

St Neot School

School Development Plan

2021-22

St Neot School's Vision, Mission, Values and Aims

Our Vision

Together we achieve a vibrant, safe, yet challenging community which recognises the uniqueness of individual learners and promotes independent learning and the ability to explore our potential as active citizens of the future.

Our Mission is:

To bring the world to our children, which will in turn prepare them to go into the world. To provide exciting and stimulating experiences which will inspire an ethos of enquiry and creativity.

Our Aims CHALLENGE INSPIRE SUCCEED

- For all our pupils to develop into successful learners and achieve their full potential through high quality purposeful teaching
- To nurture and develop every child to become responsible and caring members of the community whilst instilling British values
- To work in genuine partnership with families and the wider community
- To provide for every child an enjoyable and progressive curriculum in a high quality, stimulating environment
- To challenge, support and develop our staff to create an outstanding team
- To develop a clear understanding of a healthy life style, self confidence and a positive self-image
- To foster an enquiring mind, with the ability to question, choose, evaluate and argue rationally
- To encourage a lifelong love of reading

OUR VISION

We will continually strive to achieve the school's aims through the formal curriculum and through all the other experiences offered to our children. High quality education will raise the children's standards of attainment, enabling them to:

- Develop their use of English and Maths which provide the foundation for all other learning
- Learn social skills that encourage agreeable interaction between their peers as well as adults
- Treat everyone in an equal manner, irrespective of gender, race, class or disability
- Develop their understanding of British Values to underpin personal and moral values that are respectful of others, leading to their appreciation and toleration of other religions and ways of life
- Learn in a safe and secure environment, in keeping with Health and Safety regulations that are in the interests of all who work in the school

Community Background to St Neot School

- St Neot School is smaller than the average primary school. The school has 99 pupils on role as of September 2021. Most year groups are at capacity
- Pupil stability is below national (84.6%) at 78.4%.
- The number of free school meals fluctuates but is well below the national average at 7.8%
- The percentage of pupils with san Education Health Care Plan is 0.9% which is in line with the national average
- The Foundation Stage Profile (2021) shows that 100% of pupils achieved a Good Level of Development in Reading, Writing and Maths. This compares with an Average Score in Cornwall of 76.6% in Reading, 72.3% in Writing and 80% in Maths.
- 54% of the pupils live within the catchment area with others living in Liskeard, Dobwalls, Taphouse, Bodmin, St Cleer and Bolventor. Pupils come from a diversity of home backgrounds, socially, economically and educationally.
- Pupils live in a mixture of privately owned and rented accommodation.
- The vast majority of pupils come from families where English is the first language.
- The new school was opened in 2003, but there has been a primary school in the village since 1880.
- The school is part of the Liskeard Cluster with includes 8 primaries feeding primarily to Liskeard School and Community College

STRENGTHS OF THE SCHOOL

- Pastoral care
- Embedding British Values
- Broad, balanced, progressive and diverse curriculum and extra-curricular activities
- The school identifies unique learners including those that need extra support and that are gifted and talented, and early intervention is given
- Safeguarding a priority throughout the school
- Highly skilled staff; a broad range of CPD and twilight training sessions
- Each class has Teaching Assistants supporting focused groups
- A wealth of current, interesting resources
- Staff are fully committed to continuing outstanding practice
- Results show consistently high attainment
- Embedding a love of reading throughout the school
- Committed to wellness and wellbeing to ensure every child reaches their full potential
- Children engaged and motivated through active lessons
- Pupil Voice-school council and sports crew have regular meetings/display boards/feature regularly in the newsletter
- Attendance is above the national average
- Well maintained buildings and grounds
- Healthy budget
- Stable staff team
- Excellent transition between Nursery and EYFS, between key stages and Y6 to secondary school
- Staff are very supportive of each other

SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2019-2022

2019/20	2020/21	2021-22
Key Judgement 1: Effectiveness of Leadership &	DUE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC KEY JUDGEMENTS	Key Judgement 1: Effectiveness of Leadership & Management
Management	HAVE BEEN CARRIED OVER FROM PREVIOUS YEAR	Leaders have a clear and ambitious vision for providing high
Leaders have a clear and ambitious vision for providing	Key Judgement 1: Effectiveness of Leadership &	quality education, with a particular focus on ensuring catch up
high quality education. This is realised through strong	Management	opportunities are provided.
shared views.	Leaders have a clear and ambitious vision for providing	Those responsible for governance understand their role and
Those responsible for governance understand their role	high quality education. This is realised through strong	carry this out effectively. They ensure the school is working towards these targets and holds leaders to account.
and carry this out effectively. They ensure the school is	shared views.	Key Judgement 2: Quality of Education
working towards these targets and holds leaders to	Those responsible for governance understand their role	Staff continue to monitor, audit and review the coherent, well-
account.	and carry this out effectively. They ensure the school is	planned and sequential curriculum that is progressive, to
Key Judgement 2: Quality of Education	working towards these targets and holds leaders to	ensure learners accumulate knowledge and skills for their
Coherent, well planned and sequential curriculum that is	account.	future.
progressive, where learners accumulate knowledge and	Key Judgement 2: Quality of Education	Key Judgement 3: Personal Development
skills for their future.	Coherent, well planned and sequential curriculum that is	Broaden the pupils' resilience, confidence and independence to
Key Judgement 3: Personal Development	progressive, where learners accumulate knowledge and	enable their social, emotional and physical well-being for future success and next steps.
Broaden the pupils' resilience, confidence and	skills for their future.	Key Judgement 4: Behaviour and attitude
independence to enable their well-being, future success	Key Judgement 3: Personal Development	All learners are committed to their learning, study effectively
and next steps.	Broaden the pupils' resilience, confidence and	and are resilient to setbacks by developing a growth mind set.
Key Judgement 4: Behaviour and attitude	independence to enable their well-being, future success	Key Judgement 5 Effectiveness of Early Years
All learners are committed to their learning, study	and next steps.	Implement the Statutory Framework for Early Years Foundation
effectively and are resilient to setbacks.	Key Judgement 4: Behaviour and attitude	Stage (Sept 21) through a rich and stimulating environment.
Key Judgement 5 Effectiveness of Early Years	All learners are committed to their learning, study	Seeking to provide quality and consistency, a secure
Initiate mark-making and writing activities giving	effectively and are resilient to setbacks.	foundation, partnership with parents and equal opportunities.
meaning to marks they make, which leads to emergent	Key Judgement 5 Effectiveness of Early Years	Key Judgement 6 Quality of Teaching Ensure the chosen SSP programme is effectively delivered
writing, building on their conceptual, procedural and	Initiate mark-making and writing activities giving	across the school.
generative knowledge.	meaning to marks they make, which leads to emergent	English: Enable all children to be confident readers by the end
Key Judgement 6 Quality of Teaching	writing, building on their conceptual, procedural and	of primary school.
English-Continue to improve and embed spelling	generative knowledge.	Maths: Develop opportunities to demonstrate the mastery of
strategies across the age range.	Key Judgement 6 Quality of Teaching	mathematical concepts.
Maths-Develop pupils' reasoning to apply logical	English-Continue to improve and embed spelling	Key Judgement 7
thinking to problem solving.	strategies across the age range.	Robust system in place for blended learning.
Key Judgement 7	Maths-Develop pupils' reasoning to apply logical	
Regularly provide pupils with enriched and active	thinking to problem solving.	
reading opportunities	Key Judgement 7	
	Regularly provide pupils with enriched and active	
	reading opportunities	

SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2021-22

This plan for 2021-22 identifies our major aims for this year as part of a longer term strategy. It includes in it the tasks and targets that are required to meet the long term objectives in order that:

- All children enjoy their learning and show determination to achieve the very best they can;
- All children make at least good progress in their learning to attain as highly as they can;
- Every child at St Neot School has a safe and stimulating environment in which to learn;
- All children are given a wide range of opportunities to stay healthy in mind and body;
- All children understand the importance of belonging to, feeling valued by and making a contribution to a wide and varied community and are well prepared for life in modern Britain;
- Every child is well prepared for the next steps in their learning.

To achieve our priorities actions will include:

- Lesson observations/drop ins;
- Learning walks;
- Work scrutiny;
- Pupil voice (business meetings with subject leaders, small group discussions and questionnaires);
- Governor voice-competencies and skills matrix;
- Staff voice;
- Parental feedback (questionnaires);
- Attainment and progress data analysis and benchmarking;
- Financial benchmarking.

