Largoward Primary School



School Improvement Plan 2024-2025 Summary for Parents and Carers

Identifying Priorities for Improvement:



When identifying our priorities for improvement in Largoward Primary School we have taken into consideration national, regional and local guidance and information.





- HGIOS4/HGIOELC
- National Improvement Framework
- Fife Children's Services Plan
- Pupil Equity Funding
- Cluster Plan
- Learning Partnership
- On-going self-evaluation
- Evidence from staff, pupils, parents and partners



How We Triangulate Our Evidence:



Pupils:

- Focus groups
- Pupil surveys
- Pupil council
- PLJ's
- Microsoft Teams/GLOW
- Observations
- Assessment information



Parents:

- Focus groups
- Workshops
- Parental questionnaires
- Parents evenings
- Microsoft Forms
- Facebook page and Twitter
- Parent council

DIRECT OBSERVATION

Staff:

- Staff meetings teachers, PSA's and nursery
- Staff wise survey
- PRD's
- Classroom visits
- Excellence and equity meetings
- Moderation activities
- Assessment information

Partners In Education:

- Planning with partner agencies family support team, active schools, educational psychologist, SALT, EAL, social work, EP.
- Planning with community groups rotary club, sports groups and clubs, etc

Education Directorate Improvement Plan:

- Equality & Equity
- Achievement
- Health & Wellbeing
- Attendance & Engagement

Focused Priority 1: All 12 learners in the P1-7 multi-composite class will experience an appropriately challenging curriculum and learning experiences that are effectively differentiated to meet individual learner need (Year 2 of 3 year cycle)

QI (HGIOS4):

- 1.3 Leadership of Change
- 2.3 Learning, teaching and assessment
- 3.1 Improving wellbeing, equality and inclusion
- 3.2 Raising attainment and achievement

Expected Impact Strategic Actions	Planned Responsibilities	Measure of Success (Triangulation of Evidence) Timesca	les
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All pupils will be appropriately challenged in their learning based on where they are in their learning journey, making progress through current CfE level at a pace that is right for them.	Develop three-year rotations for PE, outdoor learning and expressive arts Embed use of updated rotations for HWB, social subjects, technologies and RME.	HT from Largoward and Pitlessie to lead All teaching staff	Data: GMWP results for September and May CfE tracking data across the BGE	March 25 Ongoing
All pupils will be able to discuss what they are learning and why. All pupils will be able to	Learning, Teaching and Assessment: Embed use of newly developed learning, teaching and assessment strategy Pupil Participation: All pupils to complete Glasgow	HT, teaching and support staff	Peoples Views: Feedback from staff moderation activities Professional dialogue during termly excellence and equity meetings Feedback from parents and	Ongoing September and
discuss their strengths and how to be successful in their learning.	Motivation and Wellbeing Profile - September and May • Pupils to lead development of SHANARRI learning wall and	Pupil Council, house captains and HT	pupils on their plans • Pupils focus groups Observations:	May December 24
All pupils will be able to discuss their next steps and areas for improvement. All pupils will be motivated	assembly inputs Introduction of Skills Development Scotland meta skills within play provision and other areas	HT, class teachers and support staff	 Moderation of SofS, CP and PAMP Lesson visits as part of QA calendar 	By February 25
and engaged in their learning.	Professional learning for staff on loose part play	Mishalla Canaland EVO and	 Learning partnership visit 	February inset t.b.c
	 Lawhead EYO and DHT to support development of play within Largoward 	Michelle Copeland EYO and Jen Simpson DHT		By December 24
	 Continue to upskill pupils on self and peer assessment, using the language of learning 	Class teacher		Ongoing
	Professional Learning: Collegiate sessions looking at research into 'adaptive teaching'	HT, class teacher and SfL teacher		By May 25
	Universal Level:			

 Summaries of Support – professional learning sessions to share good practice on developing, updating and sharing summaries of support – including pupils and parents in this process. Further develop 'Support for Learning' section of the school website. Digital Tools – upskill staff on the range of digital tools available to support learners with identified need e.g. immersive reader, speech to text, etc. Arrange professional learning input from ATSS. 	HT, class teacher and SfL teacher Member of ATSS team t.b.c Wendy Garty P7 teacher from Lawhead	February 25 Ongoing Term 1 and 2 May 25 inset
 Additional/Intensive Level: Child's Plans and Pro-Active Management Plans – professional learning sessions to share good practice on developing, updating and sharing CPs and PAMPs – including pupils, parents and other agencies/professionals in this process Key staff members to attend whole family wellbeing sessions to collaborate with partners. Cascade learning on the revised 'Child Wellbeing Pathway'. 	Link educational psychologist HT, DHT and SfL	By May 24 9 th September 24, 25 th November 24 and 4 th March 25

Education Directorate Improvement Plan:

Achievement

Focused Priority 2: Use benchmarks for all curriculum areas to measure children's progress and achievement of a level across the broad general education using a range of assessment evidence to inform professional judgements.

