

A guide for schools

# Key Ring Reminders

## What is it?

A Key ring reminder acts as a visual prompt for packing a bag. It shows the student what the object looks like, and what they need to remember.

It increases the student's independence and supports organisation as they can keep it close by.



## How to use it



- Use visuals/words or both to label each item. The student may benefit from taking a photo of the actual item if this can help the child to identify the object.
- Laminate each of the visuals and attach to a key ring.
- Check the understanding of the photos/ vocabulary.
- Read the visual support used together
- Initially work through each step together to pack/unpack the bag.
- Once more confident, ask the child to do the next couple of steps alone.
- Encourage the child to check they have everything
- Gradually phase out the support and encourage the child to work towards completing the task independently
- The photos can be attached inside the child's bag on a pull key ring for easy access.