

# Eco-Schools Action Plan

SCHOOL NAME Gibshill Children's Centre

## Eco-Schools Topic: Litter

Date Range of this Plan: September 2017 – June 2019

Our overall aims for this Topic are:

- Develop a litter policy and share this with our children, families and the local community.
- Raise awareness of the impact litter has in our community.
- Reduce the amount of litter in our community.
- Raise awareness of and reduce dog fouling in the area.

Action	Who's in charge?	When will it be done by? (if ongoing, when did it start?)	How can we monitor it?	How will we know when we're successful?	How much will it cost?	Did it work? Any ideas for the future?
Consult with children, staff and parents to create a litter policy.	Craig, Heather and Clare.	January 2018.	Record discussions.	Litter Policy created.	Paper, pens.	
Share and display this in the nursery and the local community.	Eco Committee.	January 2018.		Policy shared in local community.	Cost of Paper, glue, paint, collage materials.	
Increase number of outdoor bins in the nursery grounds and local community.	Eco Committee.	June 2018.	Monitor number of bins in local community and nursery.	Amount of bins increased.	Cost of new bins.	
Organise litter picking days and Community Clean Up Days. Audit amount of litter and types.	Eco Committee.	Ongoing from September 2017.	Audit amount and types of litter.	Litter picking takes place.	Nothing.	
Walk around local area to count number of dog poo.	Eco Committee.	January 2018.	Record number of poo's found.		Nothing.	
Contact Safer Communities to discuss these issues – (Enquire about moving bus stop, poo bins being put in place).	Craig.	June 2018.	Record this information.	Bus stop moved. More poo bins in local community.	Dependant on feedback from Safer Communities.	
<b>Action in progress</b> Make poo bag dispensers and place these in the street.	Heather and children.	June 2018.	Count number of bags used.	Number of dog poo's on streets decrease.	Cost of poo bags and milk cartons.	
<b>Not started yet</b>						

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Eco-Schools Topic: Health and Wellbeing

Date Range of this Plan: September 2017 – June 2019

Our overall aims for this Topic are:

- Raise awareness of and reduce smoking at nursery area.
- To promote the health and wellbeing of our children, families, staff and the local community.

Action	Who's in charge?	When will it be done by? (if ongoing, when did it start?)	How can we monitor it?	How will we know when we're successful?	How much will it cost?	Did it work? Any ideas for the future?
Create posters to raise awareness of the impact of smoking in the local community and nursery.	All children and staff.	June 2018.	Posters are displayed in local community.	Smoking at nursery bus stop and entrance decreases.	Cost of Paper, glue, paint, collage materials.	
Grow our own food in the garden and distribute or sell these. (Soup Bags, Apple Crumble etc.)	Susan and all children	August 2017	Feedback from children and families via discussions, twitter, learning journals etc.	Feedback from children and families via discussions, twitter, learning journals etc.	All resources were donated from local/ community Garden projects.	
Daily Mile	Janine.	August 18	With a pedometer the Daily Mile Minion will record on chart how many steps a day we are taking.	When this is embedded in our daily practice.	Cost of pedometer and minion outfit - £20	
Children will have opportunities to participate in Grounds for Learning, Micro Morton and Yoga throughout the year.	Craig, Michelle, Janine, Gaynor	January 2018	Feedback from children, parents/ carers. Monitor attendance.	When children are enjoying these and taking the learning home.	Micro Morton – 8 x £25 per session.	

**Action finished**

**Action in progress**

**Not started yet**

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Eco-Schools Topic: Transport

Date Range of this Plan: September 2017 – June 2019

Our overall aims for this Topic are:  
 ○ Raise awareness of the importance of safe driving and parking in the local community.

Action	Who's in charge?	When will it be done by? (if ongoing, when did it start?)	How can we monitor it?	How will we know when we're successful?	How much will it cost?	Did it work? Any ideas for the future?
Contact Safer Communities to discuss: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Speed bumps</li> <li>○ Zebra Crossing</li> <li>○ Lollipop Lady</li> <li>○ 20's Plenty Signs</li> <li>○ Alternative Parking</li> </ul>	Craig.	June 2018.	Record this information.	Dependant on feedback from Safer Communities.	Nothing.	
Hand up Scotland Survey	Craig	Every September	Record information and send to Sustrans.	When this is completed.	Nothing.	
Visit from Community Police to discuss Road Safety.	Craig	Regular visits (Ad hoc).	Children's participation in discussions with visitors.	Ongoing.	Nothing.	
UN Road Safety Week in partnership with Police, Road Safety Department, JRSO's from St.John's	Craig and Eco Committee.	Every May.	Photographs, Observations, Eco book.	Feedback from families.	Nothing.	

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 Action in progress

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## Yearly Calendar

Month	September/ October	November	January	February	March/ April	May/ June
<b>Events</b>	<p>Scottish Learning Festival.</p> <p>Environmental Review completed. Review Action Plan.</p> <p>Hands Up Scotland Survey completed.</p> <p>Community Garden Day 11/10/17.</p> <p>GfL starting.</p>	<p>Eco Committee Meeting.</p> <p>St. Andrew's Day.</p>	<p>Robert Burns Day.</p>	<p>Eco-Committee Meeting.</p> <p>Community Clean Up Week.</p> <p>RSPB Big Birdwatch Week.</p>	<p>Earth Day.</p>	<p>Eco-Committee Meeting.</p> <p>UN Road Safety Week.</p>

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