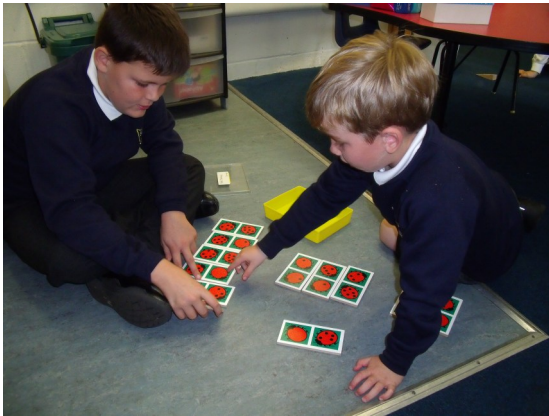


WHAT IS IT?

Getting It Right For Every Child (GIRFEC) is the Scottish Government's drive to improve outcomes for all children.

The aim is that all children in Scotland are given every opportunity to develop to their full potential to become confident, responsible and productive members of society.



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At

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BUDDIES

Welcome to Gourock Primary

Every Primary one child coming to **Gourock primary** has opportunities throughout the year to visit the school.

Buddies are assigned to each pre-school child in the Summer term, and a pre-school visit is arranged.

This is the beginning of a friendship which continues for the first year of the child's life in **Gourock primary**.

For the first term these P7 Buddies stay in the playground with the new pupils and help them to settle into the new school routine. They help them to make new friends in the playground and support them in the lunch hall to develop the self-confidence to choose and collect their own food.

They also come along to the classroom to support the primary one pupils with their learning.



"I remember my buddy when I was in Primary One. He is now Head Boy at Clydeview Academy!" Scott P7

"Every time I see my buddy I just smile!" Robyn P7



All children in Scotland should be:

Confident Individuals
Effective Contributors
Successful Learners
Responsible Citizens

To achieve this, every child and young person needs to be:

SAFE
HEALTHY
ACHIEVING
NURTURED
ACTIVE
RESPONSIBLE
RESPECTED
INCLUDED