

# CASE STUDY

## EDINBURGH PRIMARY & NURSERY SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP

- Over the last two years, Edinburgh Leisure have co-ordinated a project where Primary 7 pupils from Sciennes Primary School have been working with children from The Meadows Nursery.
- Every Friday, children from the nursery take part in a half-hour tennis session.
- During the session, the 3 year olds are 'buddied up' with an older pupil from the local Primary School. The older pupils help to provide encouragement, throw balls and generally ensures the tennis experience is as positive as possible.
- All those involved – parents, school and nursery have given excellent feedback about the initiative and it's a win-win situation for all.
- The initiative has helped retain the older pupils interest in the sport, whilst introducing and inspiring the nursery pupils to become future Mini Tennis players.

