



PEGS: our sharing, caring community; stronger together

Development Plan 2017-2018

This Development Plan is a **STATEMENT OF THE COLLECTIVE INTENTIONS** of the formal collaboration of New Mills community of schools called **PEGS**. The Plan is intended to give a basic framework for the group's collaborative work which becomes ever more important in the current climate, which encourages a self-improving school system that has the capacity and shared ambition to drive school improvement.

The aims of PEGS are to:

build capacity to raise standards of teaching and learning for all pupils in all our schools aged 3 -16 through:

- offering high quality, inclusive and enriching learning experiences
- creating a supportive, collaborative community that promotes professional development
- driving improvement in all our schools, creating a strong culture of collective responsibility
- using the economies of scale of PEGS to achieve cost effective services, including training and development & maximise use of resources.

The following PEGS working groups meet regularly (at least once a term):

Heads' Executive Group	EYFS Group
Deputy Headteachers' Group	Year 6/7 Teachers' Group
Governors' Group	Safeguarding Group
Subject Groups (English, Mathematics, Science)	Admin Staff Group
SEN/Inclusion Group	TA Group

Schools in PEGS

Buxworth Primary School	Hayfield Primary School	Newtown Primary School
Combs Infant School	New Mills Nursery	St George's CofE Primary School
Furness Vale Primary School	New Mills Primary School	St Mary's Catholic Primary School
Hague Bar Primary School	New Mills Secondary School	Thornsett Primary School
St Luke's CofE Primary School		

6 Key Priorities:

- 1. To achieve cost effective services**
- 2. To promote staff wellbeing**
- 3. To promote staff professional development**
- 4. To improve pupil outcomes**
- 5. To enhance and enrich pupils' learning experiences**
- 6. To ensure that all pupils are kept safe and well in school**

Areas for 2017-18:

Heads and governors to meet once a year to look at benefits of collaboration to individual schools

Protocol for admissions

Staff & Pupil Wellbeing – Chimp Management, Mindfulness, Nurture, Healthy Schools Award

Online safety for Y6 and parents (Traci Good)

Developing school partnerships for G & T pupils more widely

Working with inner city schools as partnerships

INSET dates - wellbeing

PEGS marketing

Strengths & Weaknesses

Look at NAHT 5 Priorities – curriculum & assessment, funding, recruitment & retention, accountability, pupil wellbeing

Sports & Pupil Premiums (best use of additional sports premium)