



Green Schools Action Plan 2021-23

Aims:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Reduce car journeys to school ● Increase awareness of sustainable travel ● Improve road safety awareness
Targets:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● We will work to improve an increase of 10 % in the number of children walking and cycling to school by the end of year 1 ● We will work to improve an increase of 20 % in the number of children walking and cycling to school by the end of year 2

Action / Target	Person / Group Responsible	Timeframe	Progress Made
Formation of Green Schools Committee	Mr Ormsby / Ms O Hora	September 2021	
Competition to develop Green Code	Green Schools Committee	October 2021	
Poster slogan for green code	Green Schools committee	November 2021	
Traffic Survey	Green Schools Committee / Mr Ormsby / Lukasz Krzywon - Green Schools Travel Officer	December 2021	
Curriculum Work	Mr Ormsby / Ms O Hora	Ongoing throughout 21/22	
Mapping and Walkability Audit around Clogher	Whole School / Lukasz Krzywon	February 2022	
Incredible Edibles programme	Ms O Hora and Junior Room / Mr Ormsby and Senior Room	February - June 2022	
Poster / Colouring competition (Create your	Green Schools committee for whole school	March 2022	

own bike)			
National Scoot to school week	Whole school	March 7th - 11th 2022	
National Spring Clean Campaign	Whole School / Clogher Environmental Group	April 2022	
Planting school garden / vegetable plot	Whole School	May 2022	
National Bike Week	Mr Ormsby / Whole School	May 14th - 22nd 2022	
Day of Action -	Green Schools Committee / Whole school	June 2022	
Clogher walks - undertake walks in our locality	Whole School	June 2022	
Travel survey / Promotion of Cow and Wow Days	Green Schools committee	June 2022	
Presentation talk to the Whole school / New committee members	Green Schools Committee	September 2022	
National Walk to school week	Whole school	19th - 23rd September 2022	
Walk to school colouring competition	Green Schools committee Junior Room	September 2022	
Litter and Waste Audit	Green Schools Committee / Senior Room	October 2022	
Poster Competition - How can we reduce plastic use	Whole School	October 2022	
Road Safety Awareness Campaign	Whole School	November 2022	
Energy Audit	Green Schools Committee	December 2022	
Biodiversity Survey	Green Schools Committee	December 2022	
Water Survey	Green Schools	December	

	Committee	2022	
Art projects	Whole School	January 2023	
No Idling campaign	Green Schools Committee / whole school	Feb / Mar 2023	
Picker Pals campaign	Whole School	Mar 2023	
National Water Day activities	Whole School / Lough Carra GWS	Mar 2023	
Day of Action -	Whole School / Mr Ormsby / Castlebar Cycling Club	April 2023	
Project work -	Senior Room / 1st and 2nd Class	March 2023	
Repeat Travel Awareness Survey	Whole School	March 2023	
Woodies Budding Gardeners project	Senior Room	Mar / Apr 2023	
Poetry Competition	Senior Room	April 2023	
National Spring Clean Campaign	Whole School / Clogher Community Environmental Group	April 2023	
COW and WOW Campaign	Whole School	Summer term 2023	
Planting Vegetable plot / Wildflower garden	Whole School	Summer term 2023	
Clogher walks	Whole School	June 2023	

Suggested Activities for Day of Action and / or during the year

- Cycle Training
- Car Free Day / Car Free Zone
- Healthy breakfast at school
- Table Quiz
- Make a video
- Bling your bike / your shoe
- Invite a guest speaker - Garda, professional cyclist, Electric car supplier!
- Pothole project or adopt a road campaign
- Project - Design a car of the future
- Go on a historic walk of your local area
- Go on a train ride!
- Dr Bike session - any bikes in need of repair
- Carbon foot printing - how much carbon does the average school journey generate
- Projects on climate change and transport
- Projects on the history of transport