

Strategic School Improvement Plan

2019-2020

Strategic Objectives 2019-2020

Strategic Vision and Implementation

2019-2020

'A Love for Learning'



Vision

'A Love for Learning' As children move to secondary education, we want them to leave with 'A Love for Learning' and a motivating desire to develop as a learner, finding out more about the World they live in and the boundless opportunities that are all around them.

Mastery in every year

Embed a Mastery approach to Teaching & Learning in Reading, Writing and Maths across all year groups.

Ensure that all children make good or better progress from their starting points.

Utilise assessment information to support all learners to attain well and make good progress year on year.

2.

Personal Development

Develop 'No Outsiders' across all year groups so that it becomes embedded within the culture and ethos of the school.

Review E-Safety to ensure that infomration for pupils, parents and staff is up to date and relevant to safeguard all - especially social media.

Maintain and expand upon Concsious Discipline approach, including Paul Dix (Pivotal Education) strategies and approaches.

3

Gallimaufry to Coherence

To bring together all of the strands of the Kelsall Connected Curriculum into a coherent document.

Develop the curricluum model so that it retains its broad and balanced approach, whilst highlighting areas to develop and embed.

Ensure learning across foundation subjects is progressive and systematic with clear feedback for improvements.

4.

Connected
Learning
Community

Develop the links between EYFS department and school - connecting learning from 2-11

Ensure that leaders
have a clear
undersatnding of the
EYFS Inspection
Framework to support
and challenge practice.

Encourage professional development of all staff through a structured PD approach and peer to peer learning/mentoring

5.

Healthy Minds, Healthy Bodies, Healthy Schools

Establish and impliment a strategy for supporting phyical and mental well being for pupils and staff.

Develop relationships between academies in order to reduce workload ands share resources.

Further develop outdoor spaces to reflect the wider curriculum; including provision for break and lunch times. 6.

Leadership and Governance

Set a clear vision and straegy for the school which is simple and clear.

Hold leaders accountable for the quality of education.

Maintain and develop effective policies and procedures to safeguard pupils.

No Outsiders - 'No one is the same, but everyone is equal'

Key Performance Indicators

Strategic Vision and Implementation 2019-2020

'A Love for Learning'

1.Mastery every yea
A. Progress measure be above 0 for read writing and mathen
B. Mastery approach evident in all year gi

2. Personal Development

3. Gallimaufry to Coherence

4.Connected Learning Community

5.Healthy Minds, Healthy Bodies, Healthy Schools

6. Leadership and Governance

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A. No Outsiders will be prominent across school and be embedded in ethos.

A. There is a curriculum document in place that provides a sequential outline of key knowledge, skills and understanding for each year group and subject.

A. EYFS is an integral part of school with links developed to support all learners (pupils and staff)

A. The vast majority of pupils and staff are happy and healthy accessing support and advice when required. School is a vibrant and happy place to work and learn.

A. Communicate the vision and strategy to all stakeholders

will be roups.

B. Children will be able to discuss their feelings and show empathy for others

C. E-Safety is discussed and

highlighted effectively in

school and home.

B. The curricluum with remain broad and balanced and children will access all subjects, supporting their future aspirations and engagement.

B. SLT have a clear understanding of the pedagogy within the EYFS and can utilise and use tapestry data to support and challenge effectively.

B. Teachers have the opportunity to develop proferssional relationships with staff in other trust schools to support workload and wellbeing.

B. Build experience and leadership at all levels through quality coaching and feedback.

C. Attainment will be above national comparators

D. Assessment data will be a

key tool in supporting

teaching and learning.

D. Conscious Discipline and Pivotal Education strategies support and develop a calm and coherent atmosphere for learning.

C. Subject leads and class teachers will be able to readily discuss the currcilum, its key elements and how progression is weaved through effectively.

C. GLD is above national and there are greater links between FS1 and FS2, supporting transition and assessment arrangements.

C. Zones in the playground established and enable pupils to be active and play together well.

C. Create a culture of vigilance that supports effective child protection arrangements.

Strategic School Improvement Plan

2019 to 2020

Abridged Version



Lead person- Principal: David Wearing and Vice Principal: Chloe Creek

Publishing of document, monitoring outcomes and holding staff accountable

Objective A

Objective A: To ensure different prior attainment pupils in reading, in particular high attaining pupils make good or better progress. Lead - Chris Ward

Key Tasks:

Monitor and analyse STAR Reading Test results to better support teachers, directing support to individual learners and groups of pupils, ensuring early intervention where required.

Lead - Lois Cadwallader

- Review whole class shared reading practice and its impact upon attainment and progress in reading.
- Audit school reading books and digital texts - consider the use of accelerated reader/bug club weighing up pros and cons of
- Support teachers in pedagogy of reading, following attendance at PD Conferences and from research based think pieces.
- Fully utilise assessment data from FFT Aspire to track and support pupils prior attainment, setting targets against projected benchmarks.
- Position Reading in school as a key driver for success in other subject more explicitly - 'A Love for Reading at Kelsall' - reflected in displays across school and classrooms.

Success Criteria

- Progress measure in reading is positive.
- Interventions are timely and enable pupils to keep on track towards their individual targets based on prior attainment.
- The vast majority of pupils in all year groups achieve mastery in reading enabling them to access all other areas of the curriculum
- Attainment in reading is above national at the expected standard in all key areas of the school (GLD, phonics, KS1 and KS2).
- Teachers are more confident in their teaching and assessment of reading, including the utilisation of all available data – AR, Insight, STAR,
- Reading is celebrated across school and is prominent in all areas – 'A Love for Reading' is developed and embedded in line with the Kelsall ethos and approaches.

Objective B

Objective B: To improve writing standards for all pupils, focusing upon the development of sequencing of teaching and learning.

