

B Squared Framework Comparison Chart

B SQUARED STANDARD SCORE	STATUTORY FRAMEWORKS		B SQUARED ASSESSMENT FRAMEWORKS								
	P Levels and NC Levels		Pre-Key Stage Standards	Early Steps (2022)	Engagement Steps	Progression Steps & Preparing for Adulthood	Primary Steps	Steps 4 Life	Autism Progress	Broad Areas of Need	
15 - 15.5	NC 7					Progression Step 10	Greater Depth & Breadth	Level 2	Level 17	Level 16 (13–15 yrs)	
14 - 15											
13 - 14	NC 6	Level 15 (11–13 yrs)									
12 - 13						NC 5		Level 16			
11 - 12											
10 - 11	NC 4	Level 14 (9–11 yrs)									
9 - 10						NC 3	Level 13 (7–9 yrs)				
8 - 9	NC 2	NC 2a						Year 3	Level 14	Level 13	
7 - 8						NC 2b					
6 - 7	NC 2c	Standard 6					Progression Step 6	Year 2	Entry 2	Level 13	Level 12 (6–7 yrs)
5 - 6						NC 1					
4 - 5	NC 1b	Standard 4					Early Learning Goals (ELG)	Progression Step 4	Primary Step 3	Step 7	Level 11
3 - 4						NC 1c					
2 - 3	P8	Standard 2					3 & 4 year olds	Engagement Step 6	Step 6	Level 9	Level 8 (2½–3 yrs)
1 - 2			P7	Standard 1	2½–3 years	Engagement Step 5					
0 - 1	P6	18–24 months					Engagement Step 4	Step 5	Level 7	Level 6 (18–24m)	
			P5	12–18 months	Engagement Step 3	Step 4					Level 6
	P4	9–12 months					Engagement Step 2	Step 3	Level 5	Level 4 (9–12m)	
			P3(ii)	6–9 months	Engagement Step 1	Step 2					Level 4
	P3(i)	3–6 months					Step 1	Level 3	Level 2 (3–6m)		
			P2(ii)	0–3 months	Step 1	Level 2				Level 1 (0–3 months)	
	P2(i)										
			P1(ii)								
	P1(i)										