

If you print this newsletter out, please remember to double-side!!

Welcome to the Autumn 2009 edition of the Eco-Schools Scotland newsletter.

### In this newsletter...

One of the key elements for success in the Eco-Schools programme is the way in which it is incorporated into the everyday curricular work of a school. Our best Eco-Schools do not view their environmental work as an 'add-on'; rather, it permeates their whole ethos, and is interwoven into their day-to-day learning.

The new Curriculum for Excellence (CfE) is now being implemented in Scottish schools, and we're delighted to hear that many of our schools are already realising the wealth of mutually beneficial opportunities for delivery of the outcomes of the Four Capacities and successful execution of Eco-Schools activities.

This edition of the newsletter highlights some of the good practice that we've seen to date with regard to the links being made between the new curriculum and Eco-Schools work, and some of the ways in which other links could be made.

*Kate, Kirsten, Helen, Paul, Anne, Paula, Irene, Lesley, Patricia, and Catriona*

*The Eco-Schools Scotland Team*

### STOP PRESS!

Eco-Schools Scotland is delighted to announce that on the 4th of November 2009, Brucehill Early Education and Childcare Centre in West Dunbartonshire became the 900th Scottish school to fly the Green Flag award. Congratulations to everyone involved!

## NEW from Eco-Schools Scotland...

We're very pleased to announce the launch of our latest resource to help Scottish schools make the most of their Eco-Schools work.



Our new '[Resource Finder](#)' is designed to provide a 'library' of four key types of help, namely: classroom resources, further information, ideas for activities, and contact details for sources of advice, information, funding, and further assistance.

We've organised these materials in accordance with the eight curricular areas and six levels of the Curriculum for Excellence, as well as the nine Eco-Schools topics currently available to Scottish schools.

The Finder will be updated on a regular basis with new material, so be sure to re-visit whenever you need help with your Eco-Schools work.

Know of any good sources of help that could be added to the Resource Finder? [Get in touch](#) and tell us more...

### In this issue...

A Curriculum for Eco-Excellence Starter for Ten...	A	2
Tidying up at Turnbull HS Channelkirk PS get busy Best Practice at Buchanan NS Tong PS come up trumps Training for Sustainable Development Education		3
Up for debate at Chatelherault PS Keep it Clean! Fabulous fashion at Lochgilphead HS Porty HS goes tortilla-tastic Whitelees PS voted Scotland's Best Green School In the zone at Brucehill EECC		4
Eco-Schools at the Scottish Parliament		5
Professional recognition for Eco-Schools work Welly walks at Tinto PS		6
Eco-excellence at Lennox EECC Caught snapping		7
Latest Green Flag Awards update		8
Latest Green Flag Awards update...continued...		9
Eco-Schools Scotland statistics Eco-Schools Scotland contact details		10

## A Curriculum for Eco-Excellence

The implementation of Scotland's new Curriculum for Excellence heralds one of the most exciting developments in Scottish education for many years.

This 'joined-up' approach, with its focus on the delivery of outcomes, and emphasis on interdisciplinary learning, offers educational practitioners a real opportunity to adopt a creative approach to learning and teaching.

As many Scottish schools are finding, many of the learning outcomes and experiences available to schools through participation in the Eco-Schools programme are ideally suited to meeting the outcomes of the Four Capacities, and this newsletter highlights some of the ways in which this could be, and has already been, done.

"Personally, I feel the Eco-School experience within our school is the most effective context in which to explore the development of the Curriculum for Excellence. It simply presses all the right buttons for our kids - whether they are being responsible citizens picking up litter, successful learners making healthy soup for the first time, working together on our garden as effective contributors, or being confident individuals with a 'can do' attitude - all our eco initiatives have always hit the spot, and will often manage all four capacities in one activity."  
*Primary teacher, Fife*

## A starter for ten...

"These are fantastic resources."  
*Quality & Improvement Officer,  
Argyll & Bute*

Eco-Schools Scotland has produced a series of Outcome Maps, which aim to provide teaching staff with a *possible* framework for incorporating Eco-Schools activities into their curricular planning.

"Many thanks for this. It will be of great benefit to schools."  
*Education Officer,  
Renfrewshire*

"This is a great resource! A lot of work has gone into this and it will make our job much easier!" *Nursery  
HT, North Lanarkshire*

We've worked with experts from each of the five main curricular levels to provide an overview of how the [Seven Elements](#) of the Eco-Schools programme, and each of the [Nine Topics](#) on offer to schools in Scotland, can link into the outcomes of the new Curriculum for Excellence.