Key Tasks:

- Validate and confirm writing teacher assessment judgements of children's attainment using in house, external and MAT moderation using comparative judgement model.
- Review and audit approaches to writing across school, ensuring that sequencing and exploration of texts allow children to develop and hone writing skills, mastering writing in a range of genres
- Investigate writing schemes (Literacy Counts, Literacy Company) with a view to adopting a part scheme that supports teachers in sequencing and developing writing processes.
- Ensure marking and feedback are meticulous in identifying areas for improvement for all pupils and follows the school feedback policy, giving children time to act upon feedback and action improvements required.
- Develop GPS so that it is integral to and supports writing across all subject
- Support teachers in the development of writing across school, through PD meeting and peer to peer support (lesson study).
- Ensure that children have the opportunity to write extended pieces of writing more frequently, including across other subject areas.
- Teacher's and children's handwriting across the school reflects the highest

Success Criteria

- There is a cohesive structure to units of writing that allow children to write extended pieces of work and to learn the key rudiments of effective writing across a range of genres.
- Moderation allows teachers to more accurately reflect on their assessment iudaements.
- There is evidence in books of extended, quality pieces of writing across a range of genres.
- Teachers are able to more fully articulate the structure of writing in units of work and how they are using assessments (including moderation exemplars) to support and challenge groups and individuals.
- The vast majority of pupils make good or better progress from individual start points and achieve mastery in Writing.

Objective C

Objective C: To embed mastery for all in Mathematics across all year groups leading to positive progress and improved ARE attainment Lead – Iola Ward

Key Tasks

- Monitor and analyse STAR Maths Tests to support teachers, directing support to individual learners and groups of pupils, ensuring early intervention where required.
- Fully utilise assessment data from FFT Aspire to track and support pupils prior attainment, setting targets against projected benchmarks
- Continue to use Power Maths and white rose schemes of work.
- Regular use of Times Table Rockstars and teaching of times tables across all year groups.
- Teachers to use resources to support all learners especially GD to allow them reason and explain fully.
- Implementation and monitoring of Mathletics as new homework scheme.

Success Criteria

- Progress measure in mathematics is positive.
- The vast majority of pupils in all year groups achieve mastery in mathematics.
- Interventions are timely and enable pupils to keep on track towards their individual targets based on prior
- Higher proportion of children to achieve GD in maths across year
- Attainment in reading is above national at the expected standard in all key areas of the school (GLD, phonics, KS1 and KS2).
- Teachers are more confident in their teaching and assessment of maths, including the utilisation of all available data - Insight, STAR, FFT.
- All teacher's expectations are accurate for their year group, consistently high and reflect age related objectives within their teaching.
- Timetables Rock Star and Mathletics statistics demonstrates children are regularly practising maths at home.
- Children have a positive attitude towards their maths learning.

Objective D

Objective D: To review the Kelsall Curriculum developing a cohesive map of knowledge, skills and understanding progression across all subject areas.

Lead - Principal David Wearing/Chloe Creek Key Tasks

- An audit of all subjects towards a creation of a progression document for Kelsall Primary & Nursery outlying the core knowledge, skills and understanding in each area.
- Progression within year groups and across subjects to be drawn up giving a concise picture of the curriculum that has developed extremely well over the past few years.
- Revisit Curriculum Statement document to ensure that it encapsulates and identifies the uniqueness of the curriculum with cultural capital and personal development at its heart.

Success Criteria

- Kelsall Curriculum document created for each year group and foundation subject with clear progression of core knowledge, skills and understanding.
- Pupils have access to a broad and balanced curriculum and make progress in all areas, linking and making connections between disciplines.
- Children's work in books and displayed celebrates the whole curriculum and is evident through learning walks.
- Pupil voice indicates 'a love for learning' and demonstrates the richness of the planned and 'hidden' curriculum

Objective E

Objective E: To embed new assessment systems (Insight/STAR/FFT) enabling teachers to utilise outputs to support, challenge and target teaching and learning

Lead - Chloe Creek

Key Tasks:

- Establish STAR tests across school in Reading and Maths including systems to ensure children can complete in an appropriate and calm environment.
- Use FFT estimates across school to support leaders and teachers in monitoring progress towards predicted outcomes based on prior attainment (in particular in Reading)
- SLT to become accustomed to Tapestry to support EYFS Team and to track and monitor attainment and progress in EYFS.
- Use Insight Tracking for monitoring attainment and progress across school and to inform clear actions.
- Develop peer to peer discussions on the use of STAR and Insight for assessment and intervention purposes.

Success Criteria

- Staff are able to administer STAR tests and use data, where relevant to support teaching and learning.
- FFT estimates are used effectively to track children and interventions are put in place in a timely manner to ensure all children stay on track.
- All staff familiar and competent with using STAR, Insight and in for some FFT.
- SLT have a good knowledge and understanding of Tapestry and how it can be used to assess and subsequently support practice in the EYFS classes.
- The range of assessments are being used without creating additional workload for

Objective F

Objective F: Review and rewrite behaviour policy to encompass Pivotal **Education principles and ensure** consistency of approach across school including Nursery provision and wraparound club care.

Lead – Sarah White/David Wearing

Key Tasks:

- Audit CD across school to identify best practice and to support new staff, especially in Nursery and Kelsall Club.
- Rewrite behaviour policy reflecting practice - including new elements from Paul Dix (Pivotal Education).
- Provide staff training at least every month at staff meetings.
- Continue to develop strategies and approaches to support behaviour across school, supporting staff and pupils where
- Provide workshops for parents and carers on Conscious Discipline approach.
- Develop class prompts to support teachers and support staff in the implementation of and embedding of the CD approaches.

Success Criteria Pupil voice confirms the positive impact of

- new behaviour policy All staff are trained in CD and it is effective
- in managing and supporting behaviour. CD is applied consistently across the school
- by pupils and staff alike. Children are supported to use safe spaces in their classes and to use assertive voices to
- solve issues with friends. Parents have a deeper understanding of CD and can use at home if required to support
- school. A revised behaviour policy and associated policies are in place and accurately reflect
- practice.

