

# LPPA

improving  
parental  
engagement

## Leading Parent Partnership Award (LPPA)

### Develop positive relationships with parents

This whole-school Award helps your school to work in partnership with all parents and carers. Parental participation in school life has a large and positive impact on pupils' learning and can also improve punctuality, attendance, and behaviour.

Undertaking the LPPA will ensure that outstanding parental engagement sits at the heart of your school life now and in the future, as well as allowing you to demonstrate your outstanding provision to key stakeholders.

### What's in the Leading Parent Partnership Award framework?

#### Transition

Support parents as their children transition through or between schools.

#### Participation

Include all groups of parents in supporting their children's learning and developing their own learning.

#### Communication

Take steps to ensure that the school is a welcoming communicative and friendly place for parents.

#### Guidance

Provide clear and accessible guidance to help parents support their children's learning and development.

#### Induction

Provide clear guidance on the responsibilities of parents, schools and pupils, and share this information with parents as a key part of the induction process.

#### Home-school links

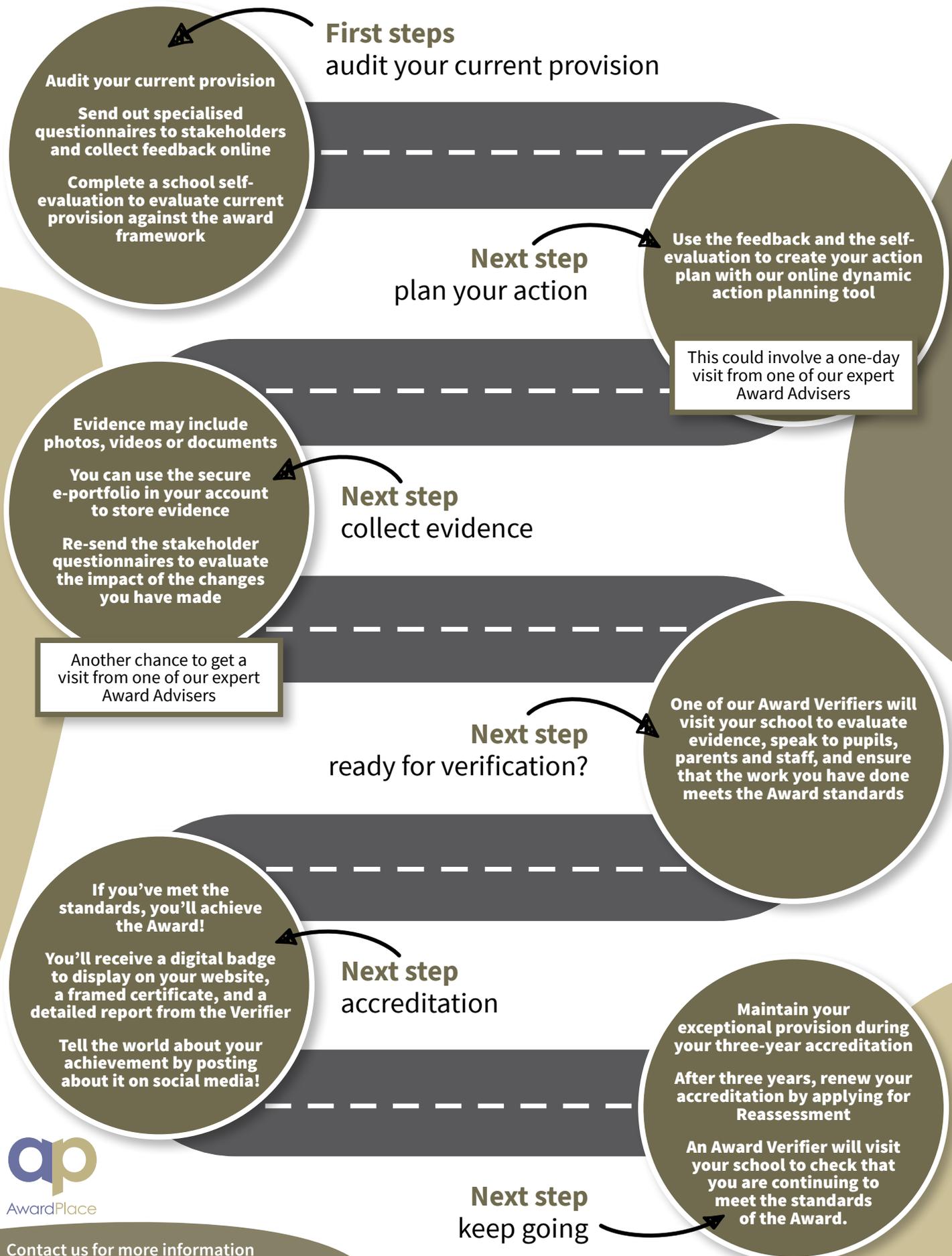
Produce parent-friendly policies to establish effective home-school links.

The LPPA has been promoting excellence in parent partnership in schools and other educational settings since 2003. As of 2020, more than 2,000 schools have been accredited or are currently working through the process.

#### What our schools think...

*'This award works for all schools regardless of progress to date. For a school just starting on the development of parental engagement, it is a comprehensive framework that can be substantially supported by external experts. For schools with much already in place, it helps identify gaps quickly, helps shape development work incrementally and allows endorsement of existing good practice. For those schools who have extensive established good practice, it is a health check and great Ofsted evidence.'* The Nobel School, Hertfordshire

# How do schools achieve the Leading Parent Partnership Award?



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