

We are proud to announce that Catrine Primary has been awarded the Digital Schools Award.

Miss Burleigh and Mrs Cook established our Digital Learning Committee in January 2018 and set the members the task of leading digital learning throughout the school.

Throughout this time the pupils have developed their skills in using various different applications such as; Office 365, iMovie, SWAY, FORMS, QR codes, coding and Keynote.

Mrs Mackenzie from Digital Schools visited Catrine on Friday 10th May to see our digital technology in action, and was very impressed with what she saw!

It was highlighted in our report that the school has fully embraced digital technology across all stages, through all curricular areas and the wider school community.

Mrs Mackenzie stated, 'I visited all 6 classes during my visit and saw a wide variety of quality digital learning and teaching experiences. All teachers were confidently using aspects of digital technology in their classrooms. There was some truly innovative practice in all classes. The use of QR codes for early level reading books was ground breaking!'

At Catrine PS we pride ourselves in developing skills for lifelong learning, and this wonderful opportunity has allowed the children to further develop their creativity, problem solving, collaboration and leadership skills by supporting pupils and classes throughout the school, providing staff training and showcasing their learning at whole school assemblies.

Councillor for Lifelong Learning, Fiona Campbell, was delighted to present Miss Burleigh and members of the Digital Learning Committee with their award, and to announce that, due to their excellent report, Catrine PS has been asked to be a mentor school for schools starting out on their Digital Learning journey and that our report is being shared as an example of excellent practice with Education Scotland.



Councillor Campbell presenting Miss Burleigh and the Digital Learning Committee with their Award.



The Digital Learning Committee with our Digital Schools Validator Mrs Mackenzie



Stuart and Kerr, our Media Committee, with their 'Thank You' letters from Digital Schools for their wonderful iMovie.