Objective G

Objective G: To develop a successful and vibrant EYFS Provision that connects meaningfully to the rest of the school. Lead Person- Hayley Nixon/Hannah Bridges

- To develop links between EYFS provision and the rest of school to include buddies between classes and peer to peer relationships.
- Continue to refine and develop the leaning environments, indoors and outdoors to support all children.
- SLT to develop knowledge, skills and understanding of monitoring and assessing a Nursery department.
- Redesign and develop the entrance area to Kelsall Nursery and Club.
- Develop key staff through PD and support.

- EYFS Provision is a natural and key element of the Kelsall School community - through parental and staff feedback.
- Learning environments reflect all areas of the foundation stage curriculum and are regular updated and assessed for their purpose and safety.
- SLT are conversant in the language of EYFS and can clearly articulate key strengths and areas of development for the provision. The entrance area is welcoming and provides parents with a waiting area
- and space to leave buggies and bikes. Staff are supported and trained to the highest levels.

Objective H

Objective H: To review and develop further systems and strategies to support the physical and mental health/well-being of the school community.

Lead Person - David Wearing

Key Tasks

- Development of outdoor areas to support Teaching & learning and the wider school curriculum and to provide a plethora of areas for children to play alongside one another.
- Review well-being for staff. Create a well-being working group to discuss workload issues and solutions.
- Apply for Outstandingly Happy School Status www.artofbrilliance.co.uk **Success Criteria**
- School achieves the Outstandingly Happy School status and has action points to further develop. Outdoor areas are clean and tidy and offer a wealth of areas to be used
- both across the curriculum and for children at break times. Staff report high levels of well-being and enjoy coming to work.
- Children are able to articulate their feelings and have strategies to keep
- them happy and safe both inside and outside of school.

Strategic School Improvement Planning at Kelsall Primary & Nursery School

At the end of the autumn term, each academic year, the staff and Governors are led by the Principal through a process of **self-evaluation** at a **Professional Development Meeting.** The agreed and shared **principles** for writing the Strategic School Development Plan at our school are:



Leadership is distributed at all levels throughout the process to create ownership, opportunities for developing leadership potential and capacity for continuous improvement



It addresses all potential opportunities and barriers to achievement in the pupils' environment, both inside and beyond the classroom



Clear outcomes and success criteria are identified and planned for



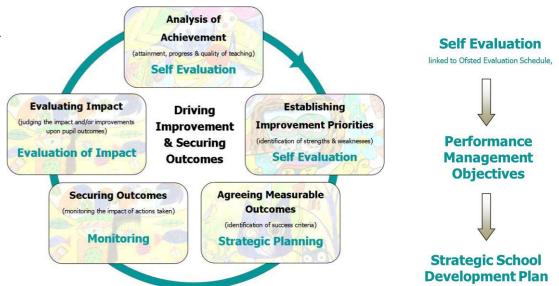
There is a direct link to accountability for both teachers & leaders



Improvement in achievement and wider measures of success, including personal development and well-being are evidenced



There is a continuous cycle of self-evaluation and improvement, clearly linked to the Ofsted Evaluation Schedule



Contextual Information

School characteristics

Kelsall Primary School is a smaller than average sized rural school where pupils are taught in single year group classes. Children are predominately White British. The proportion of pupils known to be eligible for free school meals is significantly less than the national average as is the percentage of pupils in receipt of the pupil premium. Children rarely leave or move to other schools. The proportion of pupils with DSEN is low.

Kelsall Primary is the lead school for CLTA (Cheshire Leadership & Teaching Alliance) Teaching School and was the first to be designated in the Cheshire West and Chester area. This brings a great deal of benefit to the learners at Kelsall and beyond through the initiatives and work that the Teaching School is engaged in.

The school is also a founding member of Cheshire Academies Trust (CAT), a multi-academy trust alongside Mill View Primary and Boughton Heath Primary Academy Schools.

The school has proactively sought out funding to ensure that the environment for teaching and learning is of a high standard, including outstanding IT resources and infrastructure alongside extensive outdoor facilities with a shared EYFS/Y1 area, adventure playground, external art studio and an area for a Forest School. The school is also a centre of excellence for the Arts, endorsed by the Artsmark organisation. An internal Arts Studio is used by all age groups as well as being used as a training centre for the Teaching School.

There is a healthy turnover of staff with colleagues moving onto senior roles within other schools. The school is successful in recruiting the highest calibre of teachers as applications for any teaching posts is extremely high. School Direct also offers the school a pool of teachers trained by the Teaching School. This model of recruitment is proving successful.

Within school, a large majority of staff are engaged in or have completed training in NPQSL and NPQML (National Professional Qualification for Senior/Middle Leaders) through CLTA which in turn has an impact on the high level of professionalism, skills and knowledge to lead on school improvement strategies.

The development of a broad and balanced curriculum has been a key piece of work over the past five years. The curriculum in place ensures that all subjects are valued and studied in depth. Our curriculum statement can we viewed here; http://www.kelsall.cheshire.sch.uk/serve file/32898

Last Inspection Report (section 5) Date (Jan2012) Overall school effectiveness (grade 1)

Areas for further improvement	Evidence of improvement since LIR
Reinforce teacher assessment systems in Key Stage 1 to ensure that they accurately reflect pupils' attainment at all levels.	 Assessment systems have been honed and developed to support teacher assessment judgements. In addition cross moderation has enabled more accurate judgements to be made Y2 teacher's receive PD to support teaching, learning and assessment processes.

