

## Updated School Improvement Planning themes 2023-24 May

### How Good is Our School 4 context:

[https://education.gov.scot/improvement/documents/frameworks\\_selfevaluation/frwk2\\_nihedithgios/frwk2\\_hgios4.pdf](https://education.gov.scot/improvement/documents/frameworks_selfevaluation/frwk2_nihedithgios/frwk2_hgios4.pdf)

The 2022-23 Standards and Quality report and the 2023-24 school improvement plan is contextualised using HGIOS4 and specific Quality Indicators (Self-evaluation benchmarks):

### Leadership and Management:

- QI 1.3 Leadership of Change

### Learning Provision:

- QI 2.2 Curriculum – Theme 2, Learning Pathways
- QI 2.3 Teaching, Learning and Assessment – including the Teachers' Charter
- QI 2.7 Partnerships – Theme 3, Impact on Learners, Parental engagement only

### Successes and Achievements:

- QI 3.1 Ensuring Wellbeing, Equality, and Inclusion – including Leadership for Equity and The Promise
- QI 3.2 Raising Attainment and Achievement – including progress made on Stretch aims.

The existing School Improvement plan programme to be supplemented with the following themes over the next 3 years – these themes have come from National priorities; CEC priorities; Pupil (441), parent (189), and staff voice (surveys)

### Leadership and Management:

Parent, Pupil, staff voice in School Improvement planning **(In 1.3)**

Mentors in Violence Prevention **(In 3.1)**

Faculty Self-evaluation calendars **(In 1.3/2.3)**

School attainment checklist to be updates into the school self-evaluation calendar **(In 1.3)**

### **Learning Provision:**

St Thomas of Aquin's Learning, Teaching, and Assessment policy **(In 2.3)**

Faculty transition projects **(In 3.1)**

Faculty Equalities update – Diversity in the Curriculum **(In 3.1)**

Faculty Website pages to support parents with learning advice for S1-S6 pupils. **(In 2.3)**

Faculty S1-S3 Homestudy and use of Satchel for Parents **(In 2.3)**

Faculty reviews **(In 2.3)**

Sharing BGE Level 3 and Level 4 work on the school website **(In 2.3)**

Key Adult Class BGE Tracking conversations. **(In 2.2)**

### **Successes and Achievements:**

Termly Faculty pupil achievement boards update **(In 3.2)**

Senior Phase and BGE award ceremony updated **(In 3.2)**

Celebrate Rights Respecting School Silver award and plan for Gold **(In 3.1)**

Insight Faculty analysis HT meetings **(In 3.2)**

Health Care plans and staff training **(In 3.1)**

Promotion of Better relationships, Better learning, Better Behaviour with Parents and Pupils **(In 3.1)**

Sports and lunchtimes updates + analysis of pupil achievement analysis **(In 3.2)**

Inclusive practice CLPL **(In 3.1)**

### **Parent Council improvement themes:**

Volunteering Scotland planning + funding opportunities linked to Employability / learning experiences or employability skills pathways linked to accreditation. **(In 2.7 + support from PC)**

Parent Council support with Positive Destinations **(In 2.7)**

Health and Emotional Wellbeing

Homestudy +Family Learning

Communication of Better relationships, Better learning, Better Behaviour improvement