

Framework for School Improvement Planning 2025/26

Section 1: School Information and 3 Year Improvement Plan Priorities			
School/Establishment	Twechar Primary School		
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School Statement: Vision, Values & Aims and Curriculum Rationale

Aims:-

*To help each child to do their best in their play and learning.

*To help each child to become confident and responsible in Twechar PS and the community.

*To have a community where everyone belongs and is welcome and included.

*To give everyone in our Twechar community a say in our school and Early Years Centre by listening to them.

*To give everyone a chance to share their success in learning.

Vision:- To enable everyone to grow and learn at Twechar PS and Early Years Centre.

Values:- Belonging, Respect, Fun



	Looking Forwards – 3 Year Improvement Plan Priorities Bullet point key priorities for the next 3 years			
Session	2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	
Priority 1	Improving Our Schools – Raising attainment and achievement through high quality learning, teaching and assessment.	Implement play and PEBL pedagogical approaches within the school to provide a skill based curriculum using embedded planning framework to raise attainment.	Embed Play and PEBL pedagogical approaches within the school to provide a skill based curriculum using embedded planning framework to raise attainment.	
Priority 2	Embed wellbeing, equality and inclusion, support for all and UNCRC. Embed Circle skills to all aspects of school life.	Raise attainment in numeracy and mathematics – focus – mental maths strategies and moderation of numeracy and mathematics at Twechar PS.	Raise attainment in numeracy and mathematics – Making Maths Memorable	
Priority 3		Develop effective leadership at all levels to ensure our school community works together to turn our shared vision into sustainable reality.	Embed effective leadership at all levels to ensure our school community works together to turn our shared vision into sustainable reality.	



Section 2: Improvement Priority 1				
School/Establishment	Twechar PS			
Improvement Priority 1	Improving Our Schools – Raising attainment and achievement through high quality learning, teaching and assessment.			
Person(s) Responsible	Who will be leading the improvement? Who will they collaborate with?			
	DHT & PT with whole staff team			

NIF Priority	NIF Driver	HGIOS 4 QIs	EDC Service Plan 2023-26
Improvement in attainment, particularly in literacy and numeracy. Closing the attainment gap between the most and least disadvantaged children Improvement in children and young people's health and wellbeing	teacher professionalism school improvement curriculum and assessment	QI 2.3 Learning, Teaching &	Improvement in attainment in literacy and English Improvement in attainment in numeracy and Maths Closing the attainment gap between the most and least disadvantaged

Opportunities for Leadership	Resource Requirements	Parental Engagement and Involvement
Whole school involvement in IOS (Improving	Time from Working Time Agreement	Reporting to parents
Our Schools)	Class cover budget to enable class	Come Learn with Me events
Teacher Leadership through responsibility for	observations and professional dialogue	Information sharing through Parent Council
analysis of data and planned improvements.	Research Literature as identified by West	and Newsletters
SLT leading webinars	Partnership and through Self Evaluation and	
	CLPL	



Professional Learning	Interventions for Equity	Pupil Equity Funding (PEF) Allocation
Data Analysis	Early intervention and prevention	Maths & Numeracy Resources £3000
Professional Reading	Promoting a high quality learning experience	
Attendance at Relevant CLPL	Use of Evidence and Data	
Webinars from West Partnership		

Outcomes/Expected Impact	Tasks/Interventions	Measures	Timescale(s)	Progress
Outcomes for learners;	Activities in Working Time	What ongoing information will	What are the key	
targets; % change	Agreement, Professional	demonstrate progress? Identify	dates for	
	Learning	qualitative, quantitative,	implementation?	
	Learning and Teaching	evaluative pre and post	When will	
	interventions	measures	outcomes be	
			measured?	
	Following the West	-Ongoing reflection and	Term 1	
Through increasing teachers'	Partnership Whole School	discussion.	Inset Day 2	
understanding in analysing	Improving our School (IOS)	-Quality Assurance Calendar	Inset Day 3	
robust class data clear gaps	Model.	-ACEL Data	Staff Meetings and	
and priorities will be	Term 1	-NSA Data	Curriculum	
identified. Learners'	Inset Day 2 – IOS Session1	-Maths Standardised Pre & Post	Development time	
attainment will increase as a	-Analysis of whole school	Assessment Data	as per Working	
result of planned	ACEL Data and Context of	-Tracking Meetings and Data	Time Agreement	
interventions to meet need.	School.	Discussed	Calendar.	
A viac in attainment in	-Identify patterns of attainment,	-Pupil Voice – Learner		
A rise in attainment in	trends and barriers to learning.	Conversations		
numeracy. Overall this would	-Self-evaluation and reflection	-Targets set and monitored		
be at least 5% across the school.	on development needs with	Confidence Audits completed		
SCHOOL.	numeracy and maths.			



