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Gairloch High School Associated School Group Overview

Report by Director of Education, Culture and Sport Service

Summary

This report provides an update of key information in relation to the schools within the Gairloch High School Associated School Group (ASG), and provides useful updated links to further information in relation to these schools.

1.0 ASG PROFILE

Gairloch Primary and Poolewe Primary Schools have a Cluster Head Teacher. Bualnaluib, Kinlochewe and Shieldaig Primary Schools have a Head Teacher in each school. Head Teachers are in receipt of support through the Quality Improvement Officer and the Area Office. The primary schools in this area serve over 150 pupils, with the secondary school serving 152 young people.

ASG roll projections can be found at:

<http://www.highland.gov.uk/yourcouncil/highlandfactsandfigures/schoolrollforecasts.htm>

1.1 Attainment and Achievement

1.1.1 GAIRLOCH HIGH SCHOOL

Attainment – Performance Summary

The following tables give a picture of attainment in the school over the last 5 years.

National Priority Measures (3 year average of results achieved by pupils by the end of S6)

NP Measures for Gairloch High School (Highland), STACs 2013 pre-appeals

Three Year Average Percentages and NCDs based on S4 Roll for passes achieved by the end of S6 All Candidates

	NP 1.1 C		NP 1.2 A		NP 1.2 B		NP 1.2 C		NP 1.2 D		NP 1.2 E		NP 1.2 F	
	Eng & Maths		5+ Level 3		5+ Level 4		5+ Level 5		1+ Level 6		3+ Level 6		5+ Level 6	
	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD
2011-13	89	9	93	6	88	3	58	4	56	4	34	6	25	5
2010-12	89	9	93	6	87	3	55	5	53	4	34	5	20	6

2009-11	96	4	97	2	89	3	62	2	67	1	39	3	24	4
2008-10	98	2	99	1	92	1	68	1	68	1	47	2	29	2
2007-09	100	100	100	100	95	1	71	1	69	1	48	1	33	1

The table above shows percentages and NCDs for the 7 three year rolling average National Priority measures.

Points to note

- Measures refer to a small number of pupils in some cases and thus each pupil can represent several %. The school has reported that several higher achieving pupils have left before end of S6, which in some cases has impacted on these results.
- The % of pupils gaining 5+ level 3 awards has remained the same for the past 2 *three year averages*, performing around average nationally
- The % of pupils gaining 5+ level 4 has been broadly similar for the past 3 *three year averages*, remaining in 3rd decile
- The % of pupils gaining 5+ level 5 shows a slight increase from the previous *three year average* and is now second decile
- The % of pupils gaining 1+, 3+ or 5+ Highers has remained around average nationally over the past 2 years, with a slight increase in 2013 in 1+ and 5+ Highers, but otherwise it shows decline over the 5 three year averages.

Attainment: by the end of S4

Whole School All Measures for Gairloch High School (Highland), STACs 2013 pre-appeals. Percentages and NCDs based on S4 Roll for passes achieved by the end of the selected stage (S4)

All Candidates

	Eng Lev 3		Maths Lev 3		Eng & Maths		5+ Level 3		5+ Level 4		5+ Level 5		1+ Level 6		3+ Level 6		5+ Level 6		1+ Level 7		
	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	
2013	100	100	96	6	96	5	96	5	96	1	54	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2012	100	100	96	6	96	5	93	7	93	2	56	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2011	92	9	97	4	92	8	97	2	92	2	44	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2010	76	10	88	10	76	10	91	7	88	3	33	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2009	89	9	97	4	89	9	86	9	77	6	37	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Points to note

- All pupils gained English and almost all gained Mathematics at level 3 or above over the past 2 years.
- The number of pupils gaining 5+ level 3 was broadly similar to 2012 but has now moved up from decile 7 to 5
- The % of pupils gaining 5+ level 4 in 2013 is the highest for the five year period, and now at decile 1.
- 5+ level 5 results remained high nationally, at decile 2 for the second year running.

