

Dunoon Primary School
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Dear Staff, Pupils and Parents.

Eco-Schools Scotland – Eco-Schools Green Flag Award status

I am delighted to confirm that your school has successfully renewed Eco-Schools Green Flag Award status. This is an outstanding achievement, so please pass on our congratulations to everyone involved.

Interim Assessment Report

Well done to all at Dunoon Primary for a great whole-school effort in renewing your Green Flag status, during which you monitored progress well and shared your successes with the wider community via the school blog and newsletter. I was most impressed by your community litter picking activities and especially your sterling work to clean and adopt Westbay Beach, giving a great example to your neighbours of your commitment to keeping the local environment tidy and welcoming. Clearly, Eco is thoroughly integrated into the curriculum and calendar via your focus on Outdoor Learning, your participation in the Beach School initiative and John Muir Award, and events such as Active Health Week. You have also taken pupil learning outwith the campus on your visits to Benmore Outdoor Centre and through your gardening work at the local nursing home, and have engaged the support of useful partners like the GRAB and Robertson Trusts and the Marine Conservation Society. Fantastic work, everyone.

Next Steps

Please continue your next Eco-Schools two year renewal as before by choosing new topics and creating new Action Plans, prior to a launch of a refreshed Eco-Schools Scotland process in 2017.

To prepare for this and receive the most up to date information please sign up to our monthly bulletin [here](#)

Explore the UN Sustainable Development Goals as a staff team and, then, as a whole school. More information [here](#)

Discover how St. Eunan's Primary School – Learning for Sustainability Scottish Education Awards 2016 Winners - explored the UN Sustainable Development Goals [here](#)

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the Education and Learning team at Keep Scotland Beautiful on 01786 468234 or e-mail them at ecoschools@keepscotlandbeautiful.org

A Certificate and your Eco-Schools Green Flag will be dispatched to you soon.

For details of how to hang your Eco-Schools Green Flag when it arrives please refer to our How to Sheet [here](#)

We suggest that you write to your local MSP and the local press to make them aware of your achievement. We will inform the local authority education department about your success.

Congratulations once again and we wish you every success in your continuing Eco-Schools work.

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