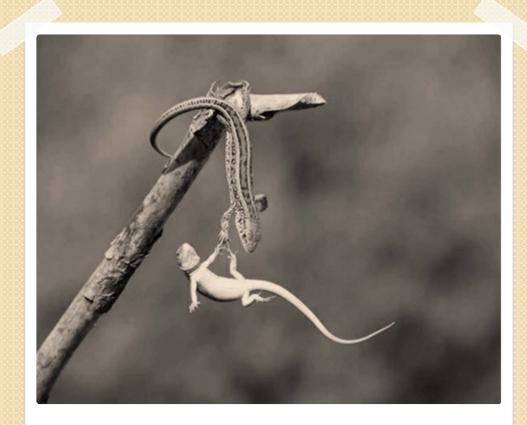
## Inter – authority partnership working

#### City of Edinburgh, East Lothian, Midlothian, West Lothian , Fife and Scottish Borders





Our overall aim.... To recognise, share, discuss and support partnership working across authorities

### Vision, values and aims

We agreed how we would work together ...

- Honest
- Realistic
- Ongoing professional dialogue
- Mutual support, trust and reliability
- Solution focussed
- Productive
- Sharing good practice, ideas, resources, experiences and successful models
- Meeting deadlines by prioritising actions
- Everyone contributes

# Aims

What we hoped to achieve.... as a network group

- Policy
- Networking
- Shared resources
- Sharepoint for communication
- Communications to persuade others, to increase uptake, to communicate with headteachers, parents
- CPD training ideas, support for training on inservice days

## How the partnership works

- Meet 3 or 4 times a year
- Contacts group
- Rotating chair
- Central venue
- Themes for sessions



### **Benefits of our partnership**

- Professional dialogue
- Variety
- Support
- Sharing of everything and anything
- Collegiality



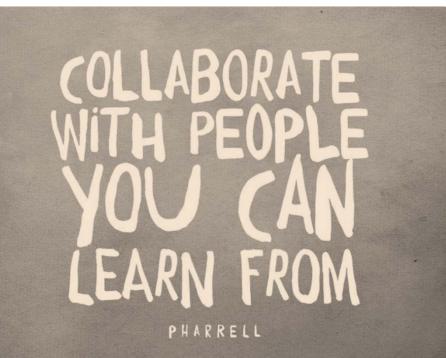
### **Activity: Discussion groups**

#### In your inter-authority groups how do • you.....

- Communicate and network
- Share resources and materials
- Collaborate

#### What would help?





## Thank you!