Attainment: by the end of S5

Whole School All Measures for Gairloch High School (Highland), STACs 2013 pre-appeals

Percentages and NCDs based on S4 Roll for passes achieved by the end of the selected stage (S5)

All Candidates

	Eng Lev 3		Maths Lev 3		Eng & Maths		5+ Level 3		5+ Level 4		5+ Level 5		1+ Level 6		3+ Level 6		5+ Level 6		1+ Level 7	
	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD
2013	104	100	96	8	96	6	93	8	93	2	67	2	67	1	44	1	15	4	0	0
2012	97	6	97	5	97	4	97	3	92	2	56	4	53	3	33	3	17	3	0	0
2011	82	10	88	10	82	10	91	8	88	3	58	4	36	7	15	9	12	4	0	0
2010	89	10	97	5	89	9	89	8	83	5	46	6	49	4	26	5	17	2	0	0
2009	97	5	107	100	97	3	97	2	90	2	53	4	43	5	23	5	7	7	0	0

Points to note

- 1+ and 3+ level 6 awards have the highest number for 5 years and are now at the highest decile nationally
- The school also reports on its success with numbers of pupils gaining 4 Highers, which in 2013 was achieved by 4 pupils, their highest result in the past 5 years.
- The numbers of pupils gaining 5+ level 6 was broadly similar to last year and around national average range. [Four pupils in S5 gained 5 Highers].
- 10 pupils gained appeals in S5.

Attainment: by the end of S6

Whole School All Measures for Gairloch High School (Highland), STACs 2013 pre-appeals

Percentages and NCDs based on S4 Roll for passes achieved by the end of the selected stage (S6)

All Candidates

	Eng Lev 3		Maths Lev 3		Eng & Maths		5+ Level 3		5+ Level 4		5+ Level 5		1+ Level 6		3+ Level 6		5+ Level 6		1+ Level 7	
	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD
2013	97	6	97	6	97	4	97	3	94	1	61	4	61	3	39	5	31	3	17	5
2012	82	10	88	10	82	10	91	8	88	4	58	5	42	8	27	8	21	6	9	8
2011	89	10	97	6	89	9	91	7	83	5	54	5	63	2	34	5	23	5	17	4
2010	100	100	107	100	97	3	97	3	90	2	53	5	53	3	40	3	17	7	7	9
2009	109	100	106	100	103	100	103	100	94	1	77	1	83	1	43	2	31	2	26	1

Points to note

- The % of pupils gaining 1+ Higher has shown some fluctuation over the past 5 years, but has improved well since last year's dip and is now decile 3
- The number of pupils gaining 3+ Highers is now around average nationally and highest in 3 years
- 5+ Higher results are improving and now in 3rd decile, with the 2013 having best results for 4 years.
- Whilst the numbers gaining level 7 awards are very small and results therefore not a required reporting measure, it is recognised that the school has continued to provide a range of Advanced Higher successes and 2013 shows results comparing well with the national picture.

Summary

- **Pupil attainment in Gairloch High has shown some decline when considering the three year rolling averages, but there have been some notable successes in 2013.**

1.1.2 Wider Achievement & Notable Successes

Secondary – Gairloch High School – [link to school webpage](#)

Malawi Adventure - On the 2nd October ten pupils and four staff from Gairloch High School flew from Edinburgh Airport to visit friends and learning partners in Mlozi School in Malawi. The partnership began several years ago when Dr Caley became a Global Teacher and visited Mlozi. Previously successful staff exchanges have taken place with support from Link Community Development and the Global Council.

Young Ambassador Programme - Two pupils in S5 were chosen to attend the Young Ambassadors conference in September, which was run by the Youth Sport Trust in partnership with **sportscotland**. This training qualified them as Young Sports Ambassadors for Gairloch High School,

Archaeological Dig – On Thursday 25th October Mr Port and five pupils helped at the roundhouse dig above Achtercairn. Although wet and windy for part of the morning the pupils assisted with excavation and mapping. During the time at the site, the pupils were involved in uncovering two potentially important finds.

Pupil Success in Highland Dance – A pupil has become a Premier Dancer. On 1st June she passed, Highly Commended, the British Association of Teachers of Dance Blue Riband exam in Highland Dance. She received a Highly Commended in the Sailors Hornpipe as well and is on her way to qualifying as a teacher of Highland Dance.

Pupil Success in Gaelic Speaking Competition - Four pupils have done very well in an annual Gaelic speaking competition. The competition organised by the Gaelic Society of London involves pupils from all over Scotland. Winners were noted in the Senior Fluent Speakers' and the Senior Learners' competitions.

