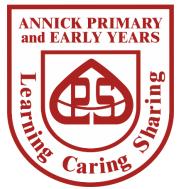


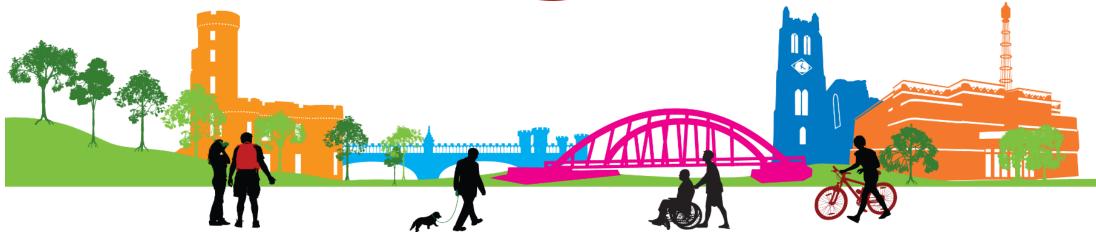


Communities and Education Directorate

Annick Primary School and Early Years Class

Improvement Plan 2022-2023





Vision, Values and Aims

As part of our 2021-22 School Improvement Plan we revisited our vision, values and aims with all in our school community. Pupils co-wrote the aims, House Captains distilled information from pupils and parents to choose our values. Staff worked with the Professional Leadership team to create a visions which were voted on by pupils and parents.

Vision

We are learning, caring and working together to ensure that every member of the school community is included, respected and provided with the necessary tools to create a positive future for all.

	Values		
Safe	Kind	Respect	

Aims

Safe

- We will provide a safe and secure school whilst maintaining an open relationship with parents and the community
- We want everyone to have a trusted adult to talk to when they need to.
- We want a safe environment for us to learn and achieve in.

Kind

- We promise to look after each other and ensure everyone is included.
- We will listen to our friends and respect them if they do not want to talk to us.
- We will ensure that everyone in Annick Primary School and Early Years feels supported.

Respect

- We believe in and include everyone in the life of the school.
- We stand up for each other and we are loyal towards each other.

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NORTH AYRSHIRE COUNCIL EDUCATION SERVICE IMPROVEMENT PLAN SUMMARY 2022-23



The Education Service Improvement Plan is aligned to the 5 priorities of the National Improvement Framework. Individual establishments should create their own plan under these 5 priorities, based on rigorous self-evaluation and analysis of performance evidence. Stakeholders should be fully engaged in the development of the plan. In the diagram below, the orange boxes show the thematic areas under each priority which the service intends to focus on in the year ahead. A full version of the service improvement plan will be published on the Council website.

	PRIORITY 1	PRIORITY 2	PRIORITY 3	PRIORITY 4	PRIORITY 5
Priority Area	Improvement in attainment, particularly in literacy and numeracy	Closing the gap between the most and least disadvantaged children and young people	Improvement in skills and sustained, positive school- leaver destinations for all young people	Improvement in children and young people's health and wellbeing	Placing human rights and needs of every child and young person at the centre of education
Themes	 Quality learning, teaching and assessment Raising attainment and achievement 	 Interventions to reduce gaps Specific focus on identified targeted groups, including care experienced learners 	 Improved skills Improved transitions Partnerships to improve post-school learner outcomes 	 Supporting mental health and wellbeing Supporting physical health and wellbeing Supporting social and emotional wellbeing 	 Supporting children's needs review Maximising learner voice and participation Maximising parent/carer involvement and engagement

Strategic Plan 2022-23: Annick Primary School and Early Years Class

Establishment Priorities The establishment priorities are likely to be the same as the service / NIF priorities.	School and Early Years Improving attainment in reading and writing through moderation and data to inform interventions.	School Priority Developing a play pedagogy in Primary 1 and beyond to support all our learners and to limit the attainment gap at Early Level.	School and Early Years Collaboratively create a progression of engineering skills to improve destinations for all learners from Early Years to P7.	School Priority Work with whole school community to develop pupil voice	School Priority Review of school's Respect Me policy linking inclusive approaches and engaging with school community.
Thematic areas The thematic areas are fairly broad headings under the school priorities to group together a range of improvement actions you plan to undertake. It is not necessary for establishments to select the same thematic areas as the service improvement plan.	 Quality learning and teaching (2.2, 2.3, 2.5) Children and young people leading change (1.2) Teacher professional learning to develop new approaches to reading and its link to writing. (1.2) Raising attainment through moderation, data and teacher professional judgement. (3.2) 	 Quality learning and teaching (2.3, 2.6, 3.2) Teacher professional learning (1.2) Liaise with Early Years colleagues around quality environments, observations of childrens learning. Link with Cluster to create 	 Staff professional learning (1.2) Curricular development including DYW links and developing existing learning experiences (2.2, 2.3, 3.3) Exploring gender unbalance in Engineering and wider STEM subjects (3.1) Develop partnerships with a range of partners in industry (2.7) Whole school progression from Early Years to Primary 7. 	 Development of pupils' self-evaluation approaches. (1.1) Improved evidence gathering to support assessment of learning. Pupils involvement in decision making in the school (3.1) Engage with wider school community to support learning (2.5, 3.1) 	 Working with Use of Respect Me self-evaluation toolkit (1.1) Explore Inclusion and Diversity by completing the 'Journey' and creating an action plan. Continue to build on Rights Respecting School Silver Award to ensure rights are considered.

