

# North Yell Primary Bairns Consultation



Environmental Comments

Things that are important to us

Projects & Improvements

2024/2025

**Project 1**  
**Footpaths**

We would like footpaths to be put in from the school up to the shop. This would make it much safer for us to participate in The Daily Mile each morning. It would also mean that it was more accessible for all pupils to participate in these activities.

Not only would paths be beneficial for the school bairns but it would make it safer for everyone and encourage people of all ages to participate in active travel options. This would be better for the environment and reduce the number of people using their cars for small journeys around the town.



**Project 2**  
**Poly Tunnels**

We think it would be nice for the community to have more access to poly tunnels for growing fruit and vegetables.

The poly tunnels could also be used as a place for bairns to meet and socialise in poor weather.



**Sands of Breckon**  
It would be good to have bin on the beach as it can be a long walk to the carpark.

**Sands of Breckon**  
It would be nice to have more seating down at the beach and at the top in the carpark.

**Pavements**  
We have to walk on the road a lot when we are going through Cullivoe and it isn't very safe, it is also not very accessible for disabled people.

**Active Travel**  
We would like access to bikes and somewhere under cover to keep our bikes at the playpark.

**Poly Tunnels**  
We would like more opportunity to grow fruit and vegetables in poly tunnels.

**Sands of Breckon**  
It would be good to have some more information boards at the beach to tell people about the environment

**Sands of Breckon**  
We love playing in the sand, swimming and hunting for treasures.

**Sands of Breckon**  
The temporary steps are not accessible to disabled or older people and it is a shame they can't enjoy the beach.

**Play Park**  
We particularly enjoy the swings and the slide.



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The play park could be more accessible for very little and disabled children, there isn't much fun for them to play with there.



**North Yell Community Shop**  
We like to go to the shop to buy sweets and ice cream in the summer



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It would be good to have more picnic benches outside or a little cafe to sit in.

**Cullivoe Public Hall**  
We love the Christmas Tree and the Christmas Show each year. We also really like coming to the community lunches.



**Cullivoe Public Hall**  
We would love a play park at the hall and a bairns room with games. It isn't safe for us to play outside at the hall at the moment.

**Sellafirth**  
We enjoy driving about on our quads and working on the croft.

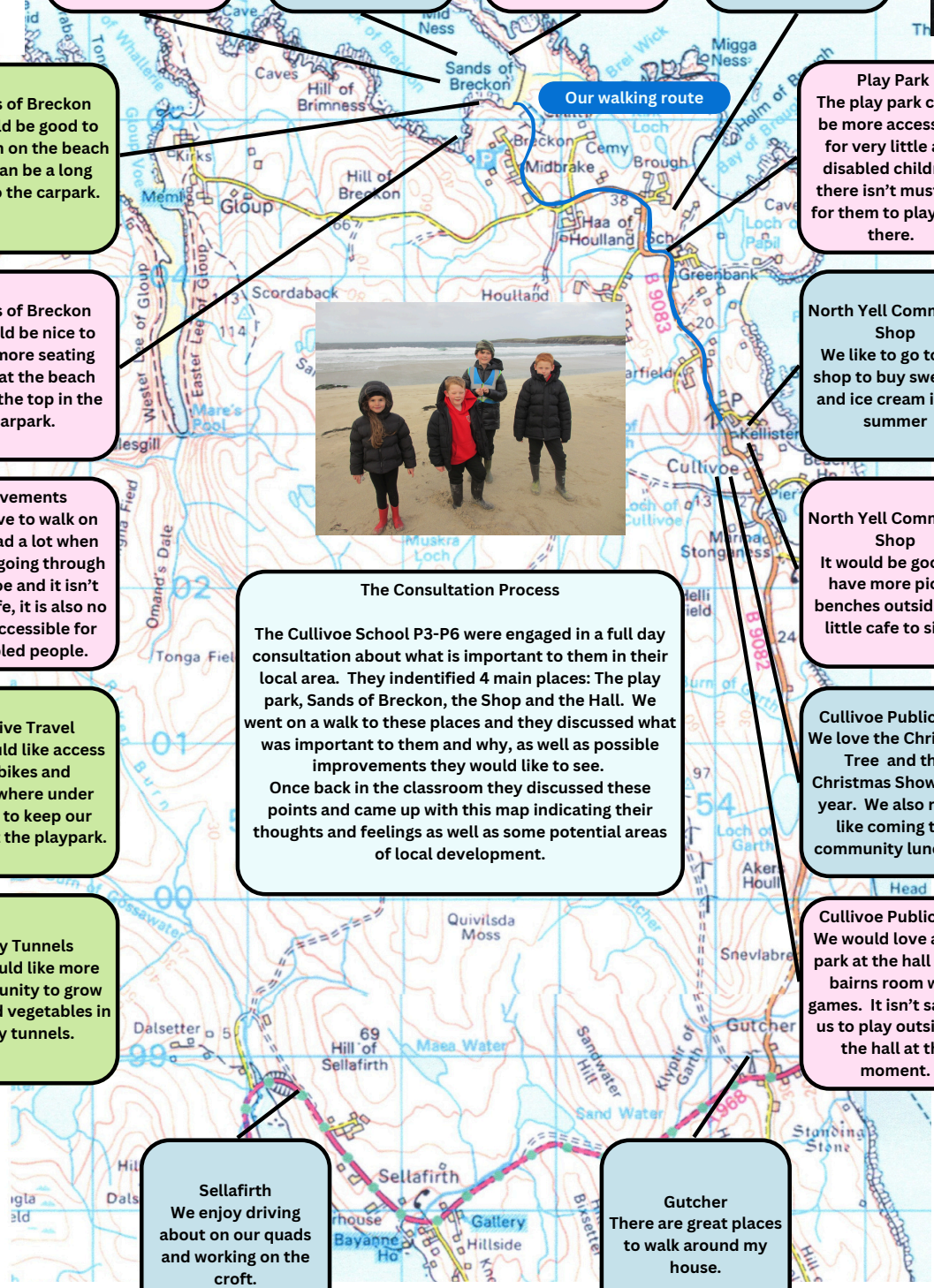
**Gutcher**  
There are great places to walk around my house.



**The Consultation Process**

The Cullivoe School P3-P6 were engaged in a full day consultation about what is important to them in their local area. They identified 4 main places: The play park, Sands of Breckon, the Shop and the Hall. We went on a walk to these places and they discussed what was important to them and why, as well as possible improvements they would like to see.

Once back in the classroom they discussed these points and came up with this map indicating their thoughts and feelings as well as some potential areas of local development.



**Project 3**  
**Improvements to Breckon Beach**

We would like the beach to be more easily accessible for all ages so everyone can enjoy the beautiful beach and have fun there.

We would also like more signs and information to be displayed in a way that is fun for children. These could be able to the wildlife or the local environment.

**Project 4**  
**Hall Play Park**

There is no where at the hall designed for bairns to play and we would like there to be a hall play park. At the moment we have to play in the car park or on the road and that isn't very safe. There could be a play park at the back of the hall for us.

We would also like a bairns play room within the hall for if there is bad weather so we have somewhere out of the adults way to sit and play.

**Secondary Bairns Consultation**

During the North Yell Development Council's Junior Members Forum the secondary ages bairns from North Yell were consulted about what was important to them about North Yell and improvements they would like to see. They raised a lot of the same points as the primary bairns and came up with their own priority project.

**Junior Members Project**  
**Old Marina Improvements**

We spend a lot of time in the summer down at the Old Marina and we would like to see some improvements to the infrastructure there. We would like a slide from the pontoons into the water and a lending library of water toys such as kayaks and paddle boards to play with.