Strategic School Improvement Plan 2019-2020 — Quality of Education
Lead people accountable for securing continual improvement: Lois Cadwallader/Chloe Creek - Link Governor: Lisa Begbie

	Objective A	Evidence	Base/Lir			andole IUI	securing continual improvement: Lois Cadwa	induct / Cities Citech - Link Govern	or. Lisa begbie	Key Performance Indicators					
	To ensure different		ress scores				Progress measures in reading in KS2	have fluctuated between average and si	gnificantly above	Progress measures will be above 0 for reading, writing					
	prior attainment pupils in reading, in particular	NOZ FIOG	. 255 3001 65	2016	2017	2018 2	since 2016. In 2019, prior attainment	in a lower progress	 and mathematics Mastery approach will be evident in all year groups. Attainment will be above national comparators 						
	high attaining pupils make good or better	KS1 Attain Reading	ment				Score. STAR assessments snow a unit	erence in attainment across year groups there is a significant difference betwee							
	progress.	rteading	Reading	2.73	-0.37	2.26	1.4 Changes to shared reading are require	 Assessment data will be a key tool in supporting teaching and learning. 							
			Upper CI	5.1	1.8	4.3	0.6 entire curriculum are high. Regular m	ns needs to be precise to ensure standar onitoring of the teaching of shared and							
		Reading	Lower	0.3	-2.6	0.3	across school is needed. STAR Tests will aid teachers' assessm and support where necessary.	ent and identification of gaps to enable	quick interventions						
Intent			Sig+/-	Sig+	average Sig-	+ aver									
1	Success Criteria:														
	Quality of Education	on					Behaviour and attitudes		Leadership a	nd Management					
	 Progress measure in real Interventions are timely based on prior attainment. The vast majority of pupaccess all other areas of Attainment in reading is (GLD, phonics, KS1 and Teachers are more confinition of all available. 	and enable punt. bils in all year good the curriculum above national KS2). ident in their te	pils to keep on roups achieve r I I at the expecte eaching and ass	mastery in rea	ading enabling th	nem to	 Reading is celebrated across school and is pron is developed and embedded in line with the Kel 		accurate and c across the scho outcomes in re Performance m	Through an evaluation of monitoring activities leaders and governors have an accurate and comprehensive understanding of the quality of teaching reading across the school. Governors hold senior leaders to account for improving outcomes in reading. Performance management of all staff has been used effectively to improve teaching of reading.					
	Actions				Who	Cost	Monitoring Activity	Ongoing Impact	8						
	Subject leaders to reca	p shared read	ing with staff.		LC/CW	£0	Review of materials/ resources for shared reading and monitoring of lessons.								
	Implement STAR Tests to support teachers' assessment of learning.				DW/CC	£0	Progress and review information updated regularly and linked to STAR assessments and Insight								
	Monitor STAR system to identify underperformance or weak SGP for different groups of pupils including MPAG,HPAG, disadvantaged and SEND			CC	£0	Termly monitoring of results.									
Im					CC	£894	Initially set up and implement across classes. Monitoring will follow once set up.								
nplementa					CC/LC	£0	AR sheets printed and distributed to staff with feedback offered.								
ntati	6. Undertake book monitoring for selected groups of pupils to better understand progress across year and key stage.						Book monitoring and concise feedback to staff.								
ition	7. Undertake learning walks throughout the term to identify progress and attainment of different groups of pupils including disadvantaged and SEND. £0 £0					£0	Learning walks undertaken and feedback provided where necessary.								
	8. Filter and develop class libraries so all children can access a wide variety of age appropriate books to enhance a 'love for reading'. All reading books to be linked to AR so children are reading age and content appropriate books.					£0	Monitor children's book selections and comprehension linked to AR. Monitor the effectiveness of AR. Pupil surveys distributed and collated.								
	9. Introduce parents to AR and provide resources for parents to LC/CC support reading and comprehension at home.					£0	Monitor children's reading journals. Parent surveys distributed and collated.								
	10. Confirm accuracy throu end of year judgments		n of EYFS base	eline and	DW/HB/CC	£0	Moderation with key SLT and Trust colleagues to confirm the baseline and end of year judgements.								
	Positive impact							Continued barrier to success	s/further actions	required					
Impact	·														

Strategic School Improvement Plan 2019-2020 – Quality of Education Lead people accountable for securing continual improvement: Chris Ward/Chloe Creek

	Objective B	Evidence	e Base/Lin	ked Rese	Chioe Creei		Key Performance Indicators							
	To improve writing standards		ress scores					Writing progress scores have been consistently	above 0 from	2017. Children have	Progress measures will be above 0 for reading, writing			
	for all pupils, including disadvantaged and SEND,			2016	2017	2018	2019	made expected progress in writing since 2017. School assessments have identified areas for de	• Mastery approa					
	with particular reference to	KS1 Attair Writing	nment					progress scores. School are assessing writing schemes to implem	ol are assessing writing schemes to implement to improve progress and • Assessment data wi					
	making consolidated progress in grammar and punctuation.	vviiding	0.99	-1.9	1.06	1	0.99	attainment across the school. Monitoring shows teaching of discrete grammar	and learning.					
			3.44	0.3	3	3	3.44	children are equipped with the necessary skills. Monitoring shows in some year groups there is						
		Writing	-1.4	-4.1	-0.8	-0.9	-1.4	girls and boys attainment scores.	a significant c	illierent between				
L			average	average	average	average	average							
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	Actions			Who	Cost	Monitorin	g Activity		Ongoing	Impact				
	INSET day to collaborate with Literacy Company to aid teacher literacy planning.			DW/CC	£0	Book / plann effectiveness		following the INSET day to assess scheme's						
	Provide staff with writing assessment across year groups.	w for accurate	CW/CC	£0			and review documentation.							
Impler	Review marking and feedback policifeedback.	y to enable wl	nole class	CC	£0	Book monito	ring and feedb	ack from staff on new policy.						
	Half termly moderation of writing, r identify underperformance and targ	jet interventio	n.	SLT	£0			ar group to produce a ranked list for writing.						
	5. Introduce Big Write sessions runnin	- Y		All staff	£0			//learning walks during Big Write sessions.						
nentation	Learning walks and drop ins within focus including SPAG, handwriting, writing.			SLT	£0		arning waiks. I in one to one	SLT to feedback during staff meetings, meetings.						
		Check and ensure quality of editing and improving process in line with feedback policy and feedback books.					f books and fe	edback books for evidence. Share with staff.						
	8. Undertake regular pupil voice to ununits adopted	derstand the i	mpact writing	CC/CW	£0	Pupil surveys	distributed ar	buted and collated.						
	Updated handwriting policy shared monitored regularly.	handwriting	CC/CW	£0	Learning wal	Learning walks and book monitoring to assess children's handwriting in line with policy.								
	Positive impact								Continue	d barrier to succe	ess/further actions required			
Impact														

