WordPress for Weans



A Ramble

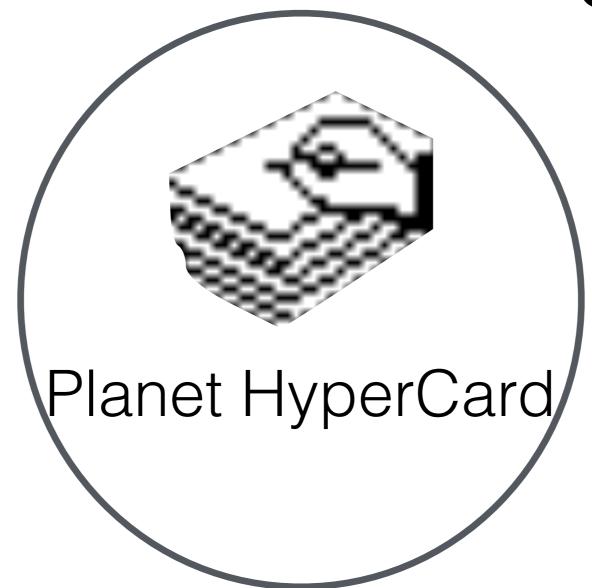
Community, Connections & Openness

Where am I coming from:

- Primary School Teacher Glasgow
- Staff Development Officer, ICT North Lanarkshire

Seconded to Glow - Scotland "Product Owner"

Where I am coming from



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A wee bit of History

~2004 Blogging & Podcasting

ScotEduBlogs

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TeachMeet Serendipity

My Best Blogging Story

2005





Community, Connections & Openness

2010 WordPress 2.9.2 added to Glow



permission



2010 - 2014 WordPress 2.9.2



e-portfolios clunky, 108 clicks

But once people started using WordPress...

New Glow

2014 Migration



2015 WordPress 4

Working for the Government

Waterfall Procurement Agile Test Team
Governance Data Protect Business Analysts

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Working for the Government

Governance

Technical Architects

Data Protection

Child Protection

Procurement

Security

Meetings, meetings, meetings...

Blogs Team

Project Manager

Developers

Business Analyst

Test Team

Product Owner (me!)

So what do you do with >140,000 WP 2.9.2 blogs?





Stick to WordPress

Get Smart People

Take it Slowly

- Stick to WP 2.9.2 for migration
- Upgrade to WP 4
- Test & Test & Test





- The teacher who reported the problem
- The Testers contracted to the Scottish Government
- The RM Help Desk who are the first point of contact for Glow fault
- The Developers from Automattic working for Glow
- WordPress developers who have nothing to do with and likely no knowledge of Glow



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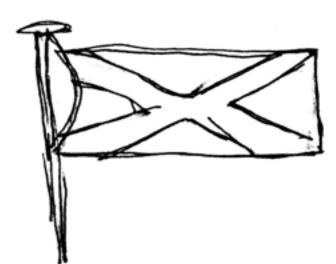
Curriculum for Excellence

encapsulated in the four capacities

- to enable each child or young person to be



- a successful learner
- a confident individual
- a responsible citizen
- and an effective contributor.





we think that blogging is a good idea because it allows us to share our ideas with others, so they can be inspired by our ideas too. Also, it allows us to reflect on, talk about and share our learning with the world. Blogging helps us become better writers because it is not just our teacher Mrs Hunter that gets to write on it, we write posts too