Pupil Success in Open University Course - An S6 pupil has passed her OU *Introduction to Law in Contemporary Scotland* course. She has also completed, as part of her S6 studies, a TEFL (Teaching English as a Foreign Language) qualification. In addition she trained as an adviser with Citizen's Advice Bureau and has spent time with the Alness based CAB Housing Project where she has an opportunity for further work experience.

Indoor Rowing - On Sunday 20th January, pupils travelled to Heriot Watt University in Edinburgh to participate in the 2013 Scottish Indoor Rowing Championships. All three pupils rowed personal best distances in their respective races. A pupil competed in the tough J15, 5 minute race: and rowed 1158m which placed her 22nd out of 33. A second pupil had to row for 4 minutes in the J14 age group: 944m placed her 9th out of 23 girls. The remaining pupil rowed a distance of 493m in 2 minutes put her in 1st place, 11m ahead of the competition. This earned her a gold medal and the title of J12 Scottish Champion. Gairloch High School was the only Local Authority School represented at the event. All the other competitors were from large private schools and Scottish rowing clubs. Congratulations to all three girls for their effort and determination.

After School Clubs

Basketball
Football
Badminton
Subject Study clubs
Duke of Edinburgh's Award
Cookery Club

Primary by School:

Bualnaluib

In September the school had a lot of success at the Wester Ross Mod in Poolewe – pupils won 1st in poetry and Bible reading, 2nd in Poetry, and 2 3rds in Poetry. In art pupils were particularly successful and won 2 firsts and 2 thirds.

Last term the school entered a selection of art work into the annual Tesco Bank Art competition for Schools competition. 5,836 entries were received and 10 winners were selected. One of the pupil's pieces along with another 13 were selected as a further 14 winners. A P6 pupil was selected as inspiration for Scottish Ballet's production of Hansel and Gretel which was performed in Eden court in Jan 2014. The school has received a copy of the programme and the pupil's picture certainly has influenced the art work on the cover (a shadowy night scene with a huge bright moon) and a scary wild pig from the Picture, is featured inside. The pupil and his family won tickets for the ballet in January.

In November, pupil's won 4 medals (Boys 2nd, 5th and 6th and Girls 2nd) in the ASG Inter-School Primary Cross Country Competition.

In November the school raised £40 for Children in Need.

In December the school raised over £687 for School funds by putting on a community Ceilidh which was very well attended by the wider community. The Ceilidh featured Gaelic & English, Scot's songs and tin whistles, which showcased the input received from Feis Rois. It also featured 3 pipers and an accordionist.

A P7 won a regional Art Competition run by an Inverness Hair Salon. The task was to design a logo for the new salon and the pupil won an iPod and £100 for School fund.

Facilities

- Use of Aultbea Community Hall for P.E.
- Small dining hall for P.E. in school
- Climbing Wall
- Area of grass for play at school
 - Swing crossing activity trail.
 - Wildlife garden and sandboat

After School Clubs

- Primary 4-7 Basketball
- Primary 4-7 running club

- Primary 1-7 Football,

Gairloch Primary

Success at local and national Mod

In May the school won the ASG Primary Cross Country Competition.

Raised £39.33 for Poppy Scotland

Raised £792.46 for comic relief

Successful residential trip to Badaguish with Poolewe P6/7

Facilities

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Gym hall

traverse Wall

Play Trail

Access to High school playing field in dry weather and astropitch during three morning breaks a week

After School / Lunchtime Clubs

Tap and Highland Dance class,

Basketball - lunchtime

Athletics - lunchtime

Table Tennis -lunchtime

Cubs

Beavers

Swimming lessons at local pool

Pipe band.

Kinlochewe

Raised £117.00 for Children in Need

Held a Thanksgiving Afternoon for Parents as part of our RME lessons

Visited the Village Lunch Club and supported a community event

Produced and performed a successful pantomime for the community in December

Won 4 medals at the ASG Cross Country Race held at Laide in November

School cleaner won a Loo of the Year Award

Took part in a Remembrance Day Service at the village War Memorial

Wrote and did own readings at the Village Carol Service

Made £335.65 for school funds selling postcards and organising a fund raising event at

The Bealach Mor Cycle Race in September

Held a Superhero Dress Up Day linked to topic work

Organised cycle training with the support of the local policeman

Participated in CPR training with the Scottish Ambulance Service

Welcomed former pupils into school for work experience

After School Clubs

Lunchtime Gardening Club

After school club/wildlife club held in village not run by school

Facilities

PE is held in the Village Hall or outdoors weather permitting

Small traverse wall

New play trail currently being purchased for installation in Spring

Pond area

Garden area

Sand pit

Quiet seated area

Poolewe

Success at local Mod

2nd in the Wester-Ross Youth Drama Competition at Plockton

Raised money for British Heart Foundation £462.96

Successful residential trip to Badaguish with Gairloch P6/7

Successful ceilidh as part of class enterprise raising £453

P1-3 won decorated Christmas Tree competition at the GALE Centre.

