# EYFS profile - Characteristics of Effective Learning template

Name………………………… Age in months…………………….

| **Characteristics of effective learning** | **How [name of child] learns** |
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| By playing and exploring:   * finding out and exploring * using what they know in their play * being willing to have a go |  |
| Through active learning:   * being involved and concentrating * keeping on trying * enjoying achieving what they set out to do |  |
| By creating and thinking critically:   * having their own ideas * using what they already know to learn new things * choosing ways to do things and finding new ways |  |