Strategic School Improvement Plan 2019-2020 — Quality of Education Lead people accountable for securing continual improvement: Iola Ward/Chloe Creek Link Governor — Martin Little

Objective C Evidence Base/Linked Research:												Key Performance Indicators		
	To improve progress in	KS2 P	rogress sc	cores					natics attainment rose after 2017 in KS			Progress measures will be above 0 for reading, writing		
	mathematics by targeting			2016	2047	2010	2010		of power maths and a keen focus on r	and mathematicsMastery approach will be evident in all year groups.				
	basic skills which lead to mastery over time.		tainment	2016	2017	2018	2019	on refining internal procedures and practices to allow for a greater proportion of • Attainment will be above national cor						
		Maths		0.00	2.0	0.00	0.4	teaching and learning.						
			Maths	-0.68	-3.9	0.99	0.4		ecific calculation sequences.	Terrica by teachers to e	risure coverage			
		Maths	Upper CI	1.3	1.9	2.8	2.2		I testing using STAR assessments will e attainment and progress measures f					
			Lower CI	-2.7	-5.9	0.8	-1.4	will allo	w teachers and leaders to identify gap					
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	Actions						Who	Cost	Monitoring Activity	Ongoing Impact				
	Lead Staff meeting to remind staff be used in maths teaching. Introd themselves with it.						IW	£0	Monitoring of books and lessons and feedback given to staff.					
	2. Implement STAR Tests to support	t teachers' a	assessment (of learning.			DW/CC	£0	Progress and review information updated regularly and linked to STAR assessments and Insight					
I	Undertake shared book monitoring of pupils to better understand pro				or selected	groups	IW/CC	£0	Book monitoring and concise feedback to staff.					
							DW/CC	£0	Learning walks and lesson observations undertaken. Feedback given to staff.					
nenta	 4. Undertake learning walks and lesson observations throughout the term to identify progress and attainment of different groups of pupils including disadvantaged and SEND. 5. Trial whole class feedback to effectively address misconceptions with early interventions and to further challenge deeper learners. 6. Assess adult / pupil use of resources to support and engage children during maths lessons 						IW/CC	£0	Monitor impact of whole class feedback using summative and formative assessment and pupil voice.					
tion							IW/CC	£0	Subject leaders to research ways to utilise resources to support GD children and monitor the use and impact resources in lessons.					
	 Monitor STAR system to identify u pupils including MPAG, HPAG, disa 			eak SGP for	different gro	oups of	IW/CC	£0	Termly monitoring of results.					
	Monitor the effectiveness and free stars and mathletics.	·					IW	£0	Assess and monitor the proportion of children accessing homework systems.					
	9. Confirm accuracy through moderation of EYFS baseline and end of year judgments.							£0	Moderation with key SLT and Trust colleagues to confirm the baseline and end of year judgements.					
	Positive impact									Continued barrier to success/further actions required				
Impact														

Strategic School Improvement Plan 2019-2020 – Quality of Education

Lead people accountable for securing continual improvement: **David Wearing/Chloe Creek** Link Governor: **Lisa Begbie**

Objective D

To review the Kelsall Curriculum developing a cohesive map of knowledge, skills and understanding progression across all subject areas.

Evidence Base/Linked Research:



Over many years the Kelsall Curriculum has developed and re-established itself as a leading model with many schools adopting a similar thematic approach to planning a context based curriculum. Throughout this time, many iterations of assessment, schemata of units of works and have been trialled and the 'good' parts kept. It is clear that our curriculum provides children with a 'love for learning' in a way that seeks to connect disciplines closely together through a shared context (with a global responsibility element also entwined). Staff and leaders now feel it is time to draw all that is great about the curriculum together into a shared document that outlines the sequential approach in all year groups, for all subject areas – thus leading to a clear roadmap of expectations for staff, pupils and the wider community. There is a growing emphasis on ensuring that school curricula is broad and balanced in its design, planning and implementation, with an increased emphasis on subject leaders, leaders and teachers being able to confidently articulate the intent, implementation and impact of their curriculums. This objective will seek to articulate and share that shared ethos and approach to our connect curriculum
If we teach within and across the subject matters in ways that highlight powerful conceptual systems, we will have a "connected curriculum"—one that equips and empowers learners for the complex and challenging future they face.

Key Performance Indicators

- There is a curriculum document in place that provides a sequential outline of key knowledge, skills and understanding for each year group and subject.
- The curriculum with remain broad and balanced and children will access all subjects, supporting their future aspirations and engagement.
- Subject leads and class teachers will be able to readily discuss the currollum, its key elements and how progression is weaved through effectively.

Success Criteria

Intent

Quality of Education Leaders adopt or construct a curriculum that is ambitious and designed to give all pupils, particularly disadvantaged pupils and including pupils with SEND, the knowledge and cultural capital they need to succeed in life.

- The curriculum is successfully adapted, designed or developed to be ambitious and meet the needs of all pupils.
- Pupils are ready for the next stage of education, employment or training. They have the knowledge and skills they need and, where relevant, they gain qualifications that allow them to go on to destinations that meet their interests and aspirations and the intention of their course of study.
- The school's curriculum is coherently planned and sequenced towards cumulatively sufficient knowledge, skills and understanding.
- Pupils are given opportunities to experiences all curriculum subject areas in a coherent and connected way.
- Pupils' work across the curriculum is of good quality.
- Pupils read widely and often, with fluency and comprehension appropriate to their age. They are able to apply mathematical knowledge, concepts and procedures appropriately for their age.