To increase attainment through improving staff capacity in pedagogical approaches in mathematics	September – IOS Session 2 Presentation of Fact, Story, Action approach and time to analyse class data. Inset Day 3 – IOS Session 3 Sharing of Quality Assurance and Self-Evaluation for numeracy Other activities -5 hours individual CLPL including professional reading -Teacher self-evaluation -Journal Tasks -Interrogation of data -Staff with SLT complete Fact, Story Action for each class -Learner conversations CLPL for all staff in delivering maths and numeracy focussing on the four operations and learning and	CLPL provided by EDC Numeracy co-ordinator through the year.	Staff meetings as per WTA	
and numeracy	teaching strategies to improve understanding and develop skills			
By embedding highly effective practice children's attainment in numeracy and mathematics will increase by at least 5% across the school.	Term 2 Classroom observations by SLT November - IOS Session 4 -Overview and Analysis of class observations identifying	Ongoing reflection and discussion Quality Assurance Calendar Pre and post assessments Tracking meetings and data collection Classroom Observations	Staff meetings as per WTA	



	areas of highly effective practice. IOS Session 5 Teacher Self-Evaluation and completion of Audit Tool IOS Session 6 Presentation by SLT of Audit findings IOS Session 7 Staff to identify professional reading, CLPL materials	Pupil voice- Learner Conversations Confidence Audits	
Through robust analysis of class data in numeracy and building teacher capacity through CLPL and professional reading attainment in numeracy and mathematics will increase by at least 5% across the whole school.	Term 3 Staff meetings focus on Highly Effective Practice area dependent on audit. CLPL Numeracy Tracking and monitoring Data gathering Inset Day 4 - IOS Session 8 Trio Visits overview and decisions Trio Visits Professional reading.	Ongoing reflection and discussion Quality Assurance Calendar Pre and post assessments Tracking meetings and data analysis Classroom Observation (trio visits) Pupil Voice – Learner Conversations Targets set and monitored	Staff meetings as per WTA In-Set Day 4
	Term 4 Highly Effective Practice area dependent on audit April - IOS Session 9 Trio visit feedback – key messages Tracking and monitoring	Ongoing reflection and discussion Quality assurance calendar ACEL data NSA data Progress in maths data Pre and post assessments	Staff meetings as per WTA In-Set Day 5



	ACEL data collection P1, P4 and P7 Triangulation of evidence Inset day 5 - IOS Session 10 - reflection and review of SIP. Self-evaluation of Qis – use Start, Stop, Continue - Agreement of SIP and WTA for next year.	Phased assessments Tracking meetings and data Classroom observation Pupil voice -Learner Conversations Targets sets and monitored	
To continue to raise attainment in reading within P1 and P2	Continuation of the Reading Recovery programme led by literacy champ. Training on going throughout the year and timetable for sessions daily throughout the year.	Ongoing reflection and discussion Quality assurance calendar ACEL data NSA data Progress in reading data Pre and post assessments	Aug 25 – June 26
Achievement of Silver Reading School Award	Action Plan created by Literacy Champ to achieve Silver Award. Whole school involvement and parental engagement to achieve Silver Award status.	Ongoing reflection and Discussion re progress of Action Plan	Aug 25 – June 26
Improve attainment in literacy for all learners especially those with barriers to learning.	Awareness raising and implementation of EDC Literacy Framework. All staff to access Literacy Hub to support learners' attainment in literacy.	All staff attending Literacy Launch – Sept 25. Evaluation and agreeing next steps at calendared ASN Tracking Meetings. Professional Reading	Aug 25 - June 26



Section 2: Improvement Priority 2			
School/Establishment	Twechar PS		
Improvement Priority 2	Embed wellbeing, equality and inclusion, support for all and UNCRC. Embed Circle skills to all aspects of school life.		
Person(s) Responsible	Who will be leading the improvement? Who will they collaborate with? DHT, UNCRC Lead, Nurture Teacher		

NIF Priority	NIF Driver	HGIOS 4 QIs	EDC Service Plan 2023-26
Improvement in children and young people's health and wellbeing Placing the human rights and needs of every child and young person at the centre Closing the attainment gap between the most and least disadvantaged children	school improvement school leadership performance information	QI 3.1 Wellbeing, equality & inclusion QI 3.2 Raising attainment and achievement QI 2.6 Transitions	Placing the human needs and rights of every child and young person at the centre of education Improvement in children and young people's mental health and wellbeing Closing the attainment gap between the most and least disadvantaged

Opportunities for Leadership	Resource Requirements	Parental Engagement and Involvement
Identified teacher leadership for UNCRC	Time – see collegiate calendar for SIP	Parent and Carer Council ongoing
Lead	and Working Time Agreement/Staff	involvement in feeding back parent views
UNCRC Committee to work towards and	meetings and In-service Days/Personal	at meetings.
achieve Silver Level Award	professional development time.	Parental Engagement-Use of
		Participation Scale and Parental



