

Early Language and Communication Project

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An Early Language and Communication Improvement Story Board from South Lanarkshire

Making Literacy Sparkle

The issue	The team	Our idea
Raising awareness of 'Making Literacy Sparkle' – previous training	Maureen Devlin Louise Lynch Carol Strom	PowerPoint Presentation for Practitioners delivered on-line
Tools & resources we used.	What we did	The impact
PowerPoint Presentation from three courses – Making Books Sparkle; Wonderous Words; Fun with Sounds Photographs and videos of current practice from ELC settings within the authority.	Summarised three courses originally delivered to EY practitioners as part of a multiagency EY Literacy approach launched 2017-2018 which have now been made available online to SLC EY staff.	Feedback so far has been positive as it has reminded staff who took part in the training different aspects that they had forgotten or stopped using during Covid-19.
Our learning 8 next steps	This was an opportunity to look at the original training and make it relevant for playroom and practitioners today. Some of whom had not taken part in the original training as they joined the profession as part of the 'Blueprint for 2020'.	
	Further literacy training will take place face-to-face from August 2024.	
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