These are available in Word or PDF format, in order that teaching staff can adapt and alter them as they see fit.

"These maps are excellent. We will make reference to these in our curricular planning twilights, as well as when supporting eco-schools in the authority."  
*Staff Tutor, Angus*

Just click on the circles below to view the Outcome Map for each particular Curricular Level.

[Early](#)

[First](#)

[Second](#)

[Third](#)

[Fourth](#)

"These curriculum maps will be really helpful. We're determined to get our Green Flag this year and the curriculum maps will help us to embed the learning. We'll feed back as we use them, but my initial feeling is really positive." *Primary teacher, Aberdeen City*

## Tidying Up at Turnbull HS

Pupils at Turnbull High School in East Dunbartonshire have now been participating in the **LEAMS for Schools** initiative for several years. This programme involves pupils taking responsibility for litter control and monitoring in their immediate school environment, and in the wider local community. Pupils at Turnbull work with the local authority, as well as other local schools and organisations, to carry out regular, detailed surveys of the types of litter found, and are then responsible for coming up with solutions for tackling the problem. For more information on the LEAMS for schools initiative in East Dunbartonshire, contact [Cathy Martin](#).

## Responsible Citizens

### Channelkirk PS get busy

"At the start of our Eco Week, the eco committee at Channelkirk PS in the Borders gave each class a problem to investigate and solve, and everyone had great ideas when working things out. They made lovely pictures which have been used to make personalised shopping bags and used pineapple tins to make Christmas cakes. Our Scrapheap challenge went very well and we filmed boats 'gliding' down the burn, vehicles 'flying' across the hall floor, and the most amazing 'Trashasaurus' was built in the P1/2 classroom.

We were very glad it didn't rain during our school and village clean when we discovered we don't really have enough bins! We are really looking forward to watching our vegetables grow and even helped them out by building a bottle greenhouse. We learned a lot during the week and we all had lots of fun."

*Our thanks to Danny Hoyle, P7 Teacher for the article and photos.*



## Best Practice at Buchanan NS

Buchanan Nursery Centre in East Dunbartonshire have now been collating comprehensive folders of evidence to record, monitor and evaluate their Eco-Schools work for several years. The folders contain photographs, pictures drawn by the children, the views of staff and children on the various eco activities they have undertaken, and 'mind maps' showing the way in which eco work has been planned and reviewed by the whole school community.

They've now started to include references to the CfE Outcomes that they have achieved with each eco activity - each of the Outcomes is simply typed out and pasted into the folder against the evidence for the activity it relates to. These folders are available for all visitors to the Centre to see, and provide a wonderful overview of the way in which their Eco-Schools work is 'part and parcel' of their day-to-day curricular work.

## Successful Learners

### Tong PS come up trumps

Pupils from Tong PS on the Isle of Lewis swept the board at the Lewis and Harris Horticultural Show last at the end of August, with prizes in seven of the ten categories available. They won:

- 1st Prize for:  
Best Garden, Gladiola, A Selection of Fruit, and A Basket of Vegetables.
- 2nd prize for their cucumbers
- 3rd prize for their carrots

A painting of the school garden by one of their P7 pupils also won the Best Painting prize.

Congratulations to everyone for all their hard work!

## Want to know more about Sustainable Development Education?

**Opening the Doorway to Sustainability: An online course for educators, January - March 2010**, is the popular, and highly regarded, professional development programme from WWF-UK, which is once again being run from 11 January - 26 March 2010 by Sustainability and Environmental Education (SEEd). Using the DCSF's National Framework for Sustainable Schools as a starting point, this course offers an opportunity to explore how taking a sustainable development education approach can benefit pupils, teachers, the wider community and of course the health and wellbeing of the planet on which we all depend. Click [here](#) for more information.



## Up for debate at Chatelherault PS

Primary 3/4 Pupils at Chatelherault PS in South Lanarkshire held a debate on landfill sites. Pupils took on the roles of MPs, homeowners, landfill owners and eco warriors. Each group had to argue their case for or against landfill sites.



The conclusion was unanimous: Reduce, Reuse and Recycle to save our environment and prevent climate change!

*Our thanks to Veronica Walker, Eco-Schools Coordinator, for the article and photo.*

## Confident Individuals

### Keep it clean!

Registration is now open for [National Spring Clean 2010](#).