A child was North regional Heat winner Edinburgh Fringe Poster Competition

Facilities

Tar area of playground

Slide and play tower

Grass area

After School / Lunchtime Clubs

Tap and Highland Dance class,

Athletics

Cubs

Beavers

Swimming lessons at local pool

Pipe Band

Shieldaig Primary

£136 was raised by the pupils at Christmas, Dec '13 for CHAS (Children's Hospice Association Scotland)

The pupils have made two gingerbread houses as part of their 'houses' project which was also part of SHELTER'S fundraising campaign, The Great Gingerbread House Sale. The houses are currently in the shop and doctor's surgery collecting money for SHELTER.

£400 was raised for school funds at the annual Sea Angling Day/Competition organised by Miss Miller.

The Parent Council are holding The Great Shieldaig Valentine Bake Off for their funds in February.

A P7 pupil represented Highland Schools, at the Scottish Primary Schools Badminton Competition in Perth. Now seeded 28th in Scotland.

A pupils was placed 6th at the Triathlon held by the Lochalsh Leisure Centre in Kyle, May '13.

A pupil won the Highlife Highland Creative Writing for her age group Dec '13.

Four pupils from the school were all in the top ten at the P4-7 Cross Country competition held in Laide, in November.

At the Flowerdale Cross Country, a number of pupils were well placed.

A pupil from the early year's class was 6th in P1-3 race.

Three pupils were medal winners in recent shinty competitions.

A pupil won the School Champion trail biking competition in Skye.

Facilities

Grass area and tarmac play areas

The community has a wonderful all weather pitch and grass pitch which are well used by the pupils.

Outdoor community swimming pool

After School

PC Gary Taylor supports the bike safety training for all the pupils.

School	Link to School Webpage
Bualnaluib Primary School	Bualnaluib Primary webpage
Gairloch Primary School	Gairloch Primary webpage
Kinlochewe Primary School	Kinlochewe Primary webpage
Poolewe Primary School	Poolewe Primary webpage
Shieldaig Primary School	Shieldaig Primary webpage

School	Date of Latest Published Report	Link to Education Scotland Pages
Gairloch High School	Jan 2008	Gairloch High Inspection
Bualnaluib Primary School	Dec 2007 (follow up)	Bualnaluib Primary Inspection
Kinlochewe Primary School	May 2008	Kinlochewe Primary Inspection
Poolewe Primary School ©	Aug 2011	Poolewe Primary Inspection
Shieldaig Primary School	Apr 2009 (follow up)	Shieldaig Primary Inspection
Gairloch Primary School ©	Aug 2011	Gairloch Primary Inspection

© Denotes school part of a "cluster" management arrangement

Nursery	Date of Latest Published Report	Link To Inspectorate Pages
Bualnaluib Primary Nursery	Sept 2012	Bualnaluib Primary Nursery Inspection
Gairloch Primary Nursery - EM	Aug 2011	Gairloch Primary Nursery EM Inspection
Gairloch Primary Nursery - GM	Feb 2013	Gairloch Primary Nursery GM Inspection
Kinlochewe Primary Nursery	Jan 2012	Kinlochewe Primary Nursery
Poolewe Primary Nursery	Aug 2011	Poolewe Primary Nursery
Shieldaig Primary Nursery	Oct 2012	Shieldaig Primary Nursery

1.1.3 Destinations 16+

Leaver destination information is taken from the School Leaver Destination Return (SLDR) which is a statistical return undertaken by Skills Development Scotland (SDS) on behalf of the Scottish Government. The most recent return is based on a follow up of young people who left school between 1 August 2012 and 31 July 2013. This exercise was carried out during the month of September 2013.