Strategic Plan 2022-23: Annick Primary School and Early Years Class

Establishment Priorities The establishment priorities are likely to be the same as the service / NIF priorities.	Early Years Priority To develop the outdoor learning environment to support our learners to apply a range of skills literacy, numeracy and health and wellbeing skills.	Early Years Priority Raise attainment in literacy and numeracy through use of milestone data	Early Years Priority To develop parental engagement in the life of the Early Years to improve learners progress.
Thematic areas The thematic areas are fairly broad headings under the school priorities to group together a range of improvement actions you plan to undertake. It is not necessary for establishments to select the same thematic areas as the service improvement plan.	Supporting our learners mental health and wellbeing and equity of experiences. (3.1) Developing literacy and numeracy skills. (3.2) Developing quality outdoor environment (2.3) Children's leadership of learning (1.2)	 Quality learning, teaching and assessment Raising attainment and achievement Closing attainment gap for disadvantaged children. Data to identify specific interventions 	 Maximising parental involvement in their child's learning. Parents are fully informed about learners progress. Engaging families in learning Early intervention and prevention Quality of family learning programmes

Strategic Plan 2022-23: Annick Primary School and Early Years Class

Here is an overview of how we intend to use our **Pupil Equity Funding** to support improvement:

[Give headlines about what you plan to spend PEF on: who you are supporting / how / to improve what?]

37.5 hours Early Years Practitioner to support the development of play pedagogy in Primary 1 with a view to improving attainment at Early Level.

1 x 27.5 hours classroom assistant

1 x 12.5 hours classroom asssitant to support learners in P4 and 5 to close attainment gap in literacy. Targetted Talk boost and phonics interventions to support learners.

GL assessments to support staff's professional judgement and to indenify children for specific interventions.

[Add further boxes as required]

