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TAKING THE STRAIN OUT OF FAMILY MOVING

We all know that moving can be a stressful event – not just for the customers and their families but for the pack crews and drivers, too.

To take some of the strain out of the occasion, Celebrity International Movers SA in Athens has been trying to create happy moves for families.

According to Managing Director Kathy Chrisovergis, her company's crews try to create a cheerful atmosphere and involve children in the move where they can. Celebrity provides various items to make the move fun including

children's packing boxes (decorated with pirates and Cinderellas) and balloons.

Most recently, Celebrity Movers has produced a guidebook on moving with children. The content has been checked by a child psychologist and aims to 'prepare your child for this emotional transition'.

Chrisovergis said: 'We want the family to enjoy their move and to make it a memorable event in their lives.'

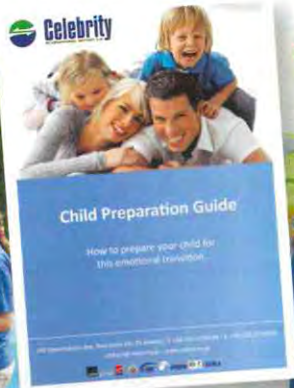
In the guidebook, which is given to customers, she adds:

'Whatever the reason (for the move), relocating can be challenging for everyone but especially tough on the younger members of the family.'

To overcome possible negative emotions, Celebrity recommends involving children in the process. Simple tips include:

- let youngsters know about an upcoming move as soon as possible
- be open and keep them informed
- get them excited about the move
- make packing fun and plan a farewell party.

All wrapped up – Greek international movers Celebrity go to all sorts of lengths to help customer's children get involved



Simple tips - a child psychologist has checked the contents of Celebrity's new guide for moving with children



Keeping your children informed about progress on your move should mean the process is easier for them