Last year nearly 60,000 people throughout Scotland took part in litter picks during the month of April, and you can read more about some of the activities undertaken by schools by clicking [here](#).

We're hoping that 2010 will be just as successful, and that Scottish schools will once again play a key part in helping to keep Scotland tidy! You can [register](#) now to take part in this year's campaign or, if you took part last year, [log in](#) to your account to enter your event details.



### Fabulous fashion at Lochgilphead HS

The secondary department at Lochgilphead Joint Campus in Argyll & Bute came up with an eco-project that required the co-operation of several different curricular areas when they organised a 'Trash Fashion Show'.

Pupils had to design costumes from recycled materials and old clothes, come up with a campaign to advertise the event to the local community, write and deliver a commentary, and operate the AV equipment on the night. There was a great turnout from the local community, and the whole event was filmed for posterity!

## Effective Contributors

### Porty HS goes tortilla-tastic

Portobello High School in Edinburgh devised an inter-disciplinary project for S3 with an international flavour! The 'Tortilla Project' involved several different curricular areas, with pupils being tasked to prepare a tortilla - but with a twist. They had to cost and source healthy ingredients, design sustainable packaging, and come up with a marketing campaign for their product as well. Latin American culture and language were also incorporated into the project - including salsa dancing to work off the extra calories!

## Interdisciplinary Learning

"It's the rich learning that pupils experience through involvement in initiatives such as Eco-Schools that makes a real difference."

*Secondary Head Teacher, Edinburgh City*

### Whitelees PS voted Scotland's Best Green School

Whitelees Primary in Cumbernauld, North Lanarkshire, was named Best Green School at the inaugural [Scottish Green Awards](#) in October.

Nick Horler, chief executive of ScottishPower, which sponsors the event, praised the school for its 'proactive approach in spreading the green message in its community'. Head teacher Ann Kay said: 'This is such an honour. The kids know climate change affects the poorest children in the world and they are working really hard to do something about that.'

Congratulations from everyone here at Eco-Schools Scotland on such a fantastic achievement!



### In the Zone at Brucehill EECC

Brucehill Early Education and Childcare Centre have produced a [zoned map](#) of their school grounds, to show how the different areas link with Curriculum for Excellence curricular areas. They've done the same with their indoor area too, and have colour-coded the whole thing to show how indoor and outdoor learning can complement each other.

## Eco-Schools at the Scottish Parliament

On Monday 5th October, the Scottish Parliament played host to 120 secondary school pupils from 30 schools across Scotland for a day of eco-based activities and debate. Pupils from three other schools - Bellahouston Academy in Glasgow, Inverkeithing High School in Fife, and Peebles High School from the Scottish Borders - were asked towards the end of the last academic year to play a key role in planning and organising the day, and they did a sterling job.

The pupils from Inverkeithing HS were in charge of the administrative side of things (see inset box for details), Peebles HS' pupils were in charge of planning and organising the morning's activities; which comprised two information sessions; one delivered by Eco-Schools Scotland's very own Paul Cortopassi, and the other by representatives of the Transition Town Peebles organisation. There then followed a 'Question Time'-style debate in the main Parliamentary Chamber, where all 120 pupils had the opportunity to pose questions to a panel of pupils and Eco-Schools Scotland staff. Some very interesting questions were raised, and everyone agreed that the debate could have gone on for far longer than the time allotted to it, as pupils took the opportunity to pose supplementary questions and share their opinions on a wide variety of Eco-Schools topics.

Time for a well-earned lunch, and an opportunity to browse the 'Marketplace' - a variety of stalls manned by representatives from a range of environmental and educational organisations. Again organised by the pupils of Inverkeithing HS, this gave pupils and teachers the chance to find out more about resources and opportunities with an environmental theme.

The afternoon posed some logistical challenges, but the team of pupils from Bellahouston Academy coped admirably. They planned and organised three different workshops - and each of the 120 pupils had the chance to participate in all of them.

It was then back to the main Parliamentary Chamber for the closing remarks of the day, given by a pupil from Inverkeithing HS, and for a vote of thanks to everyone from Kate Campbell, Eco-Schools Scotland Manager.

The event was a resounding success, and Eco-Schools Scotland would like to express our thanks once again to everyone who took part, but particularly to the pupils and staff from Bellahouston, Inverkeithing, and Peebles - the success of the day was largely down to your hard work, creativity, and commitment!

