

Impact Statement

Mid-point review of impact to date:

April 2018



Collaboration

Project / Intervention

Collaboration Action Plan overriding objective of the formal collaboration is to improve pupil outcomes

Issues and challenges

 Time constraints on members of the governing boards to attend meetings or school events

Desired outcomes: (full details as per Action Plan)

- Teaching and learning outcomes are enhanced
- To support each schools evidence building and continuous improvement.
- Assessment judgements are verified and are consistent, comparable and fair.
- Pupils can contribute in school decision making
- Highlighted groups (e.g. Pupil Premium, boys) are a focus for effective planning of provision
- Partnerships between the two school communities is enhanced
- Leadership and management, including governors, have opportunities to drive forward school improvement by learning and supporting one another

What we did and impact to date

Safeguarding:

- Collaboration action plan updated to include GDPR compliance arrangements.
- Safeguarding Governors have corresponded regarding Safeguarding compliance checklist and monitoring arrangements.
- 'Safeguarding for staff' A4 flyer shared throughout the collaboration.

Teaching and Learning:

- Collaboration action plan updated to include HT review of how assessments are collated and shared to a wider audience.
- Teaching and learning discussed and strategies shared by HT at regular collaboration meetings.
- Sports and PE funding reports shared and compared.
- Improving teacher systems shared.

Staff:

- Collaboration action plan updated to include joint staff meetings.
- Regular correspondence between EYFS leads.
- Assessment leads met during assessment network set up by Banks Road.
- Maths and English leads correspondence arrangements in place.

CPD:

- Maths lead sharing training throughout correspondence.
- Staff meeting for Summer term organised to ensure Coordinators have opportunity to meet and address any actions.
- Joint GDPR staff meeting for staff and Governors organised for Summer term.
- Joint EAL staff meeting led by LA organised for Summer term.

Moderation and Assessment:

- Moderation across EYFS organised for the Summer term to verify end-of-year judgements.
- KS1 writing moderation organised for the Summer term to incorporate 'comparative judgements' new system of moderating as set out at LA assessment conference.

School Council:

- The whole school council have attended each others' schools, reviewing similarities and differences and compiling report.
- School council report shared within each school community.
- School parliament attended by both Banks Road and William Lilley at William Lilley in Spring term.
- Summer competitive sports event organised.

Pupil Premium:

- Banks Road shared Case studies for Pupil Premium children with William Lilley.
- Date for Pupil Premium leads organised for Summer term.

Parents:

- JCC minutes on display in school foyers and websites.
- Newsletters updated with Collaborative activities.
- Impact statement renewed and shared.

Governors:

- Chair of Banks Road attended Full Governors meeting at William Lilley on 23.1.18.
- Chair of Governors corresponded regarding collaboration agreement.
- JCC meeting to review impact of collaboration agreement in Spring term attended.

Combined SIP priorities

Headteachers have organised meeting to review joint priorities and plan for 2018/19.

What we leant

- Headteachers are finding the sharing of good practice invaluable in driving improvement throughout the school.
- Implementation of new arrangements for GDPR are greatly supported through collaboration including;
 - Staff training
 - Governor training
 - Peer reviews
- Planning sharing opportunities to be collated on collaboration yearly overview ie – safeguarding audit, moderation etc.
- Increased joint CPD opportunities presented throughout the year – these are shared by HT at the beginning of the term.
- Some subject leaders have developed their professional working relationships as such they are a professional support when implementing new national and local initiatives.
- Children have a greater awareness of each others' schools and the similarities and differences between the two after schoolto-school visit afternoons.
- Governors are supported by the collaboration arrangements with professional support in place to guide and offer suggestions to their role.
- WL Governor monitoring arrangements have been amended following lessons learned and suggestions from BR.

Next Steps

- Create annual collaboration plan to include opportunities for sharing good practice.
- Joint staff meeting
- Subject leaders to create reports prior to and after joint staff meeting to share impact of work completed.
- Informal learning walks to take place by HTs at both schools
- Strategies for Governors to make management sharing and reviewing collaboration roles to be considered.
- GDPR review to take place.
- GDPR joint training session for staff and Governors 25.4.18
- Joint Local Authority led EAL staff meeting organised, allowing schools to share costs.
- Assessment reporting and analysis arrangements to be shared and compared.
- EYFS moderation to take place prior to end-of-year data submission.
- KS1 writing comparative judgements to take place prior to end-of-year data submission.
- School-to-school competitive sports event to take place for Y1 pupils on 23rd July.
- Pupil Premium lead teachers to meet at BR
 - Look at Action Plans
 - Share Case Studies
 - Plan to carry out audit of PP provision in Spring term
- WL governor training lead to contact training lead governor from BR
- WL governor to attend BR full Governing board meeting.

Quotes here (stakeholders)

• See minutes of JCC meetings for governor input