	% Positive Destinations		
	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13
Gairloch High School	92.9%	88.9%	93.1%
Highland	89.4%	90.7%	93.1%
Scotland	88.9%	89.9%	91.4%

Leaver Destinations for Gairloch High School

Number of pupils leaving in school year:

Total No. Leavers	Gairloch High School	HIGHLAND	SCOTLAND
2010/11	28	2575	54073
2011/12	27	2495	50892
2012/13	29	2580	52801

Destinations of Pupils (%)

DESTINATION	Gairloch High School			HIGHLAND			SCOTLAND		
	10/11	11/12	12/13	10/11	11/12	12/13	10/11	11/12	12/13
Higher Education	39.3%	25.9%	44.8%	33.2%	34.6%	33.7%	35.8%	37.3%	36.5%
Further Education	10.7%	25.9%	10.3%	22.3%	21.2%	23.7%	27.1%	26.8%	27.8%
Training	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.0%	2.5%	1.9%	5.6%	4.6%	5.0%
Employment	35.7%	25.9%	34.5%	29.2%	29.7%	31.2%	19.3%	19.8%	20.4%
Voluntary	0.0%	7.4%	3.4%	0.5%	0.9%	0.7%	0.5%	0.4%	0.5%
Activity Agreements	7.1%	3.7%	0.0%	2.2%	1.8%	1.9%	0.5%	0.9%	1.3%
Unemployed Seeking	7.1%	7.4%	3.4%	7.7%	5.9%	5.6%	9.6%	8.4%	7.1%
Unemployed Not Seeking	0.0%	3.7%	3.4%	1.8%	1.9%	0.8%	1.2%	1.3%	1.2%
Unknown	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.1%	1.5%	0.5%	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%

Note: National averages have been calculated from the figures for all available local authority and grant-aided schools, whereas the local authority averages are based on local authority schools only.

There is currently one open Activity Agreements involving Former Pupils of Gairloch High School.

1.2 Pupils

Roll, Looked After and EAL pupil numbers have been taken from the Pupil Census carried out in September 2013. Pre-school roll information is taken from the Highland Pre-School Census carried out in Sept 2013.

School	Pupil Roll	Looked After	EAL Pupils	Free Meals Eligibility	Free Meals Uptake
Highland Primary				16.4%	87.9%
Scotland Primary				22.0%	88.4%
Bualnaluib Primary School	22	0	<5	small school/number	small school/number
Gairloch Primary School	77	0	<5	14.3%	88.9%
Kinlochewe Primary School	12	0	0	small school/number	small school/number
Poolewe Primary School	29	0	0	small school/number	small school/number
Shieldaig Primary School	11	0	0	small school/number	small school/number
School	Pupil Roll	Looked After	EAL Pupils	Free Meals Eligibility	Free Meals Uptake
Highland Secondary				11.4%	78.8%
Scotland Secondary				15.5%	74.7%
Gairloch High School	152	0	<5	9.2%	75.0%
Nursery	Pupil Roll	Looked After	EAL Pupils	Free Meals Eligibility	Free Meals Uptake
Bualnaluib Nursery	3				
Gairloch Nursery - EM	17				
Gairloch Nursery - GM	4				
Kinlochewe Nursery	10				
Poolewe Nursery	8				
Shieldaig Nursery	4				

Free School Meal information extracted from Healthy Living Survey collected February 2013 Free Meals Eligibility is the percentage of the present school roll registered for free meals. Free Meals Uptake is the percentage of those present on census day who were registered and took free meals.

The comment "small school/number" indicates that because of the small numbers of pupils in the school or the small numbers registered for free school meals this information cannot be disclosed.

1.2.1 Attendance/Absence/Exclusion Profile 2012/13

Scottish Government collect Attendance, Absence and Exclusions on a bi-annual basis, comparative national information will be next available for academic year 2012-13.

SCHOOL	% Actual Attendances	% Authorised Absences	% Unauthorised Absences	No of Exclusions and Rates per 1000 Pupils	No Pupils Excluded and Rate per 1000 Pupils
Highland Primary (2012-13)	94.8%	4.3%	0.9%	8/1000	5/1000
Scotland Primary (2012-13)	94.9%	3.8%	1.3%	10/1000	6/1000
Bualnaluib Primary School	94.9%	4.5%	0.6%	0/1000	0/1000
Gairloch Primary School	95.3%	3.4%	1.3%	0/1000	0/1000
Kinlochewe Primary School	92.1%	7.9%	0.0%	0/1000	0/1000
Poolewe Primary School	95.7%	2.8%	1.5%	0/1000	0/1000
Shieldaig Primary School	95.6%	4.4%	0.0%	0/1000	0/1000
SCHOOL	% Actual Attendances	% Authorised Absences	% Unauthorised Absences	No Of Exclusions and Rates per 1000 Pupils	No Pupils Excluded and Rate per 1000 Pupils
Highland Secondary (2012-13)	90.9%	6.4%	2.6%	39/1000	28/1000
Scotland Secondary (2012-13)	91.9%	5.4%	2.5%	58/1000	33/1000
Gairloch High School	92.0%	6.4%	1.6%	6/1000	6/1000

