Green Pencil Award 2024

Curriculum for Excellence links – Edinburgh 900

Literacy – Creating Texts

First and second level – I enjoy creating texts of my choice and I regularly select subject, purpose, format and resources to suit the needs of my audience.

English – Creating Texts

First level – having explored the elements which writers use in different genres, I can use what I learn to create my own stories, poems and plays with interesting structures, characters and/or settings.

Second level – having explored the elements which writers use in different genres, I can use what I learn to create stories, poems and plays with an interesting and appropriate structure, interesting characters and/or settings which come to life.

Third level – having explored the elements which writers use, I can create texts in different genres by integrating the conventions of my chosen genre successfully and/or using convincing and appropriate structures and/or creating interesting and convincing characters and/or building convincing settings which come to life.

Sciences – Planet Earth

First level – I can distinguish between living and non-living things. I can sort living things into groups and explain my decisions. SCN1-01a

Second level – I can identify and classify examples of living things, past and present, to help me appreciate their diversity. I can relate physical and behavioural characteristics to their survival or extinction. SCN 201a Social Sciences – People, Place and Environment

First level – I can consider ways of looking after my school or community and can encourage others to care for their environment. SOC 1-08a

Second level – I can discuss the environmental impact of human activity and suggest ways in which we can live in a more environmentally responsible way. SOC 2-08a

Third level – I can identify the possible consequences of an environmental issue and make informed suggestions about ways to manage the impact. SOC 3-08a

Suggested styles of writing

Poetry – haiku, acrostics, metaphor poems, shape poems

Prose – short stories or imaginative tales of any genre

The choice is yours!