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| Plascrug CP School | Hygiene Policy |
| Date of Policy | 18/09/12 |
| Review Date | October 2014 |

Rationale

The health of children and adults is of vital importance to ensure continuity of education. School recognises its responsibility to promote a culture where health and hygiene issues are discussed in an open and positive way to promote the health and well-being of the whole school community.

Purpose

To promote a whole school approach for the clear understanding of the importance of achieving and maintaining high standards of hygiene and personal care.

This is achieved in the following ways:

Guidelines

- Implementation of the Policy within the curriculum and extra curricular activities.
- Provision of appropriate staff training
- Ensure pupil participation and understanding
- Identify and allocate specific roles, responsibilities and procedures
- Control of infectious diseases
- Promote and encourage high standards of personal and hand hygiene
- Promote and encourage high standards of toilet hygiene
- The adoption of high standards of food hygiene and safety
- Ensure clear procedures for hygienic handling and care of pets in school
- Following appropriate advice and guidelines in regard to educational visits
- The provision of relevant information and guidance for parents
- Use of relevant resources and agencies
- Undertake appropriate monitoring, evaluation and review of adopted policies and procedures

Chair of Governors: _____

Headteacher: _____

Date: _____