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Expected Impact	Strategic Actions Planned	Responsibilities	Measure of Success (Triangulation of Evidence)	Timescales
All staff will enhance their assessment skills through planned assessment and moderation activity, this will ensure all children are making progress across all areas of the curriculum All staff will track children's progress across the broad general education and use assessment evidence to support professional judgements to ensure children experience their entitlement to a broad general education.	Professional Learning Activity As part of collegiate sessions staff will engage in professional dialogue on assessment of all areas of the curriculum Term 1- literacy and numeracy Term 2 – HWB Term 3 – Social subjects, technologies and science Term 4 – Expressive arts and RME All staff will use CfE benchmarks for identified curriculum areas to engage in moderation activity linked to HWB – see cluster plan	Led by HT All teaching staff	 Data Analysis of attainment data in Literacy and Numeracy along with all other areas of the curriculum Analysis of CFE and BASE/NSA data Analysis of data for identified cohorts eg SIMD ASN, EAL, LAC, AF etc People's Views 	October 2024 December 2024
education.	 All staff will use the progression pathways for all curriculum areas to ensure planned learning experiences are progressive for all children. Attainment and Forward Planning dialogues will support assessment within all curriculum areas linked to assessment evidence which informs professional judgements. Staff will develop confidence in planning for assessment. 	Led by SLT All teaching staff	 Teacher views on new system Teacher professional dialogue with SLT at FP & Attainment Meetings Feeback from moderation activities Parent/carer views on children's experiences of BGE 	September 2024 November 2024 January 2025 April 2025

Tracking & Monitoring All staff in liaison with SLT will develop their understanding of the Progress Framework. This will be used to track progress in learning across the curriculum and record targeted interventions for individual or cohorts of	Led by HT/DHT All teaching staff staff	Children's views gathered through class groups and pupil focus groups on the learning experiences across the curriculum	February 2025
children. Reporting All staff will be familiar with the reporting framework built into Progress and this will support reporting to parents/carers at key points throughout the session. All staff will use the reporting aspect of the framework to complete end of session written reports to ensure all parents/carers have access to an	Teaching and nursery staff	 Observations Forward planning documentation monitoring Jotter sampling – literacy/numeracy and other curriculum areas Classroom observations linked to identified areas of the curriculum (QA calendar) Focus for LP – analysis of 	April 2025 May/June 2025
annual written report which is informed by professional judgements. Curriculum Rationale Our Curriculum Rationale will be further developed to ensure that it is reflective of the experiences all children are experiencing across the school in relation to the BGE.	Led by HT/DHT All staff	data, Learning experiences across the curriculum/identified area of curriculum, parent/pupil views of the delivery of the curriculum	June 2025

Attainment Fund Rationale: 'To use education to improve outcomes for children and young people impacted by poverty with a focus on tackling the poverty-related attainment gap to deliver on the Scottish Government's vision of equity and excellence in education'.

Amount of Fund: £6,125

To fund additional PSA hours

Intervention 1: Phonics/Spelling – identified individuals in P4 and P5 who have identified gaps in their phonic knowledge will have increased confidence and accuracy in their word attack skills.

Expected Impact	Interventions Planned	Measure of Success (Triangulation of Evidence)	Impact on learners Ongoing evaluation Dec/June (What has been the actual impact/outcome, in particular for the targeted group of learners) (What data/evidence shows the impact of the project/intervention? Refer to outcome statement. Did you achieve what you set out?)
Increase in spelling age.	Baseline assessments of high frequency words – reading and writing.	Data:Schonnel assessment in September and May	
Increase in accuracy when writing high frequency words.	Initial screening using 5/10-minute literacy box.	High-frequency work initial and follow up	
Improved phonological awareness.	5/10-minute sessions, minimum three times per week using 5/10 minute literacy box with PSA.	assessment5/10 minute boxscreening	
Increased confidence to write, reduced anxiety/hesitation over spelling.	Additional literacy supports including Nessy subscriptions for identified learners.	Peoples Views: Pupil views on how they feel about	
over spennig.	Pupil personalised targets – shared with pupil and reviewed regularly	spelling and writing gathered at start, mid point and end	
	Follow up assessment at end of intervention block.	Observations:	

Share with parents top tips to support targeted work in school.	Sampling of jotter work throughout the session
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