

Session 2021/2022 Achievements

As part of our recovery phase, in coming out of the 'Covid pandemic, we continued to be aspirational and achieve success. Our achievements and strengths from 2020/2021 include:

- * our P7 pupils becoming Park Rangers for the day at Eglinton Park.
- * our P7 pupils visited Castle Semple and participated in a variety of outdoor learning opportunities
- * Our P.4/5 pupils made bird feeders and displayed them in the grounds of Kilwinning Library
- * the introduction of our 'Heart of the Community' award, this was awarded at our end of year assembly
- * our whole school approach to supporting Ayrshire Hospice. Our pupils took part in art competitions and crazy hair day to raise awareness
- * We held a Bring Our Adults To School Day (BOATS) with 95% of participants admitted to trying something new on the day
- * Our listening and talking attainment data shows a 38% increase in attainment for P1 pupils from the year before
- * Our writing data in Primary 1 has increased 71% from the year before
- * Almost all of our pupils took part in Sports Day and World Book Day activities

Attainment

We monitor and track pupil progress throughout the year. We gather attainment data from a variety of sources, such as: pupil classwork, pupil voice, classroom assessments and challenges. Our teaching staff get together to carefully analyse the Curriculum for Excellence experiences and outcomes and national benchmarks to ensure pupils are making progress.

North Ayrshire request levels of achievement for pupils throughout the academic year for: reading, writing, listening and talking and numeracy. They ask that we focus specifically on pupils who have achieved early, first and second levels in P.1, P.4 and P.7.

Our attainment data shows:

- * The majority of our pupils in P1 achieved early level in listening and talking and numeracy
- * The majority of our P4 pupils achieved first level in reading, writing and listening and talking
- * Most of our pupils in P4 achieved first level in numeracy
- * The majority of our P7 pupils achieved second level in reading, listening and talking and numeracy



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This leaflet provides an overview of our progress and achievement throughout the course of session 2021-2022. We have also included our priorities for session 2022-2023.

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Our School



St. Winning's Primary School lies at the heart of Kilwinning, serving the communities of Blacklands, Corsehill, Dirrans and part of Pennyburn.

Our school roll is 106 with pupils divided into 5 classes. We pride ourselves in being a welcoming, safe, nurturing and inclusive environment that promotes a rights based decision making process. We work in partnership with our parents/carers and the wider community to enable all to be aspirational and realise their full potential.

We work in partnership with our school priest Father Gerry Magee and members of St. Winnin's Parish community who support our children's spiritual and charitable development e.g. SVDP, SCIAF and Mary's Meals

Our school is well supported by our Educational Psychologist: Dr Kim Whitehead, our school nurse, Childsmile, Speech and Language Therapists, English as Additional Language Teacher and our Home-Links Worker, Allison Wall. Our Active Schools Co-Ordinator, Archie McNicol regularly supports our school by delivering a variety of physical activities to our pupils, strengthening our links with Pennyburn Sports Club and arranging for S6 Sports Leaders from St. Matthew's to deliver inputs to our pupils.

We have formed partnerships with Ayrshire College, Kilwinning Campus, and look forward to our continued focus on developing the young workforce skills in our pupils.

Our School Improvement Plan

Our School Improvement Plan outlines our priorities as a school community for the upcoming academic session.

When writing this document we take into consideration:

- * National priorities and directives as set by the Scottish Government
- * Local priorities and directives, as set by North Ayrshire Council
- * The development needs of our own school

Our School Priorities for 2022/2023

1. To raise attainment in literacy and English through improved approaches to learning, teaching and assessment.
2. To refresh the design of our curriculum with progressive pathways and achievement of a level
3. In collaboration with key stakeholders, we will embed whole school approaches to mental health and well-being within the establishment



Our School Improvement Plan is reviewed throughout the academic session. We self-evaluate our plan and use a variety of evidence to measure the impact of our priorities and inform our next steps.

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Our key priorities for last session were:

1. Listening and talking
2. Outdoor learning
3. Writing

Our eight week phonological awareness programme positively impacted on all of our Primary One pupils.

Our whole-school approach to listening and talking ensured all teaching staff were trained in Talk Boost 1 & 2 and Word Aware approaches.

Our Primary One teacher, Mrs Munn, worked with the Professional Learning Academy as an Oracy Lead. Mrs Munn was able to share good practice with colleagues from across the authority.

We implemented and evaluated our St. Winning's Outdoor Learning Framework and held a Bring Our Adults To School Day (BOATS) to showcase the pupils' learning.

97% of participants enjoyed the activities on offer and 100% of participants enjoyed learning with their child/children and felt welcomed and included.

Our continued focus on writing last year ensured consistency in teaching approaches across the whole school. Our pupils regularly select success criteria during lessons to help them assess, reflect and identify next steps in their learning.