

Child's words and pictures to explain a looked after review

Why is there a meeting called a child looked after review?



You are looked after because you are not able to live at home at the moment. A child looked after review is a meeting to see how you are getting on and to help plan for what happens next.

Who is the independent reviewing officer?



My job is to make sure the adults around you are caring for you properly and that people are doing the things they said they would do for you.

Who goes to a child looked after review?



You are the most important person to attend your review. Your parents and other people that know you like your teacher will usually be invited. Your social worker will be there.

What happens at a child looked after review?



The meeting usually takes place in the home where you are living. We talk about what is working well for you, if there are any worries, as well as things that are important to you. We agree what needs to happen next.

What happens after a child looked after review?



I will write you a letter so we can remember what was agreed. Sometimes I might come and see you before your review meeting or at another time.

What next?



Child looked after review meetings will happen every three to six months whilst you continue to be a child looked after.