This plan has been formulated with regard to both the staffing costs and number on roll for this period and is aligned to the school budget. This plan will be reviewed and actions evaluated termly.

Ofsted Key Judgement Intent	Implementation	Leader	Who is involved	Cost	Monitoring of implementation	Evaluation against success criteria	Governor responsibility and visits
Key Judgement 1: Effectiveness of Leadership & Management Leaders have a clear and ambitious vision for providing high quality education, with a particular focus on ensuring catch up opportunities are provided. Those responsible for governance understand their role and carry this out effectively. They ensure the school is working towards these targets and holds leaders to account.	 The leadership team constantly strive to improve achievement and personal development for pupils 2 year progressive and sequential rolling programme Deep dive (gathering evidence) of curriculum areas Governing board carry out book scrutiny and lesson observations Staff and Governor CPD Headteacher carries out learning walks Curriculum review Medium term planning Governor visits Governor skills audit Feedback to governors from teachers Challenging questions from governors SIP report scrutinised by governors Data scrutiny Pupils that are underachieving are identified in cohort tracking sheets Extra TA support in each classroom 	Headteacher Deputy Headteacher	 Headteacher Deputy Headteacher Teachers Teaching assistants 	£1000	 Regular SLT meetings Data scrutiny shows areas of strength and development Governor meetings have a positive impact Book scrutiny shows consistent high quality education across year groups Whole school curriculum review to improve and refine a balanced and broad curriculum CPD is relevant to the key judgements of the SDP and cascaded to all staff Governor visits are reported to board at meetings for further scrutiny Minutes show that leaders are challenged by governors Governor meetings have a positive impact Governors understand the SIP report and the next steps 		AC RT
Key Judgement 2: Quality of Education Staff continue to monitor, audit and review the coherent, well- planned and sequential curriculum that is progressive, to ensure learners	 Implement highly effective two year rolling programme Pupil conference Carry out book scrutiny Classroom Monitor updated termly Implementation of effective and relevant interventions Curriculum review Medium term planning Well-being milestones 	 Headteacher Deputy Headteacher Curriculum Governors 	 Headteacher Deputy Headteacher Teachers Teaching Assistants Governors 		 Whole school curriculum review to improve and refine a balanced and broad curriculum Book scrutiny demonstrates the effective delivery of the two year rolling programme Pupils are confident and sharing their 	•	DT RG

accumulate knowledge and skills for their future.	 Backs of books are highlighted to show understanding Misunderstandings are identified End of term assessments 				 learning experiences. They have a voice in the development of the curriculum Intervention tracking sheets show pupils progress Pupils talk positively about their experiences in school 	
Key Judgement 3: Personal Development Broaden the pupils' resilience, confidence and independence to enable their social, emotional and physical well-being for future success and next steps.	 Mental health embedded and taught as SMSC curriculum Pupils develop a good understanding of how to keep themselves safe and manage risks British Values effectively taught Policies and procedures are robust PSHE lessons develop skills and attributes needed for health, safety and preparation for life and work Purchase PSHE Association support Governor visits Learning walks Feedback from pupils 	 Headteacher Deputy Headteacher Teachers School Council Governors 	 Headteacher Deputy Headteacher Teachers Teaching Assistants Governors Parents 	£200	 Governor visits are reported to board at meetings for further scrutiny Pupils are able to talk about themselves positively Case studies of the effectiveness of Pupil Premium Pupils have a clear understanding of their rights and responsibilities Pupils know how to keep themselves safe and manage risk PE pupil surveys show the impact sport has on pupil well-being Policies and procedures are updated in line with government guidelines 	PD
Key Judgement 4: Behaviour and attitude All learners are committed to their learning, study effectively and are resilient to setbacks by developing a growth mind set.	 Pupil conference Pupil self-assessment Teacher assessment (back of books) Classroom Monitor Marking informs learner Book scrutiny Differentiated planning Misconcepts are addressed Interventions Effective School Council Governor visits Outdoor learning 	 Headteacher Deputy Headteacher Teachers Governors 	 Teachers Teaching assistants Governors 		 School Council records behaviour is at least good Pupils can report their own learning through self-assessment Teacher assessment shows learning has been achieved Classroom Monitor shows pupil progress 	RG PD

