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Dear Parents/Carers

COVID update Craigbank Primary and ELC

Since the decision was made to move Craigbank Primary and ELC to remote learning from the 30th November, we have continued to monitor the situation and seek advice from Public Health.

Given the sharp increase of cases within the Sauchie community, as well as reduced staffing numbers, we have decided, in the interests of safety, to continue with remote learning for the remainder of the term. The school will reopen on Thursday 7th January 2021.

I understand that this will be disappointing for children and families; the decision was not taken lightly. We considered a number of possible options including, transferring staff from other schools, however, Public Health strongly advised against this course of action.

I am pleased to confirm that Mrs Haldane will be returning to work as of tomorrow, Wednesday 16th December 2020. She will ensure that remote learning continues for all pupils. If you have questions or concerns please contact Craigbank@edu.clacks.gov.uk for the attention of Mrs Haldane.

I would like to sincerely thank Mrs Cully for leading the school during this difficult period.

I appreciate this continues to be a challenging time for everyone; health and safety is our priority and we continue to be advised by Public Health.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lorraine Sanda".

Lorraine Sanda
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