GARTMORE PRIMARY SCHOOL

1. Making the most of the local environment

- Apple orchard (planted by children)
- Apple Day: collect, cook, artwork
- Regular visits to measure trees and check their health
- Good use of school grounds with different areas and levels for play and learning
- Hazelnut tree, pond, tyre planters, willow hedge (sowing)
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2. Learning and understanding of sustainability

- 6th Green Flag
- Eco-schools
- Skills through growing fruit and veg in the raised beds
- Using them for cooking in school
- Leadership, team work, consultation, planning

3. Effective use of the school environment and surrounding area to develop understanding of sustainability and provide outdoor learning experiences

- Green routes (local charity)
- Crop rotation and animal care
- Gardening Scotland: Show at Inglisston Flower competition winner
- Members of the local community provide effective support

PARTNERSHIPS for outdoor learning

- The Horticultural Society
- The Parent Council
- Technology

Stirling Council

Highly effective practice identified through inspection

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