1.3 School

SCHOOL	ECO School	Travel Plan	Improving through Self-Evaluation and Improving Services	No of Placing Requests In	No of Placing Requests in Granted	No of Placing Requests Out Granted
Bualnaluib Primary School	bronze	NO	Unsatisfactory (2005)	0	0	3
Gairloch Primary School	green flag	NO	Good (2011)	0	0	0
Kinlochewe Primary School	green flag	NO	Good (2008)	0	0	0
Poolewe Primary School	silver	NO	Good (2011)	3	3	0
Shieldaig Primary School	bronze	YES	Adequate (2006)	1	1	0
Gairloch High School	silver	NO	Adequate (2008)	0	0	0

ECO School information is reported as at July 2013. Placing requests are those received to start in a school during academic year 2012-13.

It should be noted that all placing requests in/out of these schools were able to be accommodated this year. There were therefore no parental appeals lodged for this ASG.

1.4 ECS Staffing

School	Teaching Full Time Equivalent (FTE)	Non-Teaching (FTE)
Gairloch High School	22.20	6.65
Bualnaluib Primary School	2.17	0.65
Gairloch Primary School	5.10	2.52
Kinlochewe Primary School	1.00	0.52
Poolewe Primary School	2.50	1.29
Shieldaig Primary School	1.30	0.54
Nursery	Teaching Full Time Equivalent (FTE)	Non-Teaching (FTE)
Bualnaluib Primary Nursery		0.99
Gairloch Primary Nursery - EM		0.99
Gairloch Primary Nursery - GM		0.99
Kinlochewe Primary Nursery		0.56
Poolewe Primary Nursery		0.99
Shieldaig Primary Nursery		0.56
Childminders: 3		

School staff information from Staff Census collected Sept 2013. Please note that only certain types of teaching posts are counted here: Normal complement, Long term sick absence replacement, secondment replacement, maternity leave replacement, other replacement, temporary contract, covering a vacancy. Teachers who teach at the school but are centrally employed are excluded.

Pre-school staff information has been taken from the Pre-School Census returned to the Scottish Govt in September 2013.

Core staffing is calculated using the Highland Staffing Model, which takes account of national agreements for P1 to P3 class sizes. As a result, all primaries in this ASG are staffed according to the model.

- [Staffing Table DSM Annex 4 PDF](#)
- [Primary Teacher Staffing Arrangements Admin Circular 9/2010](#)
- [Primary School Rolls as at 17th August 2013 – Appendix 2](#)

In addition to core staffing for each school, a model will be used to provide an appropriate level of ASN cover to each school within the ASG. This model was approved at Adult and Children's Services Committee, 26th September 2012. Report [ACS-33-12](#).

This session we are funding additional staffing for the ASG as follows:

- 2.2 FTE ASN teachers
- 214.75 FTE PSA staff (assuming FTE = 7.8 hrs)

The identified level of need at start of session was:

39	Pupils at level 2
3	Pupils at level 3
1	Pupils at level 4

1.5 Funding

School/ Nursery	Devolved Budget 2012/13	Cost per pupil	Carry Forward from 2011/12	Devolved Budget 2013/14	Cost per pupil	Carry Forward from 2012/13
Gairloch High	1,291,806	7,974	37,877	1,224,638	8,057	38,584
Bualnaluib Primary	151,383	6,881	-5,838	131,250	5,966	-7,655
Gairloch Primary	324,222	4,157	-15,746	329,545	4,336	-16,756
Inverasdale Primary	37,893	#DIV/0!	-5,034	3,875	#DIV/0!	-2,460
Kinlochewe Primary	82,345	7,486	-4,282	85,945	7,162	-4,186
Poolewe Primary	139,973	5,599	-2,868	148,063	5,106	-4,353
Shieldaig Primary	100,085	5,887	-4,620	96,419	8,765	-5,133
Bualnaluib Nursery	23,486	4,697	-336	16,740	3,348	-256
Gairloch EM Nursery	21,671	2,709	480	21,184	2,648	649
Gairloch GM Nursery	20,822	4,164	-475	21,332	4,266	-273
Kinlochewe Nursery	13,513	6,756	450	13,617	6,809	402

Members are asked to note that devolved funding is generally sufficient for school needs.