Behaviour and attitudes

- Pupils consistently have highly positive attitudes and commitment to their education. They are highly motivated and persistent in the
- face of difficulties. Pupils make a highly positive, tangible contribution to the life of the school and/or the wider community.
- Pupils actively support the well-being of other pupils.

Personal Development

- The curriculum and the school's effective wider work support pupils to be confident, resilient and independent, and to develop strength of character.
- The curriculum promotes equality of opportunity and diversity effectively. As a result, pupils understand, appreciate and respect difference in the world and its people, celebrating the things we share in common across cultural, religious, ethnic and socio-economic communities.

Leadership and Management

- Teachers and leaders use assessment well, for example to help pupils embed and use knowledge fluently, or to check under- standing and inform teaching.
- Leaders aim to ensure that all pupils successfully complete their programmes of study.

	Actions	Who	Cost	Monitoring Activity	Ongoing Impact
	 Whole school review of curriculum – collating best practice and parts that want to retain. 	DW	£0		
		Subject leads	£0	Subject leader's discussions, staff meeting feedback.	
Ħ.	 Develop a 'Kelsall Love for Maths, Reading, Writing' document that outlines the instructional practices that are consistent across school. 	DW/CC	£0	Learning walks and lesson observations to monitor consistency of approaches.	
p	Rewrite the curriculum statement in line with changes.	DW	£0	Link governor to review and offer feedback	
er	5. Review marking and feedback approaches in all subject areas.	CC	£0	Staff meetings	
nentat	6. Create a 'Connected Curriculum' document that highlights the importance of a curriculum that is rooted in the acquisition of knowledge and the application of core skills.	DW	£0	Link governor to review and offer feedback	
ation	7. Ensure that the unseen curriculum is seen – create a document that visually represents all extra-curricular and child centred activity.	DW	£0	Monitor topic books to identify good practice	
	8. Subjects leads to attend appropriate training/network meetings to support their subject knowledge and understanding.	All	£0	Feedback from courses and impact on improvement of subject areas.	
	·	Subject leads	£0	Book monitoring, learning walks.	
	10. Learning walks to specifically focus on curriculum – broad and balance approach and coverage of all subjects.	DW/CC		Learning walks	
	Positive impact		Continued barrier to success/further actions required		

Strategic School Improvement Plan 2019-2020 – Quality of Education

Lead people accountable for securing continual improvement: Chloe Creek

Objective E Evidence Base/Linked Research: Key Performance Indicators Progress measures will be above 0 for reading, writing To embed new assessment School have been using the O'Track assessment system for a number of years and it did not and mathematics systems (Insight/STAR/FFT) reliably give the rich information that teachers needed to fully support pupils. Workload issues Mastery approach will be evident in all year groups. enabling teachers to utilise were prevalent with teachers needing to assess against too many objectives. Through Attainment will be above national comparators exploring various new data systems alongside other trust schools, we opted for Insight as a outputs to support, challenge Assessment data will be a key tool in supporting teaching and target teaching and simpler way of collating and analysing pupil data. As well as this we are introducing STAR and learning. tests that will support teachers and leaders in analysing progress and attainment in Reading & learning. Mathematics. The difficulty of each question adjusts to each student's abilities reports are instantly **Success Criteria Ouality of Education Leadership and Management** Progress measures are positive in reading, writing and mathematics Leaders understand the limitations of assessment and do not use it in a way that creates unnecessary burdens on staff or pupils. Attainment in core subjects is above national at the expected standard in all key areas of the school (GLD, phonics, KS1 and KS2). Lesson observations demonstrate strong assessment for learning techniques used to ascertain pupils understanding, without elaborate approach. All staff familiar and competent with using STAR and Insight to support accurate assessment and to guide T&L and to focus on individuals and groups. Teachers and leaders use assessment well, for example to help pupils embed and use knowledge fluently, or to check understanding and inform teaching. Who Cost Monitoring Activity Ongoing Impact Actions CC £0 Implement the STAR assessment system across the school, providing training to staff to fully utilise the data provided to ensure teachers understand pupil attainment and progress and to support next steps in teaching & learning. £0 CC/DW Implement the use of Insight giving appropriate training and support where needed. £0 **Implementation** Teachers to start to use STAR and Insight **Teachers** Collate and analyse FFT, ASP and IDSR information to fully understand the strengths and weaknesses of the school £0 DW/CC CC £0 Use FFT estimates to ensure groups of children remain on track for their end of key stage 2 scaled score. Link FFT estimates to current attainment within O Track and on prior attainment mapping grids. Establish regular staff meetings to support analysis of STAR to include TAs (once very half-term) DW/CC £0 Audit feedback mechanisms in classrooms, including the review of the marking policy to ensure that any feedback DW/CC £0 is timely, effective and not over-burdensome for teachers. £0 Develop cooperative learning structures in classes to support T&L – Kagan Structures **Teachers** Purchase external support from the Lancashire Assessment team to moderate and validate the quality of writing. DW £100 10. Work with MAT colleagues to moderate the quality of writing across the school twice a year. DW/All £400 £0 11. Provide simple, reliable and validated data to governors to understand how well children attain against national DW comparators. Continued barrier to success/further actions required Positive impact

Strategic School Improvement Plan 2018-2020 – Behaviour and Attitudes

Lead people accountable for securing continual improvement: Sarah White Link Governor Holly Stowells

Objective F

Review and rewrite behaviour policy to encompass Pivotal Education principles and ensure consistency of approach across school including Nursery provision and wraparound club care.