Supported through				
PEF? Y/N	How will we achieve this?	Timescale / Assigned to:	Pupil Outcomes What will change for our learners?	Measurement How will we measure impact?
Y Ensure all	 What will we do? How will we deliver this? Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups Reading intervention groups – supported by PEF CAs and EEL(PM benchmark tool, Phonological screening tool boost reading) PLA intervention – Phonological Awareness at Early, 1st and 2nd level to support identified pupils with a range of phonological awareness skills. Teacher professional learning – investigate different approaches to reading. Approaches to link reading and writing skills to support children's understanding Whole school book banding By Term 3 a whole school reading 	Timescale could be month or term. Assigned to roles rather than actual names is preferable Planning cycles DHT/CT/ PEF CA/ LST/EEL PEF CA + PLA By Dec 22 Inservice day 2 HT/PT Planning cycle 2 HT/PT	What will be better for the children and young people? Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Improved outcomes in reading and writing skills. Children increasingly confident in applying key skills. Learners will be able to apply key skills taught in reading to their writing to help understanding. CA trained to support learners reading and writing skills. CT will have a better understanding of barriers to children's learning. Learners will develop enjoyment for reading and increase stamina for reading. Increased involvement in planning	Measures of success? How will we know? What specific evidence will we gather to show the impact of every improvement activity? Remember to triangulate: use data, observation and stakeholder views Use of NGRT assessments pre and post intervention. Staff self-evaluations and reflections on professional readings. Pre and post intervention data will demonstrate impact. Pre and post practitioner evaluation will demonstrate: Increased practitioner confidence in sharing practice and moderation Improved practitioner confidence in planning High Quality Assessments
	your proposed PEF spend is included within the detailed action plan.	Ensure all your proposed PEF spend is included within the detailed action plan. Yes Reading intervention groups — supported by PEF CAs and EEL(PM benchmark tool, Phonological screening tool boost reading) PLA intervention — Phonological Awareness at Early, 1st and 2nd level to support identified pupils with a range of phonological awareness skills. Teacher professional learning — investigate different approaches to reading. Approaches to link reading and writing skills to support children's understanding What will we do? How will we deliver this? Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups PLA and EEL(PM benchmark tool, Phonological screening tool boost reading) Teacher professional learning — investigate different approaches to reading. Approaches to link reading and writing skills to support children's understanding Whole school book banding	What will we do? How will we deliver this? Ensure all your proposed PEF spend is included within the detailed action plan. Yes Reading intervention groups — supported by PEF CAs and EEL(PM benchmark tool, Phonological screening tool boost reading) PLA intervention — Phonological Awareness at Early, 1st and 2nd level to support identified pupils with a range of phonological awareness skills. Per CA + PLA By Dec 22 What will we do? How will we do? Has is included within or term. Assigned to roles rather than actual names is preferable Planning Cycles DHT/CT/ PEF CA + PLA By Dec 22 Inservice day 2 HT/PT Planning On Whole school book banding Whole school book banding Whole school book banding Whole school book banding Whole school reading	Ensure all your proposed PEF spend is included within the detailed action plan. Yes Ensure all your proposed PEF spend is included within the detailed action plan. Yes Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups • Reading intervention groups — supported by PEF CAs and EEL(PM benchmark tool, Phonological screening tool boost reading) • PLA intervention — Phonological Awareness at Early, 1st and 2nd level to support identified pupils with a range of phonological awareness skills. • Teacher professional learning — investigate different approaches to reading. • Approaches to link reading and writing skills to support children's understanding • Whole school book banding end workshamed better for the children and young people? Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Improved outcomes in reading and writing skills. Children increasingly confident in applying key skills. Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Improved outcomes in reading and writing skills. Children increasingly confident in applying key skills. Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Improved outcomes in reading and writing skills. Children increasingly confident in applying key skills. Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Improved outcomes in reading and writing skills. Children increasingly confident in applying key skills. Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Improved outcomes in reading and writing skills. Children increasingly confident in applying key skills. Earners will be able to apply sey skills taught in reading and writing skills. CT will have a better understanding of ba

professional judgement.	and reading nooks throughout the school By September 2022 two nominated Moderation Leads (MLs) will be identified and given time to plan and lead moderation activities within (the establishment) during collegiate sessions for session 2022-23. By February 2023 MLs will have led bespoke professional learning in relation to moderation, learning, teaching, and assessment including High Quality Assessments By April/May 2023 all practitioners will have engaged in a series of moderation activities across stages and with other practitioners (school/cluster)	April/May 2023 PT Sept 22 HT February 2023 MLs April/May MLs and HT	Improved quality of advice and feedback to learners about the quality of their work and what they can do to make it better. Use of a variety of assessment approaches will allow learners to demonstrate their knowledge, understanding, skills, attributes, and capabilities in different contexts across the curriculum	· Improved practitioner confidence in robust accurate teacher professional judgements

Establishment Strategic Priority: Developing a play pedagogy in Primary 1 and beyond to support all our learners and to limit the Early Level.				all our learners and to limit the attainme	Linked to Service Priority: 2	
Thematic Area	HGIOS 4 HGIOELC	Supported through PEF? Y/N	How will we achieve this?	Timescale / Assigned to:	Pupil Outcomes What will change for our learners?	Measurement How will we measure impact?
Taken from strategic plan on page 4 OUTDOOR LEARNING???? USE OF DATA??? Quality learning and teaching Teacher professional learning Liaise with Early Years colleagues around quality environments, observations of childrens learning.	Pick the key indicator(s) on which you are focusing 2.3, 2.6, 3.2 1.2	Ensure all your proposed PEF spend is included within the detailed action plan.	What will we do? How will we deliver this? Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups • Use of data — milestones/Woodlands benchmarks to inform planning?? • Teacher professional learning — PLA and SWEIC training • PEF EYP to support outdoor learning and play across three classrooms. • Teacher professional learning around supporting quality observations • Progression in play in P2-4	Timescale could be month or term. Assigned to roles rather than actual names is preferable Ongoing DHT/PT June 2023 CT/ EYP PT/EYP DHT DHT	What will be better for the children and young people? Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Learners will be learning at own pace. Increase in differentiation for learners across P1	Measures of success? How will we know? What specific evidence will we gather to show the impact of every improvement activity? Remember to triangulate: use data, observation and stakeholder views Pre and post evaluations from PLA and SWEIC Data gathered over time including SNSA and professional judgement.

