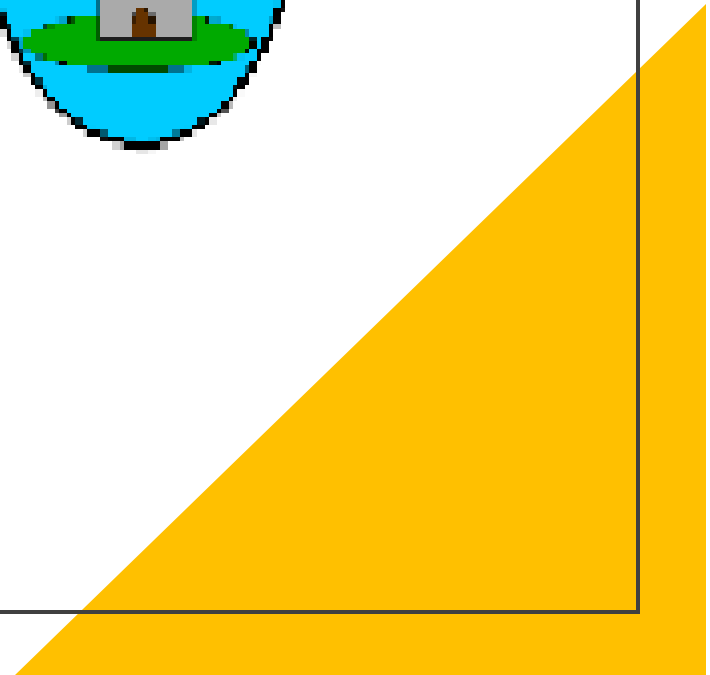
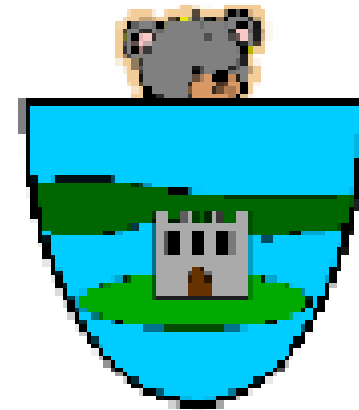
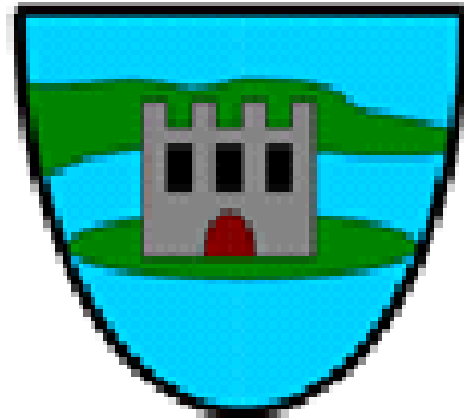


Parent Council  
Meeting  
Monday 9th  
September



# Staffing - School

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Core staffing is same as last year.

Classroom Assistant hours stayed the same and probationer funded by 0.7

Miss McNaughton in P6/7

Mr Meldrum and Mrs Ferguson sharing the 1.1 pointage

Interviews this week for 0.6 covered by Mr Meldrum at present – temporary until June

PT PEF is being job sized and will be advertised

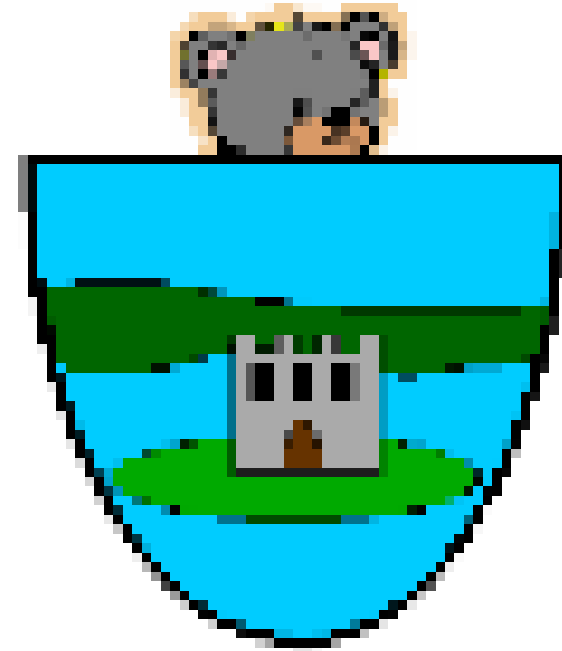
HLW 1 day in Dalmellington and 1 day in Bellsbank – need to ensure funding for this in light of pay awards.

0.5 teaching available due to shared headship.