1.6 Buildings

School	Suitability	Condition	Occupancy	Current/Future Investment (last 5 yrs)
Gairloch High School	B	B	50%	£272,984 includes Office Welfare accommodation, climbing wall
Bualnaluib Primary School	C	C	92%	£16,576 includes window replacement
Gairloch Primary School	B	B	63%	£29,455 includes re- surfacing of playground
Kinlochewe Primary School	C	C	46%	£10,586 includes window replacement
Poolewe Primary School	C	C	50%	£81,552 includes re-build of boundary wall
Shieldaig Primary School	C	C	89%	

Building suitability and condition levels are as reported on the 2013 School Estate Core Facts return.. Occupancy levels are based on the school roll for academic year 2012-13.

3.0 HIGH LIFE HIGHLAND IN GAIRLOCH ASG

HLH Facilities and Services within the Gairloch Associated School Group Area	User Information	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13
Gairloch Leisure Centre	Users	-	-	-
Gairloch Library	Issues	15,326	15,080	14,226
Torrison Campsite	Users	-	-	-
Sports Pitches	Available for let by sports clubs	-	-	-
Active Schools Coordinator	Unique Participants	Different info collected prior to 2011/12	113 boys and 93 girls which is 65% of total ASG roll	135 boys and 125 girls which is 83% of total ASG roll
Youth Development Officer	Contacts with Young People	1495	1700	601
	Young Scot Card Percentage uptake (National average – 72%)			
	Youth Participation	2	2	4
	Highland Youth Voice	-	-	-
	Scottish Youth Parliament	-	-	-
	Youth Forum	-	-	-
Adult Learning	Unique Participants	57	60	-

Programme Information:

Gairloch Leisure Centre:

<http://highlifehighland.com/leisure-facilities/gairloch-leisure-centre>

Gairloch Library:

<http://www.highland.gov.uk/leisureandtourism/libraries/yourlocallibrary/gairlochlib.htm>

Mobile Library: <http://highlifehighland.com/libraries/mobile-library-service>

Torridon Campsite:

<http://www.highland.gov.uk/leisureandtourism/caravansandcamping/torridoncamp.htm>

HLH Youth Services –

- Work directly with young people in NEED
- COORDINATE local provision
- Support PARTNER organisations
- Ensure young people have a VOICE
- Support and develop ACHIEVEMENT frameworks

4.0 RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Area Committee is asked to scrutinise and note the content of the report.



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SCHOOL ROLLS

APPENDIX 1

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School Name	P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	TOTAL
Bualnaluib Primary School	2	2	3	5	3	2	5	22
Gairloch Primary School EM	5	5	8	7	8	13	6	52
Gairloch Primary School GM	3	2	9	2	3	3	3	25
Kinlochewe Primary School	1	2	1	1	4	1	2	12
Poolewe Primary School	6	1	2	5	4	5	6	29
Shieldaig Primary School	0	2	3	2	1	2	1	11

School Name	N3 (Sep)	N4 (Sep)	N3 (Jan/Apr)	No Sessions
Bualnaluib Primary Nursery	2	1	1	5
Gairloch Primary Nursery EM	7	10	10	5
Gairloch Primary Nursery GM	3	1	0	5
Kinlochewe Primary Nursery	0	10	2	5
Poolewe Primary Nursery	5	3	0	5
Shieldaig Primary Nursery	2	2	3	5

School	S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6	Total S1-S6
Gairloch High School	21	29	23	30	26	23	152

involved	therapists. ASN file may be opened at this Level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • consultation and resources from therapists ASN file opened at this Level	coordinate and monitor support and outcomes for the child/young person.	
Communication	Ordinary oral/aural and written communication eg <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • visually supported environment • using less complex language 	Communication and language needs met by specific approaches eg <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • symbols • visual/verbal cues 	Enhanced support to aid communication and social inclusion additional communication methods eg <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sign/gesture, including Makaton • augmentative systems 	Highly specialised methods required all of the time eg <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sign language • Braille