

Broomhill School - Vision Values and Aims

April 2017

Where are we now?

Early in 2017 we worked together with pupils, parents and staff to establish our vision, values and aims for Broomhill School. We asked the question "What makes an Excellent School" and everyone gave their opinions and thoughts. The strongest themes to come from the work that we undertook were:

- Leadership
- Communication
- Embracing Change
- Forward Thinking
- Teamwork
- Positivity
- Support for all
- Raising standards
- Shared values
- Positive Change built on strong foundations

The pupils were all heavily involved in this work and representatives from each class worked to bring the vision together in the form of a school song. The words of this song, from the voices of our pupils, based on a collaboration of ideas from parents, pupils and staff, we feel really sums up our aspirational vision and the values we believe in at Broomhill.

***Never giving up,
Always aiming high.
Broomhill gives us the
Freedom to fly!
Onwards and upwards
Striving for success.
We can work together,
And always do our best!***

***Always changing, always
growing,
Learning every day.
Overcoming challenges,
We'll do it the Broomhill way.
We can create the future
together,
Making working fun.***



***We will work as a team,
To make us number one!***

***Be unique, yes we can!
Stand out from the crowd.
Making Broomhill brilliant,
Making Broomhill proud!
Look towards your future
Don't be afraid to dream,
School will help you on your
way,
It's not as hard as it seems.***

***One team, one dream,
Working towards one goal.
Making Broomhill brilliant
Never aiming low.***

Our pupils' words also "sing out" the vision for Scotland's Children, ensuring that Broomhill School will raise attainment through Excellence in teaching and learning within our Curriculum for Excellence, allowing them to develop the range of skills, qualifications and achievements to allow them to succeed, creating the future together, becoming Successful, Confident, Responsible and Effective.

Making Broomhill Brilliant means that we will ensure every child has the same equitable opportunity to succeed regardless of their circumstances or additional needs. We will Get It Right for Every Child by ensuring that they are Safe, Healthy, Achieving, Nurtured, Active, Responsible, Respected and Included.

Update: In August 2019 we revisited our Vision with staff and pupils and focused on the phrase "one team, one dream" and looked at what this means for us at Broomhill. Here are our thoughts!