To read more - and view the day's events - click [here](#)..

The day in the Scottish Parliament was an unforgettable experience. Not only were we extremely honoured to be invited to run the workshops during the afternoon, but we also found the morning sessions very educational. The amount of work that all three schools put into the conference was clear to see as it ran smoothly throughout the day. The excitement of being in the Scottish Parliament added to the atmosphere on the day. We all learned something new and got to meet people from all over Scotland. We were all very impressed by the interest the event generated, and hope that it will help to make sure that 'green issues', such as climate change, will be a top priority to be tackled both in Scottish schools and their local communities.

Overall, we felt that all the schools present gained a great deal of information about becoming / sustaining / their Green Flag status. We are hopeful that we will see more Eco-Schools flags flying in secondary schools, and that we are all promoting a healthier, safer, and greener Scotland.

*Our thanks to Lisa Albarracin and the pupils from Bellahouston Academy for the above.*

Inverkeithing High School (IHS) was one of the three organising schools for the Secondary Eco-Schools Conference at the Scottish Parliament. As part of this role, we designed and sent out invitations to schools and organised a lunchtime activity. This took the form of a 'Marketplace', where pupils and teachers had the opportunity to converse with experts from various environmental organisations. On the day itself, we were involved in the registration of attendees, and filmed interviews with pupils giving their opinion on the day's activities. Samantha Drummond from Inverkeithing made the opening speech to over 120 pupils and 30 teachers, and Calum Langdale gave the summary at the close of the conference. Sacha Corby was part of a panel that answered questions in the Parliamentary Chamber.

The pupils from IHS agreed that although the preparation was hard work, they had fun on the day - as well as a few nerves!

*Our thanks to Lesley Gordon and the pupils of Inverkeithing High School for the above.*

## Professional Recognition for Eco-Schools work

It's not just pupils who can be effective contributors! At an event at the Scottish Parliament on September 15th, hosted by Sarah Boyack MSP, the GTC Scotland [celebrated the contribution](#) made by 18 teachers to developing projects which focus on sustainable development education, including the achievement of Eco-Schools Green Flag status. Our congratulations to all of the teachers concerned!



*The teachers receiving their awards.*

Interested in having your efforts recognised? Click [here](#) to find out more...

### Professional Recognition in Sustainable Development Education...A Teacher's Perspective.

'My interest in 'eco work' was sparked by the growing concerns around the state of our planet and the role we were playing in causing these numerous environmental problems. Towerbank PS is the first primary school in Edinburgh to have achieved 3 Green Flags, and this is down to the hard work and support of all children, staff, parents and the wider community. Apart from the valuable messages that everyone, adults included, learn from being an Eco-School, I find it one of the most effective ways of enabling the school community to work as a team and celebrate the work we do. It has given Towerbank a real sense of pride, and many initiatives are pupil-led. I have found that developing sub-committees within our eco-committee, to take forward various eco action points, has allowed us to address the workload issues. Engaging support from other interested individuals and groups has been the key to enabling Eco-Schools work to permeate into the curriculum, and we have found that it really lends itself to the Curriculum for Excellence framework. We have recently become the first primary school in Edinburgh to become a Fairtrade school and this was as a result of the enthusiasm children had shown in this particular area following an assembly talk from a visiting speaker.

I am very proud of my award, but it really is the achievement of the whole school. It is our responsibility as teachers (and parents) to ensure our future generations are equipped to address and rectify the errors caused due to ignorance and lack of education in previous generations.

*Kirsty Rosie, Towerbank PS, Edinburgh City*

## Welly Walks at Tinto PS

***"We particularly enjoyed looking through the Welly Walk display created by P2. This was an excellent example of pupils recording a wide variety of eco-related activities in an imaginative and memorable manner"*** (Eco-Schools Scotland assessors, 2009)

"Primary 2 pupils at Tinto PS in South Lanarkshire have been enjoying Welly Walks on Wednesdays - whatever the weather! Welly Walks are ideal for developing outdoor learning in a meaningful way and in a local context with younger pupils; delivering the values, principles and purposes of Curriculum for Excellence and helping to meet the criteria for Eco-Schools awards.