Behaviour and attitudes

Evidence Base/Linked Research:



1. Audit CD across school to identify best practice and to support new staff, especially in

Over the last three years Kelsall Primary & Nursery School has adopted 'Conscious Discipline' as its preferred method of behaviour management. Conscious Discipline is a comprehensive emotional intelligence and classroom management system that integrates all domains of learning (social, emotional, physical, cultural and cognitive). It evolves from constantly asking, "Is there a better way," and seeking the most current information provided by varied disciplines from neuroscience to mindfulness research to developmental psychology and beyond. The many facets of 'Conscious Discipline' have impacted positively on pupils from reducing the need for extrinsic rewards for increased effort to managing and self-regulating their emotional states. Teachers have embraced the CD approach and SW has emerged as a key expert in this area supporting staff and growing her own knowledge. Ongoing training is required to ensure consistency in approach which has been carefully monitored over the last two years.

More recently element of Pivotal Education strategies have been woven into the behaviour management approach and these need to be reflected in a new policy that outlines the unique approach that Kelsall have developed.

Key Performance Indicators

- Conscious Discipline and Pivotal Education strategies support and develop a calm and coherent atmosphere for learning.
- Children will be able to discuss their feelings and show empathy for others
- All staff use CD approach consistently and support the various approaches adopted within school.

Success Criteria

Actions-

Teachers use 'Conscious Discipline' methodologies and procedures consistently in order to improve pupils' self-regulation and attitudes to learning.

- Learning walks and observation highlight the positive use of 'Conscious Discipline'
- The environment is calm and allows children to make positive choices in their learning behaviours.

Children are supported to use safe spaces in their classes and to use assertive voices to solve issues

Personal Development

with friends.

 Children can explain what they can do to overcome problems in school and at home.

Leadership and Management

Cost

£0

Who

SW

- Pupils' attitudes to learning are deemed to be nothing less than exemplary in all lesson observations
- Attendance for the year to be over 97%
- The safe places are used as a means of creating emotional stability for pupils allowing them to refocus on their work once used.

Ongoing Impact

- Incidences of low-level disruption are extremely rare evidenced in lesson observations
- Nearly all pupils say that they are and feel safe and happy in school.
- Methodologies from conscious discipline are impacting to reduce the incidences of bullying and or friend concerns.
- School held records evidence adults and pupils deal effectively with bullying behaviour
- Leaders and governors have created a culture that enables pupils and staff to excel. They are committed unwaveringly to setting high expectations for the conduct of pupils and staff.
- Relationships between staff and pupils are exemplary.

Monitoring Activity

DW to ensure that all staff are

Nursery and Kelsall Club. trained and follow up with additional support where needed Rewrite behaviour policy reflecting practice – including new elements from Paul Dix SW/DW £0 Shared with staff for (Pivotal Education). comment/amendments Provide staff training at least every month at staff meetings. SW £0 Continue to develop strategies and approaches to support behaviour across school, SW £0 supporting staff and pupils where required. To undertake learning walks in relation to teachers language to assess the consistency DW/CC £0 Learning walks throughout the school and also the impact of the procedures for those children who struggle to manage their behaviour and actions 6. To create a working group to look at the development of the CD approach across SW/DW £0 Investigate and implement strategies to support behaviour management, including from DW/SW £0 'When the Adults Change, Everything Changes' – P/C sections to share with staff. 8. Provide workshops for parents and carers on Conscious Discipline approach. SW £0 9. Develop class prompts to support teachers and support staff in the implementation of SW £0 Ensure prompts in class to support and embedding of the CD approaches. teacher and pupil talk/actions Positive impact Continued barrier to success/further actions required

Impact

Strategic School Improvement Plan 2019-2020 — Quality of Education Lead people accountable for securing continual improvement: Hayley Nixon & Hannah Bridges Link Governor Jane Briggs

	Objective G		Lead people accountable for securing co	nandar improven	inche Hayle	TIMON & Haman Bridges Ellik	dovernor Julie Diliggo		Key Performance Indicators		
Intent	To develop a successful and vibrant EYFS Provision that connects meaningfully to the rest of the school.	A Unique Child Positive Relation EARLY YEAR	ships Environments Development	Kelsall Primary & Note to the Note of the	ursery School! that we now l a 3/4 year old good evidence assessment t	Primary merged with the Pre-School and we're delighted to now be nool! This is a fantastic position for school to be in and works over the summer have ow have a vibrant and well organised EYFS area – including a room for 2 year olds rold room and the refurbishment of the Reception room as well as a stand-alone ence to suggest that having a Nursery on site improves transitioning and also helps ent that can be shared more readily as children progress through the early years EYFS Provision is a natural and key element of the Kelsall School community – through parental and staff feedback. Learning environments reflect all areas of the foundation stage curriculum and are regular updated and assessed for their purpose and safety. SLT are conversant in the language of EYFS and can clearly articulate key strengths and areas of development for the provision. The entrance area is welcoming and provides parents with a waiting area and space to leave buggies and bikes. Staff are supported and trained to the highest levels.					
Ħ	Success Criteria Quality of Education		Behaviour and attitudes			Personal Development		Loadoro	hin and Managament		
	 There is a sharp focus on ensuring that vocabulary, communicate effectively an knowledge of phonics, which gives ther future learning, especially in preparatio confident and fluent readers. Staff create an environment that suppo ambitious, coherently planned and sequing resources are chosen to meet the children learning. 	d, in Reception, secure a n the foundations for n for them to become rts the intent of an uenced curriculum. The	 Children demonstrate their positive attitudes curiosity, concentration and enjoyment. The positively to adults and each other. Children are developing their resilience to so achievements. Children are beginning to manage their own understanding how these have an impact or sense of right from wrong 	ey listen intently and etbacks and take prion of feelings and behavi	respond de in their our,	The curriculum and care practices possible children's emotional security and de Leaders and staff are particularly attachildren's needs. Staff give clear messages to children eat, drink, rest, exercise and be kind children to take managed risks and learn, supporting them to be active.	velopment of their character. tentive to the youngest n about why it is important to d to each other. They teach challenges as they play and	Leaders give child self- beli school h For child	construct a curriculum that is ambitious and designed to dren, particularly the most disadvantaged, the knowledge, ef and cultural capital they need to succeed in life. The as the same academic ambitions for al- most all children. ren with particular needs, such as those with SEND, their m is designed to be ambitious and to meet their needs.		
	Actions			Who	Cost	Monitoring Activity	Ongoing Impact				
	Establish vibrant environt utilising ECERS feedback		lass within the EYFS Provision, develop each area.	HN/HB	£0	Learning walks, external supervision and support (Jo Williams)					
	buddies between class	es and peer to pee		DW/HN/HB		Learning Walks					
	Continue to refine and			DW/HN/HB	£0	ECERS, ITERS					
	-		erstanding of monitoring and	DW/CC	£0						
	assessing a Nursery de			DW//LIN		-					
	5. SLT to attend training of		Nursery to include a canopy for	DW/HN DW	£0 £500						
H	parents and planting a			DVV	2300						
Imple			Safeguarding and H&S	DW	£0	Safeguarding governor					
 	Induction					review					
mentation	8. To ensure that Nursery			DW	£300	Safeguarding governor review					
on	external consultancy/tr	aining	hrough in house training and	DW/HN	£400						
	10.SLT to develop relation			DW/CC	£0	ļ	-				
	children and to engend relationships and a wid	ler empathy in olde ler school commun		DW/HN/HB	±0						
	12.Embed the use of tape SLT to link into the sys		t and observations of children.	HN/HB	£0	SLT to review Tapestry regularly to support staff and learn about provision and progress for all children					
	13. Make links to other Nu	rsery settings to im	prove and refine practice	DW/HN	£0						
	Positive impact					Continued barrier to succes	s/further actions requ	ired			
Impact											