Teacher Leadership related to meeting individual pupil needs as part of classroom practice. Pupil Empowerment, Inclusion of pupil voice in relation to individual target setting and identification of appropriate support strategies. CIRCLE Advisor to share learning with all practitioners	Cover costs for staff undertaking any leadership responsibility that requires release from class. CIRCLE Framework tools: CIRCLE resource to support Inclusive Learning and Collaborative Working (Primary) Resources Education Scotland Education Scotland Training videos EDC Dyslexia Guidelines	Postcards through Case Study approach to support individual learners
Professional Learning	Interventions for Equity	Pupil Equity Funding (PEF) Allocation
Whole staff/ Teaching staff CLPL (Inservice Days/ collegiate hrs). Professional reading/ viewing online materials Quality assurance processes, Peer/ SMT/professional discussions	Implementation of Supporting Every Learner at Twechar Policy – differentiation, targeted and universal support, partnership working The Circle Framework as a strategy to support individual pupils looking at Targeted supports within all schools.	



Outcomes/Expected Impact	Tasks/Interventions	Measures	Timescale(s)	Progress
Outcomes for learners; targets; % change	Activities in Working Time Agreement, Professional Learning Learning and Teaching interventions	What ongoing information will demonstrate progress? Identify qualitative, quantitative, evaluative pre and post measures	What are the key dates for implementation? When will outcomes be measured?	
For all children to be aware of the UNCRC and model its messages in their school life.	UNCRC lead to attend training. UNCRC Committee to create Action Plan for school and EYC for session to achieve Silver Level Award UNCRC to be included within whole school assemblies	Regular committee meetings Creation and completion of Action Plan Achievement of Silver Award Assembly calendar	Aug 25 – June 26	
All children receive the Additional Support Need resources to support them to access the curriculum and make progress on their previous levels of attainment.	Staff to agree Targeted and Universal Support approach for all Learners. Revise targeted and universal support paperwork and agree interventions. Monthly ASN Meetings to be calendared to focus on Targeted and universal support	New Targeted and Universal Support paperwork to be created and implemented. Opportunities for professional dialogue lead to positive interventions for all children. Implementation of EDC Dyslexia Guidelines	Aug 25 – June 26	



All children and young people's needs and behaviours will be better understood and supported through increased staff understanding of inclusion and additional support needs.	All staff to be trained in the use of new EDC Dyslexia Guidelines and implement the policy to support identified learners access to the curriculum. Expanding on CIRCLE Framework at Aug Inservice, specifically Participation Scale and associated supports for all staff. Circle advisor PLC sessions throughout the year fed back to school staff Parent and Pupil consultation shows that targeted groups of learners have an increased involvement in identification of strategies and supports that they can access within their learning environment	Staff feedback from the initial introduction session highlights areas for development within CIRCLE Action plan. Staff pre and post training assessment of knowledge and skills Pupil Voice tools/ pupil forum Professional dialogue	August In service Day Aug 25 & June 26 By June 26
Improved Classroom Environments for Children: Teachers make use of CICS (Circle Inclusive Classroom Scale) to	Staff use CICS individually and with a supportive peer to critically analyse classrooms. Professional discussion and staff training on	Reflections with colleagues and changes made to classrooms as a result of self- evaluation using CICS- and Action Plan	By June 26



evaluate and adapt classroom environment and Pupil Participation	Environment and Pupil Participation	Moderation and evaluation evidence shows increase in universal level supports available to all learners		
Improved implementation of Personalised support Teachers will support improved participation of individual learners through analysis of Participation Scale (CPS) and associated skills and strategies Class teachers will be able to work alongside staff with specific support for learning remits to complete a more detailed assessment of needs when required.	Staff use CPS to identify individual learners' strengths and areas for development Staff will identify and implement further strategies to enhance pupil skills in collaboration with Parent/carer and individual children and young people Staff use CPS alongside formative and summative assessment to identify individual learners' strengths and areas for development	Completion of pre and post participation scale through a case study approach	By June 26	
Views of parents/carers and learners will be used to inform the assessment process and to develop a shared understanding of successful support strategies	Use of parent postcard approach with case study pupils	Parent and pupil consultation and feedback Parent Postcards Parent Council consultation	Aug 25 – June 26	



All learners will experience	All staff implement	Reflections with colleagues	Term 3	
improved approaches for	appropriate interventions	and changes made to	By June 26	
Supporting Children and	with consideration of CICS	classroom practice as a result		
Young People using the	& Skills, Supports and	of self-evaluation using CICS		
Circle Framework	Strategies outlined in Circle	action plan and CPS		
	Framework			