

# To support parents before, during and after the dyslexia assessment process

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## Enquiry Overview and Aims

My professional enquiry focussed on supporting parents prior to, during and following the dyslexic assessment process. This project was important to me and my school community as we recognised that our parents had varying degrees of understanding of what dyslexia is, how it impacts our learners and how we can support them. It aimed to build upon our relationships with our parents so that we could work together to support our pupils. A key feature of my enquiry was to provide information to parents about the assessment process with a specific focus on our school's processes as this was identified as an area that parents had little understanding of. I achieved this through parent information sessions and creating a website for parents to access.



## Collaboration and Impact

Collaboration was a key part of my professional enquiry. I worked very closely with and learned a lot from my Depute and Principal Teacher. I also worked closely with other teachers within my school. Throughout my enquiry I built excellent relationships with our parents which resulted in a positive experience for them during the assessment process. I also developed an informative website using the feedback I received from the parents I worked with.

## My Professional Learning Journey

Through completion of Dyslexia Scotland's modules, my knowledge of dyslexia has evolved massively. I also engaged critically with research and literature and as such have a deeper understanding of the importance of my work not only at school and local level but also national level. All of this has had a positive impact on my pupils and wider school community.

## Next Steps

Engaging in professional enquiry was only the start of my journey! My next steps include leading CLPL sessions for staff in our school and to identify a way of sharing information about dyslexia with pupils.

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