

Start of the preschool year	<b>a</b>	<b>b</b>
	<b>c</b>	<b>d</b>
Trial baseline	<b>Randomisation</b>	
	<b>Intervention group</b>	<b>Control group</b>
1 month	<b>e</b>	
6 months	<b>f</b>	<b>g</b>
	<b>f</b>	
1 year	<b>h</b>	<b>i</b>
	<b>h</b>	<b>i</b>
2 year	<b>h</b>	<b>i</b>
	<b>h</b>	<b>i</b>

<b>a</b>	<b>Screening questionnaire:</b> Preschool services distribute to parents of all children at the start of their preschool year. Parents return questionnaires via a sealed box at preschools.
<b>b</b>	<b>Usual care services</b> available in the community (i.e., maternal and child health, general practice, any other health, education and childcare services).
<b>c</b>	<b>Trial eligibility</b> determined by high temperamental inhibition score on screening questionnaire. Research team makes recruitment phone calls to all eligible families.
<b>d</b>	<b>Baseline questionnaire</b> and consent forms mailed to families; return by reply-paid mail
<b>e</b>	<b>Cool Little Kids program</b> is administered. 6 x 90-min group sessions (2 weekly, 3 fortnightly, 1 month booster)
<b>f</b>	<b>Screening process appraisal questionnaire</b> mailed to parents; return by reply-paid mail
<b>g</b>	<b>Cool Little Kids program appraisal questionnaire</b> mailed to parents; return by reply-paid mail
<b>h</b>	<b>Primary &amp; secondary outcomes questionnaire</b> mailed to parents; return by reply-paid mail
<b>i</b>	<b>Parent telephone interview</b> to assess primary outcome