Ideas to support independence

- ✓ Label key areas of the classroom and resources with visual and text labels. Keep the layout consistent.
- ✓ Provide a space for each student to manage their own resources.
- ✓ Signal clearly when the subject or discussion is about to change, begin or end.
- ✓ Provide students with information on a new topic in advance to allow them to build some understanding beforehand.
- ✓ Ensure students understand the task before they start working. Break the tasks into manageable chunks.

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