



Carstairs Junction Primary & ELC School Improvement Priorities on a Page 2025-2026



Equity

Rationale: Targeted support to continue to provide timely intervention to learners to reduce barriers to learning.

Actions:

- PEF funded staff will be timetabled to work with identified individuals through interventions such as Maths Recovery, Catch Up Literacy, Codecracker and NELI.
- PEF funded Youth family and Community Learning Officer (YFCL) will work with the school to support families with any barriers to attendance.



Moderation

Rationale: Engage in professional collaboration to further develop consistency and shared accountability across sectors.

Actions:

- ELC, Primary Schools and Secondary School within the Lanark Learning Community to moderate Numeracy, Science, Digital Technology and Writing to improve shared standards.

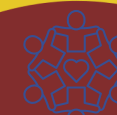


Raise Attainment

Rationale: Continue to develop features of highly effective practice through high quality learning, teaching and assessment.

Actions:

- Further professional learning in Literacy through Improving Our Writing (IOW).
- Continue to embed approaches to develop vocabulary and talking and listening through Early NELI in ELC and NELI in School.
- Play to extend in senior classes with a focus on STEM.
- Further develop reading for pleasure through Reading Schools Gold Award.
- Further develop sports through Gold Sport Scotland Award.



Diversity & Equality

Rationale: Further promote and celebrate diversity and equality.

Actions:

- Further develop a sensory curriculum with a focus on skills development and individual milestones.
- Develop staff, pupil and family understanding of diversity.
- Celebrate Diversity and Equality through committee led programme of events.
- Showcase learning with the wider community.
- Further professional learning in Attachment Theory.
- Action plan implemented with focus on 'Act to Make a Difference'.