Parent surveys		 Pupil self-assessment informs learning Interventions ae effective and progress has been made Governors reports show learners are active in their recording Parent surveys are scrutinised and acted upon 	
 Key Judgement 5 Effectiveness of Early Years Every child deserves the possible start in life and that enables them to ful potential. Children deve in the early years and a experiences between bi five have a major impact future life chances. A se and happy childhood is in its own right. Good pare high quality early learnin provide the foundation on need to make the most abilities and talents as the secure foundation, partnership with parents and equal opportunities. The Early Years Foundard (EYFS) sets the standard early years providers muture and safe. It promotes the learning to ensure childh readiness' and gives chill broad range of knowled that provide the right fo good future progress the and life. The EYFS seeks to provide quality and consistency, east settings, so that even makes good progress an gets left behind -a secure foundation the planning for the learning 	the support fil their lop quickly child's rth and age t on their cure, safe mportant in nting and ng together children of their ney grow up. tion Stage s that all ust meet to rn and ot healthy aching and ren's 'school dren the ge and skills undation for rough school de: y in all early yery child d no child	hing tants Learning journeys	

English: Enable all children to be confident readers	 Daily phonics lesson EYFS/KS1 High frequency words included in 		Parents		 Spelling strategies are used by pupils across 	
Ensure the chosen SSP programme is effectively delivered across the school.	 planning Spelling patterns formally taught Tests inform teacher Opportunities across curriculum Marking informs learner 		 Governors English co- ordinator Maths co- ordinator 		 New spelling resources have enhanced strategies Test scores have improved 	
Key Judgement 6 Quality of Teaching	English Spelling schemes of work informs 	 Headteacher Deputy Headteacher 	 Teachers Teaching Assistants 	£500	 Book scrutiny shows progress 	SR
	 development of each individual child, and assessing and reviewing what they have learned regularly -partnership working between practitioners and with parents and/or carers – -equality of opportunity and anti- discriminatory practice, ensuring that every child is included and supported The EYFS specifies requirements for learning and development and for safeguarding children and promoting their welfare. The learning and development requirements cover: -the areas of learning and development which must shape activities and experiences (educational programmes) for children in all early years settings -the early learning goals that providers must help children work towards (the knowledge, skills and understanding children should have at the end of the academic year in which they turn five) -assessment arrangements for measuring progress (and requirements cover the steps that providers must take to keep children safe and promote their welfare. 					

by the end of primary school. Maths: Develop opportunities to demonstrate the mastery of mathematical concepts.	 Differentiated planning Carry out book scrutiny CPD for leaders Scaffolding to all staff Resources readily available Strategies are taught Spellings integrated into lessons Range of quality, appropriate reading materials suitable to SSP progression and reading levels throughout the school Maths Differentiated planning Weekly opportunities for reasoning KS2 Weekly activities planned EYFS/KS1 Reading is linked with reasoning skills CPD for leaders Scaffolding to all staff Cross-curricular links are planned Challenges embedded into planning Resources readily available Strategies are taught Carry out book scrutiny Children experience maths in context 	£500	 Differentiated planning enables the learner to develop skills phonics/SPAG lessons are embedded across the curriculum Record keeping is updated in the back of English and maths book half termly Challenges are clearly identified in books Cross curricular opportunities are met
Key Judgement 7 Robust system in place for blended learning.	 Staff are confident at delivering learning via Google Classrooms Home learners follow the planned, progressive curriculum as delivered in the classroom, with only minimal alterations where needed Staff continue to provide meaningful feedback to learners Children are taught how to log on and navigate the platform in school CPD given to staff where needed Parental support given where needed CPD for all staff in using Google Classroom 		 Children continue to make expected progress through bended learning Children feel confident when using blended learning All children experience the same learning objectives and curriculum content Staff are proactive at engaging parents and assessing the effectiveness of the curriculum delivery.

ONGOING PRIORITITES

- A Safeguarding-robust safeguarding practices and policies provide safe and effective care, including online safety
- B Inclusive school that strives to support all children irrespective of their needs to enable them to make the best possible progress and achieve well.
- C Maintenance-rolling programme of maintenance ensures that children can learn in the best possible environment
- D School Status-to further develop a strong partnership with like-minded schools
- E Stakeholder Engagement-stakeholders are fundamental in the success of the school
- F Monitor information on website to meet inspectors requirements-Regular scrutiny conforms to statutory requirements
- G Performance Management-encourages, challenges and supports teachers' and staff improvement