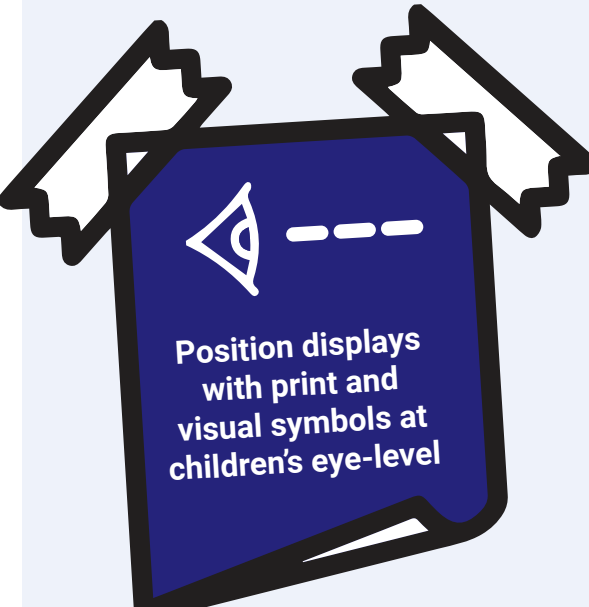


# Supporting print awareness in ECE environments



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Position displays with print and visual symbols at children's eye-level

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Identify the sounds or letters in children's names and look for other words that start with those letters




Engage with families about print their children recognise at home and in the community



Offer real ways for children to practise mark-making and writing...  
...such as a sign-in book



Incorporate print in sociodramatic play, like taking orders at a restaurant



Provide a range of tools for writing and mark-making




Look for environmental print...



...both in the ECE centre and on walks



Create quiet spaces where children can listen to and read books, draw or write



Offer a wide range of books, including in different languages, fiction, non-fiction, and photo books