# Staffing - ECC

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- 3 full time ELCPs
  - Number of children starting with us this session is 16
  - At present we have good staffing levels to cover these ratios
  - EA carrying out a Best Value Review – all recruitment has been frozen in early years until this is complete





# Budgets

- In light of the statements around the financial position from the UK and Scottish Government, it is a challenging financial picture.
- Financial recovery plans
- Business critical spends only
- Best Value Review – ECC
- PEF budget

Digital

# Priority 1 - Curriculum



Curriculum Rationale



Learner Participation



Quality Assurance of Learning  
and Teaching

# Priority 2 – Pupil and Parent Engagement

ATTENDANCE AND  
ENGAGEMENT

HEALTH AND WELLBEING  
CURRICULUM

PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT

STAFF WELLBEING



Robust assessment and  
intervention approaches



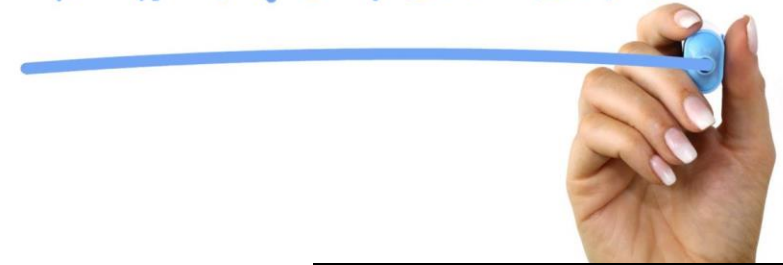
Literacy and Numeracy  
Curriculum Development



# Improvement Plan – Term 1 so far...

- Introduced 3 year curriculum planning frameworks
- Revisited the Lesson Evaluation Toolkit – Excellent lesson
- ECC – Steps to Participation and Parental Engagement – Bookbug and PEEP sessions
- Interventions discussed and decided following ongoing assessments
- ECC – Building on monitoring and tracking, attending initial P1 monitoring and tracking meetings
- School – L&T Enquiry – focus on differentiation, questioning and feedback
- School – pupil leadership – pupil voice/prefects/pupil groups

# IMPROVEMENT



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Continuous Quality Improvement Cycle



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# Learning and Teaching

- Starting monitoring and tracking meetings this week to plan projected targets for the session.
- Stretch aims
- Quality Assurance – planning, pupil progress, lesson observations and pupils' work before October holidays



# ACEL 2023/2024

Dalmellington PS	Reading	Writing	Listening and Talking	Literacy Combined	Numeracy
P1	100	100	100	100	100
East Ayrshire P1	84	83	92	79	87
P4	100	92	100	100	91
East Ayrshire P4	74	70	88	68	75
P7	93	87	100	93	87
East Ayrshire P7	74	70	87	67	74
P1,4 and 7 combined	94	94	100	94	94
East Ayrshire P1, 4 and 7 combined	77	74	89	71	79

# Attendance

- Maintaining attendance and learning engagement levels about 90% is crucial for children's progress in learning and their peer relationships

Develop a policy

Promoting this with parents via the app and at Parents' Night

Month	Average Attendance
August	90%
September	85%
October	85%
November	87%
December	89%
January	94%
February	94%
March	89%
April	94%
May	
June	
Average	%

# Parental Engagement

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- Meet the Teacher session this Friday
- Sharing the Learning Events are being planned – what would you like to see at these session?
- Dates for the session hoping to issue by Sept weekend
- Monthly Roundup
- Communication – how can we improve?

ECC

Key worker walks

Bookbug sessions

PEEP sessions

Craft and Play sessions in December

Reading Breakfast 6th Mar – whole school

[Link to all materials from workshops  
https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/ea/dalmellingtonpseccmain2017/maths-masterclasses/](https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/ea/dalmellingtonpseccmain2017/maths-masterclasses/)

# Pupil Leadership

- P7 Prefect Recruitment
  - P7 Pupil Voice Ambassadors
- Pupil Groups – after Sept weekend
- Climate Champions
- Dexter's Learning Squad
- Digital Leaders
- Health and Wellbeing Champions
- Pupil Council
- Rights Respecting Squad



# ECC

- Care Plan meetings are in progress and will be completed by September weekend
- Parental Engagement Plans in place



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# Doon Campus Reburishment

- During the Summer, surveys have been taking place to help with the planning of the refurbished campus.
- Packing up in classes
- No timeline for the planning and works that will need to happen.





# P7/S1 Transition Plans

- Doon Academy shared a structured transition programme for P7/S1 transition at the Education Group meeting.
- First event for P6 and P7 is the visit from the Robotarium on 3rd October in Doon Academy. Parents information session for P6 and P7 parents the same evening.
- Events to be spread more evenly throughout the session.
- Robotics event – October
- STEM event – March
- Traditional induction days – June
- Discussion around another event between October and June – plan to be finalised

# ECC/P1 Transition Plans

- Aug – Oct – settle our new P1s. Key workers participate in early monitoring and tracking meetings
- Nov – P6 Chat Buddies training
- Dec – Apr – P6 buddies visit the ECC once a week
- Apr – May – P6 buddies help at the in school sessions in P1