Learning experiences for the walks were planned and progressive, and meaningful links were made to most areas of the curriculum. In *maths* children looked for numbers and shapes in the environment, and had a 'measuring walk' using non-standard units. Use of adjectives and adverbs were encouraged and a list developed and displayed in the classroom to help with *reporting*. *Science* topics included observing living/non-living things, flower identification, bird spotting, use of materials, seasonal changes and collecting different stems and leaves, later used for weaving in *art*. *Health* was an obvious focus; exercise, fresh air, our feelings. Safety was also taught; road safety, environmental safety, understanding and reading signs that help us. All walks developed *observational and listening skills*, using the outdoors as a stimulating and ever-changing resource. By the end of the year, pupils were using their knowledge from previous walks to point out things of interest. As the children became familiar with their local environment they became involved in planning their Welly Walks, and contexts reflected pupil interests and development. As part of the 'Senses' topic, they suggested walks for each of the senses, which also lead to discussions about the best route for each walk. The route for the 'touching/feeling' walk was by the fences and stone walls and into the wooded area to feel the bark on the trees; whilst the 'listening' walk was along the main road and passed the building site - lots of noises there!

Feedback from pupils and parents was extremely positive. Pupils are now beginning to show ownership of their local environment and developing valuable citizenship skills. We will definitely continue Welly Walks on Wednesdays!"

*Our thanks to Janis Sinclair at Tinto PS for the article and photo.*



## Eco-Excellence at Lennox Early Education and Childcare Centre

Lennox EECC in West Dunbartonshire recently gained their First Green Flag award, and have been identifying the links between their Eco-Schools work and the Curriculum for Excellence. Trudy Kennedy, Head of Centre, tells us more...

'We registered to become an Eco-School in February 2008, and in August 2009, we became the first nursery establishment in West Dunbartonshire to gain the Green Flag. Our eco work began at the time we were introducing the Curriculum for Excellence principles into our practice. Our Eco Committee decided to take forward four Eco-Schools topics, namely; School Grounds; Health & Wellbeing, Litter, and Waste Minimisation. The work that has been carried out was integral to our curricular planning, and was an excellent tool to help us meet the new learning outcomes.

Our eco-work involved liaising with a number of people within our local community, and we were supported in re-vamping our outdoor area to make it a truly unique learning experience for children. The children were highly motivated and thoroughly engaged in their learning whilst constructing new areas. They began to feel a sense of pride and achievement as they saw their ideas being constructed in their garden area.

The learning in science was remarkable and children were able to develop curiosity and understanding of their environment and their place in the living world. Children took on investigative work and were able to make decisions and solve problems. From this, we were then able to identify and develop learning zones within our outdoor environment, and evaluate the learning on a daily basis.

This has ensured that we provide a challenging, exciting and motivating curriculum, both indoors and outdoors.

*Our thanks to Trudy for the above article and photo.*



*A well-deserved celebration!*

"I feel that the learning process that has gone with the journey to the Green Flag has been extremely evident and I feel that this has enabled our children to become Effective Contributors, Responsible Citizens, Successful Learners and Confident Individuals."

"Having just been awarded our Second Green Flag, I'd like to encourage any school which has not yet become involved in the Eco-Schools initiative to think very seriously about doing so. I can think of no other initiative which better encompasses all the requirements of a Curriculum for Excellence. Over the past years I have watched the pupils, teachers, and parents at my school take on board a diverse range of eco activities - and all of this within an inner-city school with a large roll and a small playground. Such work has not only produced successful learners, but also pupils confident enough to share their knowledge and ideas with anyone from Directors of Education to MSPs. Our pupils will, I am quite certain, continue, as citizens of the twenty-first century, to contribute effectively to the care and repair of our planet." *Primary Head Teacher, Edinburgh City*

## Caught snapping...

Know any budding young Scottish photographers?

Keep Scotland Beautiful (KSB) invites you to get snapping for the [Rotary Young Photographer Competition 2010](#). The Rotary and KSB are working together to make this the best environmentally-themed photographic competition for young people in Scotland, with some outstanding prizes.

The theme, '**Are we waste aware?**' allows a broad interpretation, so judges will be looking for imagination and style, as well as technical merit, content and composition.

Click [here](#) to find out more. The closing date for entries is **Thursday 01 April 2010**.

Good luck!



