

Plant, Grow, Blossom!



Our Vision...

...is to develop confident, independent children who have a thirst for learning, are not afraid to take risks and are reflective as we believe these are the tools which will prepare them for life-long learning and success.

Pupils will be able to...

- Be self-motivated and focussed to remain on task and succeed
- Use constructive feedback or self-reflection to focus improvements to their work
- Become an 'expert' and take the lead at times
- Follow their own interests and drive their learning forward
- Identify opportunities where they can apply previous learning to another task, see links between their learning
- Talk purposefully about their achievements with pride

Branch out and Blossom



Challenge and Pride at Newtown Soberton Infant school is:

- Having a thirst for learning and seeking challenges to improve understanding
- Paying attention to detail, having pride in ourselves and our work
- Being curious, wanting to know more
- Taking learning beyond the lesson
- Wanting to share your new learning and knowledge with others, becoming an 'expert'
- Staying focussed on the task in hand
- Acknowledging achievement
- Wanting to succeed or improve

Staff will...

- Provide inspiring, motivational topics and stimuli for learning which encourage curiosity
- Value and celebrate individual achievement and ensure that children can articulate their achievements
- Teach the children how to 'delve deeper' through questioning and 'thinking outside the box'
- Employ a variety of methods to share success with parents and carers
- Ensure that there are opportunities to follow the children's interests where appropriate

Parents can support this by...

- Valuing opportunities to share success
- Sharing 'wow moments' and talents by their child outside of school with staff
- Promoting learning at home, supporting homework and topics
- Attending workshops offered by school to provide information on how to support your child's learning