

# youngballymun's experience of participating in the Síolta Quality Assurance Programme



- ### Principles underpinning our work
- > Children & families are at the centre of our work
  - > Relationships are crucial & should be fostered
  - > Integration is significant in developing effective partnerships & transferring theory into practice
  - > Respect for & sensitivity to individual needs, challenges & contexts
  - > Partnership-working with settings to empower them to deliver high quality early years provision
  - > Strengths-based approach
  - > Commitment to achieving sustainable high quality provision for children & families

- ### We aim to support the development of high quality Early Years settings through
- > Implementation of Síolta-best practice standards
  - > Supporting delivery of evidence-based curriculum (HighScope)
  - > Development of reflective practice
  - > Raising awareness, knowledge & skills
  - > Provision of Coaching & Mentoring
  - > Use of evidence based & innovative practice
  - > A tailored, individualised & whole centre approach
  - > Ongoing evaluation & responsiveness

