

Strategic Priority 1

Curriculum

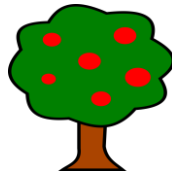


This session we are refreshing our literacy resources and further enhancing our active literacy approaches, with a special focus on further enhancing spelling and handwriting.

Our children's health and happiness is vitally important to us. We are refreshing and updating our health and wellbeing topics to keep the learning as motivating and engaging as possible, and we are aiming to achieve a Digital Wellbeing Award, helping our learners further enhance their knowledge & resilience, linked to the online world.

Strategic Priority 2

Sustainability



Over the course of the session, we will be strongly promoting sustainability and eco conscious actions. We are almost ready to submit our evidence to achieve a (Keep Scotland Beautiful) Eco Schools Flag number 6, prior to the October Week. Following on from this, we will quickly set our new actions and get busy working to achieve Eco Flag number 7! Now that funding is fully in place, we plan to have our long awaited polytunnel installed in our school grounds – and we plan to have all classes using this to grow fruit and vegetables before the end of the school year.

Cost of the School Day

- We will keep our Pop Up Shop open
- We will keep fundraising to a minimum
- We will seek grant funding wherever possible
- We will keep excursion costs as low as we possibly can and subsidise where possible
- We will signpost families to any help / supports that we are aware of

Carstairs Primary School

Plan on a Page
2023-2024



We are a
CAN DO
school.....

Committed
to our
CHILDREN
&
FAMILIES



We value
our
parents
as
partners

Team
work is
key ☺

#TeamCarstairs

Our school vision & our values:

Be Safe,
Be Happy,
Be All You Can Be

- ✓ Effort
- ✓ Respect
- ✓ Confidence
- ✓ Kindness

These continue to permeate all of
our work and efforts. 😊

Strategic Priority 2

Learning, Teaching & Assessment



Over the last two school sessions, we have had a very strong and clear focus on classroom practice, and this is continuing to pay off, with positive attainment results aplenty. This session, we will continue to further enhance classroom practice by continuing to develop the use of play to support learning in the early stages, and beyond.

Teacher collaboration, moderation, practitioner enquiry and reflection will all continue to receive a strong focus in our school across the session, as we continue to strive to provide highest quality learning experiences, for all.

Strategic Priority 3

Equity – Closing the Gap & Raising Attainment

Our commitment to ensuring that those who need help, get help, remains a high priority. From our Pupil Equity Fund Budget **£24,512** will be used this session, to allow us to continue to have School Support Assistants (one 5 days and one 3 days), additional to those provided from our SLC core budget. This additional staffing will continue to allow our team to have more flexibility for the delivery of targeted interventions to support small groups and individuals, and to provide additional nurture, where it's needed most. We will also continue to support and encourage families to strive for the highest possible levels of strong attendance for all.

