Glenbrook Nursery School

Inspection Summary Report - October 2024

- Glenbrook Nursery School is committed to the personal, social, emotional and educational development of each child, and to living out their motto Together we learn, together we play.
- The rigorous and honest self-evaluation process is informed by the views of the whole school community and identifies appropriate priorities for improvement and staff professional learning. It is now timely to simplify the action planning process to identify more specific and manageable targets.
- The staff have intentionally planned for and created a stimulating and enabling learning environment which includes a range of authentic and natural resources. This planning supports well the children's holistic development and progression in learning across all six areas of the pre-school curriculum.
- The individual needs of the children are identified, monitored closely and met through a range of effective partnerships, a robust process of observation and assessment, and skilful interactions of staff.
- Almost all of the children are developing very well their curiosity, independence and social skills as they engage actively in purposeful and sustained high-quality play.
- At the time of the inspection, the evidence provided by the nursery school demonstrates that the arrangements for child protection align to the current statutory guidance.

Area for consideration:

to simplify the action planning process to identify more specific and manageable targets.

Going forward

- All staff and governors at Glenbrook Nursery School are committed to the personal, social, emotional and educational development of each child, and to living out their motto Together we learn, together we play. The vision is lived out daily through: the nurturing relationships at all levels; the honest and rigorous process of selfevaluation; the programme of learning opportunities for staff and parents; and the well-resourced, stimulating and enabling learning environment.
- ETI will continue to work with Glenbrook Nursery School, including to share examples of highly effective practice from which others may learn. The aspect of practice which should be shared more widely is:
 - the creation of an enabling, inclusive learning environment which promotes the development of the children's independence, curiosity and creativity.



