

Dear Parents/Carers

Our web site is a great opportunity for the school to share information with you about your children's education. We hope you find it increasingly useful.

At Niddrie Mill we pride ourselves on the very positive relationships we have built with parents and pupils. When difficult situations arise, they can usually be sorted out very effectively by working together to find solutions. Parents, pupils and staff all benefit from this secure partnership.

Presently, the school is involved in developing and implementing the new Curriculum for Excellence which will help our pupils develop as confident individuals, successful learners, effective contributors and responsible citizens.

You will all be familiar with Pupils' Personal Learning Plans where pupils plan with their teacher what they need to learn, how they will learn and what they need to do next. The school provides opportunities for parents and pupils to share their plans and encourages support from parents to fill in the 'wider achievements' page which documents pupils' successes (from tidying rooms to winning trophies) in and out of school.

We aim to equip our pupils with skills for life and develop understanding and use of our core school values; PERSEVERANCE, AMBITION, BELONGING and RESPECT. Pupils are encouraged to apply these to every aspect of their education in school and in the wider community.

Above all, we want our pupils to have quality learning experiences that are relevant , active and enjoyable and for them to discover that is worth working hard to achieve their best.

Yours sincerely,

Sadie Miller Head Teacher