**First Green Flags awarded...**

School	Local Authority	Date	School	Local Authority	Date
ABC Nursery	Clackmannanshire	20/08/09	Kyleakin PS	Highland	03/11/09
Antonine PS	Falkirk	03/11/09	Ladyton PS	West Dunbartonshire	05/11/09
Auchterellon PS	Aberdeenshire	31/08/09	Lennox EE & CC	West Dunbartonshire	26/08/09
Auchterhouse PS	Angus	08/09/09	Lochgelly Sunflower NS	Fife	27/10/09
Badden Farm NS	Argyll & Bute	10/09/09	Lochgilphead Joint Campus	Argyll & Bute	13/10/09
Ballachulish PS	Highland	07/07/09	Menzieshill NS	Dundee	03/09/09
Balornock PS	Glasgow	22/09/09	Newhills School	Glasgow	05/10/09
Bathgate West NS	West Lothian	06/10/09	Newtonhill PS	Aberdeenshire	23/06/09
Bothwell Montessori NS	South Lanarkshire	15/07/09	Overton PS	Inverclyde	17/09/09
Brisbane PS	North Ayrshire	03/11/09	Park PS	Clackmannanshire	28/10/09
Brucehill EE & CC	West Dunbartonshire	03/11/09	Perth College NS	Perth & Kinross	29/07/09
Clentry NS	Fife	16/09/09	Port William Primary School	Dumfries & Galloway	23/06/09
Craigneuk NC	North Lanarkshire	21/09/09	Riverside Childcare	East Dunbartonshire	25/08/09
Croftcroighn School	Glasgow	06/10/09	Sacred Heart Primary School	Falkirk	29/10/09
Croy PS	Highland	04/11/09	Sandaig Nursery School	Glasgow	01/09/09
Cults Academy	Aberdeen City	30/09/09	Sanderson's Wynd PS	East Lothian	29/09/09
Dunearn PS	Fife	04/11/09	South Parks PS	Fife	14/09/09
Dunnottar PS	Aberdeenshire	08/10/09	St Aloysius PS & Honeywell Nursery Class	North Lanarkshire	07/10/09
Gracemount PS	Edinburgh	04/11/09	St Andrew's PS	East Dunbartonshire	24/06/09
Greyfriars RC PS	Fife	27/08/09	St Andrew's PS	Argyll & Bute	04/11/09
Gylemuir PS	Edinburgh	03/11/09	St Catherine's RC PS	Edinburgh	06/10/09
Hollandbush NS	South Lanarkshire	24/08/09	St John's PS	North Ayrshire	08/10/09
Hunter PS	South Lanarkshire	23/09/09	St Luke's PS	North Ayrshire	20/10/09
Invergarry PS	Highland	09/09/09	St Margaret's RC PS	Stirling	03/09/09
Iochdar School	Western Isles	29/09/09	St Mary's PS	West Lothian	09/09/09
Kenmore PS	Perth & Kinross	01/09/09	St Teresa's PS	North Lanarkshire	26/10/09
Killin PS	Stirling	21/09/09	Stonedryke PS	Glasgow	28/10/09
Kilmaurs PS	East Ayrshire	21/10/09	Tanshall PS	Fife	24/06/09
Kirkhill PS	East Renfrewshire	23/06/09	Tayvallich PS	Argyll & Bute	30/10/09
Kirkmichael PS	Perth & Kinross	28/08/09	Wallace PS	Renfrewshire	22/06/09
Knightswood PS	Glasgow	15/09/09	Williamsburgh PS	Renfrewshire	15/09/09

**In our next newsletter...**

The Winter edition of the Eco-Schools Scotland newsletter will have a focus on Eco-Schools across the world.

With 47 countries now participating in the Eco-Schools programme, there's a wealth of ideas and best practice out there! As always, we'll be featuring news and article from Scottish schools too, so if you've got a story for

us, send it to [Kirsten](#) by **Friday 11th December**.

<b>Second Green Flags awarded...</b>					
School	Local Authority	Date	School	Local Authority	Date
Ardchattan PS	Argyll & Bute	22/06/09	Newmains PS	Renfrewshire	16/09/09
Balfron HS	Stirling	25/08/09	Parkhill PS	Fife	23/06/09
Bannockburn PS	Stirling	07/10/09	Pitreavie PS	Fife	29/06/09
Braehead PS	South Ayrshire	22/10/09	Rhu PS	Argyll & Bute	27/10/09
Buchanan NS	East Dunbartonshire	28/10/09	Rochsolloch PS & Nursery	North Lanarkshire	30/09/09
Clober PS	East Dunbartonshire	22/06/09	Scalloway Junior HS	Shetland	16/09/09
Danestone PS	Aberdeen City	22/06/09	St Bride's RC PS	Fife	25/06/09
Dean Park PS	Edinburgh	31/08/09	St Bridget's PS	Glasgow	02/11/09
Denbeath PS	Fife	26/06/09	St Monans PS	Fife	24/06/09
Dunrossness PS	Shetland	05/10/09	St Serf's PS	Fife	27/10/09
Furnace PS	Argyll & Bute	09/09/09	Stratherrick PS	Highland	09/09/09
Garrowhill PS	Glasgow	23/06/09	Swinton PS	Glasgow	08/10/09
Hillhead PS	Highland	25/06/09	Thornton PS	Fife	26/06/09
King Edward School	Aberdeenshire	29/06/09	Townhead PS and Nursery	North Lanarkshire	21/10/09
Maryburgh PS	Highland	17/09/09	Whiteness PS	Shetland	02/07/09
Mount Vernon PS	Glasgow	03/09/09			