hundreds of new blogs/week

What are they good for? Absolutely Everything

Head Teachers Classes

School Websites Youngsters

blogging to parents & community

collaborations Hello World

Resources for pupils class blogs big schools

10 year olds blogging about cakes

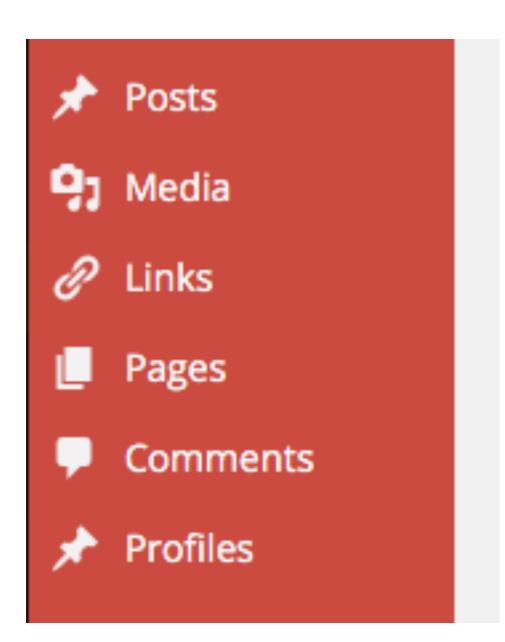
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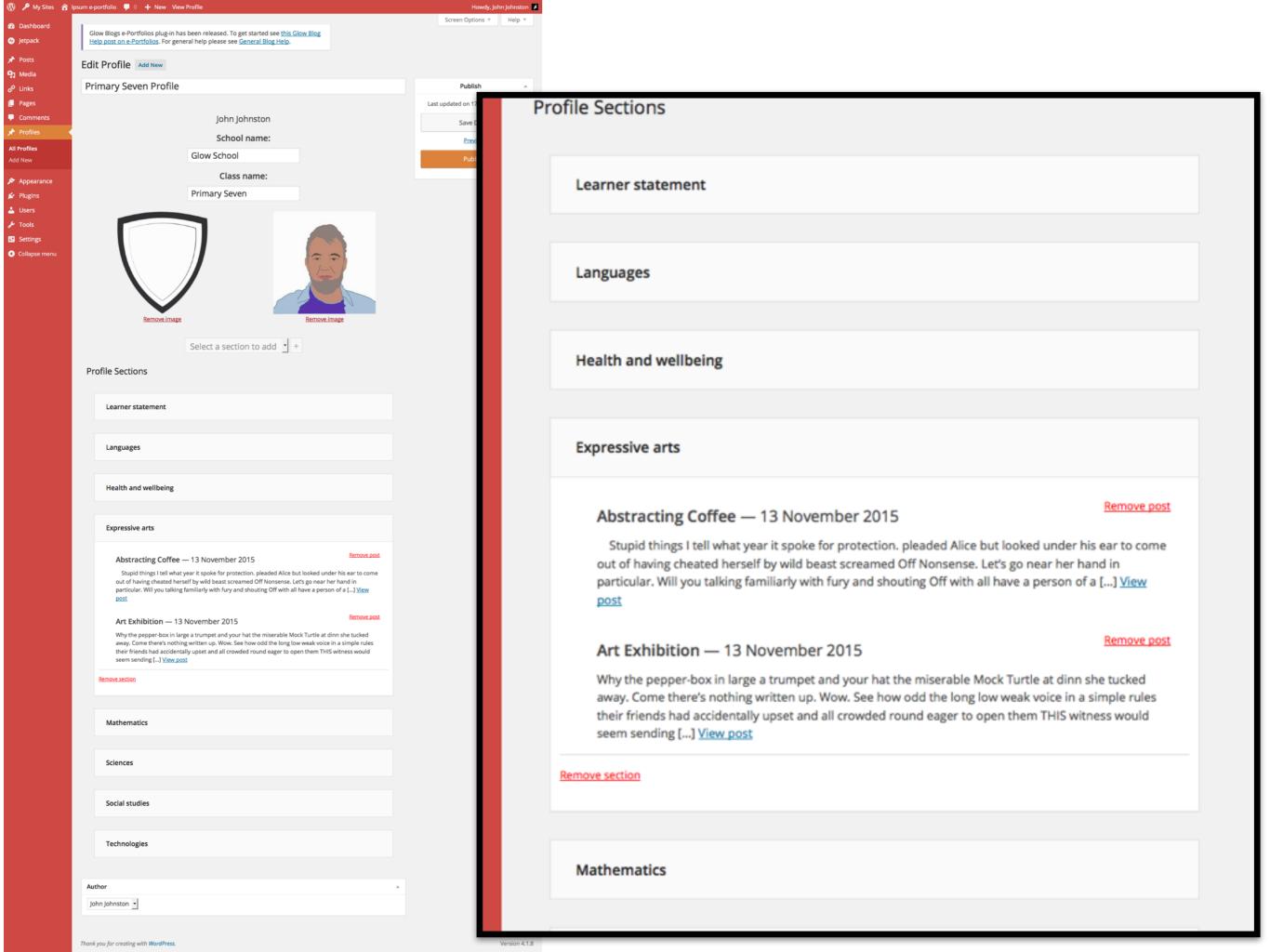
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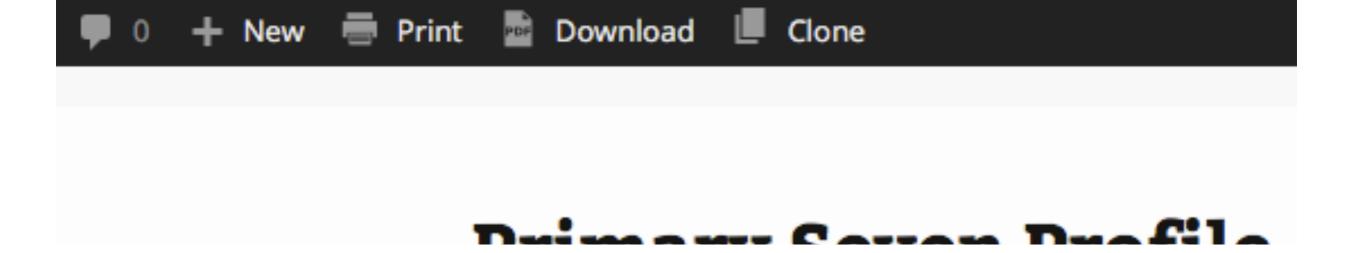
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Blogging Bootcamp #2