Strategic School Improvement Plan 2019-2020 – Leadership and Management

Lead people accountable for securing continual improvement: **David Wearing**

Objective H Evidence Base/Linked Research: Key Performance Indicators The vast majority of pupils and staff are happy and healthy To review and develop further An estimated three children in every classroom suffer from a diagnosable mental health problem. accessing support and advice when required. School is a systems and strategies to support Behind those numbers is a general trend to increased levels of stress and lower levels of vibrant and happy place to work and learn. the physical and mental wellbeing. Schools are much more than centres of learning. They can and do provide the most Teachers have the opportunity to develop professional health/well-being of the school reliable conduit to address this worrying trend, and only they can set us back on track. However, relationships with staff in other trust schools to support workload and wellbeing. for schools to succeed in helping their students, our priorities as a nation must be realigned, and community. School achieves the Outstandingly Happy School status and the education system must rebalance academic learning and emotional wellbeing. This is what has action points to further develop. our children and young people want, it is what our teachers and school leaders want and it is Outdoor areas are clean and tidy and offer a wealth of areas what our parents want. More to the point, it is what our children and young people deserve. to be used both across the curriculum and for children at They deserve an excellent education that prepares them academically and emotionally for the break times. Intent Staff report high levels of well-being and enjoy coming to challenges they will face inside the classroom, and for the world they will enter when they work. Wise up to Wellbeing in Schools (Young Minds – 2019) graduate. Children are able to articulate their feelings and have strategies to keep them happy and safe both inside and outside of school. **Success Criteria Behaviour and attitudes Quality of Education Leadership and Management** Pupils consistently have highly positive attitudes and commitment to their Pupils behave with consistently high levels of respect for others. They Leaders engage effectively with pupils and others in their community, including, when relevant, parents, employers and local services. Engagement opportunities are education. They are highly motivated and persistent in the face of difficulties. play a highly positive role in creating a school environment in which focused and purposive Pupils make a highly positive, tangible contribution to the life of the school commonalities are identified and celebrated, difference is valued and and/or the wider community. Pupils actively support the well-being of other nurtured, and bullying, harassment and violence are never tolerated. pupils. Who Monitoring Activity Ongoing Impact Actions Cost DW/CC 1. Embark upon the 4 day embedded 'Happiness' programme with Art of Brilliance £3000 DW/CC to sit in on meetings and work alongside children with the trainer The EMBEDDED PROGRAMME Owned, designed and run by your pupils, our inspiring four-day programme works like this One of our leaders works with your identified pupil group (and adults) to explore the key principles of positivity. happiness, resilience, goal-setting, personal responsibility, impact, kindness and aspiration. Massive learning that also happens to be great fun Participants will be given some 'happiness homework'. Our leader returns for part a and the children begin to identify the actions needed to move your school to new heights of positive excellence. The children formulate a school plan based around 10 things we will do to make this **Implementation** The children will be busy working on their "brilliant" school plan. Your leader is back in school for a reminder of the lessons and to monitor progress. Consider this a 'pre- inspection' wellbeing Visit, a chance to polish the presentations - Day Four: The BIG mannent our independent happiness inspector visits the school to judge your progress. Remember, this is the children presenting and providing evidence against their 10-point plan. The inspector will make a judgement and your school awarded either an "Awesome" or "Well Impressed" outcome (lower grades are possible but our leaders" commitment is to work with your children until one of the top grades is achieved) £0 2. Audit outdoor areas and draw up a scheme of works for the autumn and spring term to DW tidy and refurb so that the playground is zoned carefully for play and curriculum use. Interview children to ascertain their likes and dislikes at breaktimes and what they would DW £0 DW to monitor playtimes and like to see in the playground. (add into plan above) lunchtimes Review well-being for staff. Create a well-being working group to discuss workload issues DW £0 5. Establish subject leader and NQT working groups through CLTA to support all staff at Kelsall, £0 CAT and beyond. Continued barrier to success/further actions required Positive impact Impact



This School Development Plan was drafted in conjunction with key personnel at Kelsall Primary & Nursery School.

This is a working document.