<b>Third Green Flags awarded...</b>					
School	Local Authority	Date	School	Local Authority	Date
Achaleven PS	Argyll & Bute	08/09/09	Old Rayne PS	Aberdeenshire	18/09/09
Callander NS	Stirling	22/06/09	Peel PS	West Lothian	07/09/09
Dunbeth NC	North Lanarkshire	16/07/09	Port Ellen PS	Argyll & Bute	28/10/09
Dunbog PS	Fife	08/10/09	Seafield PS	West Lothian	10/09/09
Glengarnock PS	North Ayrshire	08/10/09	Shawhead NC	North Lanarkshire	28/08/09
Holytown PS	North Lanarkshire	24/06/09	St Fergus PS	Renfrewshire	25/08/09
Kaimes School	Edinburgh City	25/09/09			

<b>Fourth Green Flags awarded...</b>					
School	Local Authority	Date	School	Local Authority	Date
Bankier Primary School	Falkirk	22/06/09	Orbiston Nursery School	North Lanarkshire	02/10/09
Mount Cameron Primary School (and Gaelic Unit)	South Lanarkshire	22/10/09	Portobello High School	Edinburgh	28/09/09
Newfield Primary School	South Lanarkshire	22/09/09			



All figures correct at 05 Nov 2009	Current number of registrations	3,435
	Total Bronze awards	2,166
	Total Silver awards	1,742
	Total 1st Green Flag awards	908
	Total 2nd Green Flag awards	383
	Total 3rd Green Flag awards	119
	Permanent Eco-Schools	27
	Eco Centres (with GF status)	5

*NB Totals are not cumulative. The number of 1st Green Flag awards is the total number of schools in Scotland who have been awarded Green Flag status.*

### Eco-Schools Scotland team members:

Manager	Kate Campbell	<a href="mailto:kate.campbell@ksbscotland.org.uk">kate.campbell@ksbscotland.org.uk</a>
Senior Officer	Kirsten Leask	<a href="mailto:kirsten.leask@ksbscotland.org.uk">kirsten.leask@ksbscotland.org.uk</a>
Training & Development Officer	Helen MacKiven	<a href="mailto:helen.mackiven@ksbscotland.org.uk">helen.mackiven@ksbscotland.org.uk</a>
Administrator	Irene Steel	<a href="mailto:irene.steel@ksbscotland.org.uk">irene.steel@ksbscotland.org.uk</a>
Administrator	Patricia McGuigan	<a href="mailto:patricia.mcquigan@ksbscotland.org.uk">patricia.mcquigan@ksbscotland.org.uk</a>
Administrator	Catriona Rae	<a href="mailto:catriona.rae@ksbscotland.org.uk">catriona.rae@ksbscotland.org.uk</a>
Secondary Schools Development Officer	Paul Cortopassi	<a href="mailto:paul.cortopassi@ksbscotland.org.uk">paul.cortopassi@ksbscotland.org.uk</a>
Assessment Officer (East)	Anne Black	<a href="mailto:anne.black@ksbscotland.org.uk">anne.black@ksbscotland.org.uk</a>
Assessment Officer (West)	Paula Love	<a href="mailto:paula.love@ksbscotland.org.uk">paula.love@ksbscotland.org.uk</a>
Assessment Officer (North)	Lesley Weston	<a href="mailto:lesley.weston@ksbscotland.org.uk">lesley.weston@ksbscotland.org.uk</a>

[www.ecoschoolsscotland.org](http://www.ecoschoolsscotland.org)

*Eco-Schools is run in Scotland by Keep Scotland Beautiful and is supported by the Scottish Government.*