Establishment St Priority:	Collaboratively create a progression of engineering skills to improve destinations for all learners from Early Years to P7					Linked to Service Priority:	
Thematic Area	HGIOS 4 HGIOELC	Supported through PEF? Y/N	How will we achieve this?	Timescale / Assigned to:	Pupil Outcomes What will change for our learners?	How w	Measurement ill we measure impact?
Taken from strategic plan on page 4 Staff professional learning Curricular development including DYW links and developing existing learning experiences Exploring gender imbalance in Engineering and wider STEM subjects Develop partnerships with a range of partners in industry	Pick the key indicator(s) on which you are focusing 1.2 2.2, 2.3, 3.3 3.1	Ensure all your proposed PEF spend is included within the detailed action plan.	 What will we do? How will we deliver this? Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups Professional learning – work with STEM team to develop staff understanding and confidence around engineering and design processes. Link with PT for SSERC progression. STEM team will support DYW links with industry with a focus on specific challenges New STEM ambassadors will be trained by FLT and work with existing ambassadors to develop pupil voice. Working with Education Scotland to develop Gender Equity in STEM subjects. Working parties will develop progression of Engineering skills 	Timescale could be month or term. Assigned to roles rather than actual names is preferable Inservice day 1 and 3 STEM team/ PT Term 3 FLT June 2023 CT By June 2023 CT/ PT/ DHT	What will be better for the children and young people? Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Learners will be able to apply learning to STEM subjects. Learners will be involved with design process Learners will develop a progressive range of skills building on knowledge across levels. Girls will be given opportunities to explore STEM as potential careers.	show the impactivity? Remember to observation of Pre and Posmeasure statunderstand	know? c evidence will we gather to cact of every improvement o triangulate: use data, and stakeholder views t questionnaires to aff confidence and ing. data gathered from pupil

Whole school	3.2	and the use of STEM challenges		
progression		to support existing IDL topics.		
from Early		or orbital and an arrange of a selection		
Years to				
Primary 7.				
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Establishment Str Priority:	ment Strategic Work with whole school community to develop pupil voice					Linked to Service Priority: 4 and 5	
Thematic Area	HGIOS 4 HGIOELC	Supported through PEF? Y/N	How will we achieve this?	Timescale / Assigned to:	Pupil Outcomes What will change for our learners?	How w	Measurement ill we measure impact?
Taken from strategic plan on page 4 Development of pupils' self-evaluation approaches. Improved evidence gathering to support assessment of learning. Pupils involvement in decision making in the school Engage with wider school community to support learning	Pick the key indicator(s) on which you are focusing (1.1) 2.3 3.1	Ensure all your proposed PEF spend is included within the detailed action plan. Yes	What will we do? How will we deliver this? Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups A range of committees will be created to support key areas e.g. Eco Committee, Active Agents, Rights Respecting Schools and also groups linked to SIP priorities Class councils will be established across First and Second Level to allow all pupils to have a say in committees, reps will feed back to committee Staff will work with Education Leadership Team to develop a shared staff understanding of what we mean by pupil voice, what evidence we want to gather and how it is meaningful for our learners House Captains will explore use of HGIOURS for children to be	Timescale could be month or term. Assigned to roles rather than actual names is preferable CT with responisibi ty DHT/PT? HT	What will be better for the children and young people? Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Children involved in School Improvement Plan to help develop ownership of school development. Children will be able to talk about their learning and decide what work evidences their learning.	show the impactivity? Remember to observation of Staff evalua Pupil voice i activities. Pupil questi understandi School evalu	know? c evidence will we gather to pact of every improvement of triangulate: use data, and stakeholder views tion in a range of school onnaires to demonstrate

involved in termly self-evaluation of 4 key quality indicators.	

Establishment Str Priority:	Review of school's Respect Me policy linking inclusive approaches and engaging with school community.					Linked to Service Priority: 4 and 5	
Thematic Area	HGIOS 4 HGIOELC	Supported through PEF? Y/N	How will we achieve this?	Timescale / Assigned to:	Pupil Outcomes What will change for our learners?	How w	Measurement ill we measure impact?
Taken from strategic plan on page 4 Working with Use of Respect Me self-evaluation toolkit Explore Inclusion and Diversity by completing the 'Journey' and creating an action plan. Continue to build on Rights Respecting School Silver Award to ensure rights are considered.	Pick the key indicator(s) on which you are focusing (1.1) 3.1 2.7	Ensure all your proposed PEF spend is included within the detailed action plan.	What will we do? How will we deliver this? Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups Respect Me self-evaluation toolkit Inclusive education — Journey stage 1 staff to complete online module and training on inclusion. Action plan will be created. Develop restorative approaches and review reflection sheets. Parental involvement in working party	Timescale could be month or term. Assigned to roles rather than actual names is preferable CT	What will be better for the children and young people? Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Children will develop understanding of inclusion.	show the impactivity? Remember to observation of Staff question	

