



Working4U Adult Learning and Literacies

Annual Report

2022-2023

West 
Dunbartonshire
COUNCIL

What we did

OUR COURSES

This year felt like a full return to community classes after the pandemic.

We increased the number of learners attending and the amount of classes:

- 42 certificated classes with West College Scotland
- 7 ongoing Adult Literacy and Numeracy Groups
- 4 ongoing ESOL groups and a summer programme
- 19 Family Learning projects
- 9 'First Steps' courses
- 5 ongoing Digital Friends Groups and 1 Digital Skills programme for people with Type 2 Diabetes

As ever, our programme is supported by dedicated volunteers. 26 volunteers helped out in groups this year. We re-vamped our volunteer training course and delivered 7 staff development sessions on a range of subjects for volunteers, paid staff and partners

LEARNER VOICE

The Learner Voice Group (WDLV) had a busy year providing a voice for learners and raising awareness of the benefits of adult education.

They were successful in getting funding to run a Festival of Learning. 150 learners took part in a very enjoyable day

The Group was very concerned about cuts to the team and campaigned to raise awareness of the impact of the cuts.

WDLV: winners of an Adult Learners' Week Award for their commitment to promoting Adult Learning

The Year in numbers*

322

Disabled
people or with
a health issue

201

People in
Literacy and
Digital Groups

950

people
supported

102

People in ESOL groups

200

people
gained
qualifications

500

Learners in partnership courses

95

Adults in
Family
Learning

133

Children in
Family
Learning

*Financial Year