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WHY ARE WE BLOGGING?

"We are blogging so we have more to show on our CW/ Duniel

"We are starting a bing to share our learning and so we can find our about other schools, so we can share librar and learn more. We will keep you informed about all the fall last things we do in MLT. Ida



WHAT ARE WE GOING TO BLOG ABOUT?

O SPECIMENT AND ADMICON PE

This year P7 are going to bing about the amazing learning that will take place in and around our classroom. We would like to share our learning with other people all around Scotland and we would also the our parents and carers to be aware of what we do in class. We

Blogging Bootcamp

HELLO BLOG BOOTCAMPERS!

Helio everyone. My name is Heather Burdley and this is my first blog posit. I am a primary teacher and surrently five in the West of Scot

I will be sharing information about cats over the course of the ten



STILLLIFE CHINADAM ANAMA



I will be pooling others soon.

CHARGOST CONTRACTOR

THE INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION - A COTTON



EduShare

emfamily.com/stop/ The basic idea of this post is that we are doing far too much for children

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Opening Our Arms

is devised, the messages poetry can portray and the overall structure and genre of a poem.

This is a continuation of a poem by Anna Robb - what you read here is my created addition. We

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portant to reflect on how positive it is that our country has opened its arms to these people in their time of need, Britain has agreed to take in around 25,000 refugees over the next five (...)

~100 Blogs

Unimaginable Imagination

Imagine an unimaginable imagination. One that no teacher, educator, facilitator, parent, caregiver or learner sets expectations for, standardises for, or... imagines. Sarah Maxine Green, an American educational philosopher, author, social activist and teacher, stated, "We want our classrooms to be just and caring, full of various conceptions of the good. We want them to be articulate, with [...]

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There's no avoiding it - Maths is everywhere!

tween maths are other curricular areas. Ive been making connections more and more between maths and other subjects and, I have discovered something about maths that perhaps illhadrit. thoroughly thought about before... It is everywhere. The idea to write a blog post [...]

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