

# Balgreen Primary School Improvement Plan – Summary for School Community

### Values:

Safe, Ready, Respectful

#### Aim:

Be all you can be!

#### **Curriculum Rationale:**



All of this is underpinned by our commitment to sustainability:

Building on the success of our Eco Flag Awards and the integration of Learning for Sustainability within our curriculum we will:

- Continue to develop the use of our unique surroundings, green spaces and areas within the community as contexts for learning about the natural world.
- Continue to engage in and develop progressive outdoor learning opportunities.
- Develop the use of links with local organisations and awards e.g. Water of Leith, John Muir Award and RSPB.

### **Priority 1**

### **Learning, Teaching and Assessment**

- Improve how we teach with the help of digital tools.
- Develop a consistent and progressive approach to the teaching of literacy across the school
- Make sure every child gets the right support.
- Develop learning through play in the early years.
- Involve parents more in their children's learning.

### Priority 2

### **Equality, Wellbeing and Inclusion**

- Establish an Equalities Pupil Group and ensure their views are used to shape this development
- Continue to develop and embed the Balgreen Culture Calendar
- Plan learning that is relevant to and reflective of all learners
- Develop the learning environment to take account of the diversity within the school

## Priority 3

### **Closing the Achievement Gap**

- Help parents and carers to support their children in their learning
- Ensure all pupils access wider achievement opportunities such as clubs and activities
- Improve the attendance of all learners

## Priority 4

### **Health and Wellbeing**

- Embed children's rights throughout the curriculum
- Work towards achieving silver accreditation
- Involve learners more in their learning
- Increase pupil participation throughout the school