Establishment Strategic Priority:		To develo health and	Linked to Service Priority: 2 and 4				
Thematic Area	HGIOS 4 HGIOELC	Supported through PEF? Y/N	How will we achieve this?	Timescale / Assigned to:	Pupil Outcomes What will change for our learners?	How w	Measurement ill we measure impact?
Taken from strategic plan on page 4 Supporting our learners mental health and wellbeing and equity of experiences. Developing literacy and numeracy skills. Developing quality outdoor environment Children's leadership of learning	Pick the key indicator(s) on which you are focusing 3.1 3.2 2.3	Ensure all your proposed PEF spend is included within the detailed action plan.	What will we do? How will we deliver this? Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups Early — Embrace a Forest School mindset considering 8 key areas. Developing school garden to allow children to grow a range of produce. Staff professional learning supported by Quality Improvement Team and online resource.	Timescale could be month or term. Assigned to roles rather than actual names is preferable	What will be better for the children and young people? Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Children in the Early Years will explore the 8 key areas of forest schoolsheating and cooking, shelter, independent access, growing and planting, washing and drying clothes, exploring a variety of surfaces and gradients to develop their understanding of the world around them. Pupils will develop both curricular and soft skills (Skills 4.0) required for STEM pathways and careers.	show the impactivity? Remember to observation of the pre and posentation of the pre	

Establishment Strategic Priority:		• Raising attainment using milestone data Linked to Service Pr [insert relevant num 1-5]					
Thematic Area	HGIOS 4 HGIOELC	Supported through PEF? Y/N	How will we achieve this?	Timescale / Assigned to:	Pupil Outcomes What will change for our learners?	Measurement How will we measure impact?	
Taken from strategic plan on page 4 Quality learning, teaching and assessment Raising attainment and achievement Closing attainment gap for disadvantage d children. Data to identify specific interventions	Pick the key indicator(s) on which you are focusing 2.3 3.2	Ensure all your proposed PEF spend is included within the detailed action plan.	What will we do? How will we deliver this? Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups Phonological awareness screener and I Can Toolkit to support learners. Gather milestone data on a monthly basis to target gaps' via specific literacy or numeracy interventions for EEL. Explore approaches in other establishments for examples of good practice in the gathering of data to support numeracy outcomes. Identifying milestones showing strengths/ weaknesses through milestone data gathered via Learning Journal. Staff use this to inform planning.	Timescale could be month or term. Assigned to roles rather than actual names is preferable	What will be better for the children and young people? Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Increase in children's understanding. Children will develop literacy and numeracy skills.	Measures of success? How will we know? What specific evidence will we gather to show the impact of every improvement activity? Remember to triangulate: use data, observation and stakeholder views Year on year milestone data. Monthly milestone evaluations EEL planning and Chatterbox champion planning	

Establishment Strategic Priority:		To develo		Linked to Service Priority: 5			
Thematic Area	HGIOS 4 HGIOELC	Supported through PEF? Y/N	How will we achieve this?	Timescale / Assigned to:	Pupil Outcomes What will change for our learners?		Measurement I we measure impact?
Taken from strategic plan on page 4 Maximising parental involvement in their child's learning. Parents are fully informed about learners progress. Engaging families in learning Early intervention and prevention	Pick the key indicator(s) on which you are focusing 2.5 2.7	Ensure all your proposed PEF spend is included within the detailed action plan.	What will we do? How will we deliver this? Ensure you include high level details of PEF spend as appropriate, including targeted groups • Early years evaluation of 2.5 family learning and 2.7 partnerships to inform next steps • EEL home learning tasks to support bundles in room • PEEPS • Stay and Play • Chatterbox groups • Staff training parents in specific approaches? • Parental understanding of PLPs — staff develop key questions to help meaningful dialogue.	Timescale could be month or term. Assigned to roles rather than actual names is preferable Whole staff Inservice day 1	What will be better for the children and young people? Focus on learning, achievement and wellbeing Learners will benefit from increased parental understanding of Early Level Learners will benefit from early interventions and increased working together with parents and partners.	show the imporactivity? Remember to observation and Parental que Staff evaluat Increase engiournals	now? evidence will we gather to act of every improvement triangulate: use data, and stakeholder views stionnaires ions agement in learning PEEP groups – pre and

Quality of family learning programmes			