



Cargenbridge School Updates and information

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Mrs Watson says.....

At the moment we are not sure what health and safety measures we will have to keep after the holidays. This all depends on the number of cases locally and what national and local guidance we receive over the holidays. So at the moment we plan to stay as we are with drop offs and pick ups and bubbles until we hear information that allows us to change these. If there are any changes we will notify you before the pupils return on **19th August**. Staff will be back in school on the 18th August.

One change, which I know will please lots of you, we have decided to implement is that children can bring in school bags again with their own pencil cases and stationery if they wish. Primary One pupils will be given a yellow bag so that is all they need, they really don't need another bag too.

As transition activities have been limited this year we are hoping that we may be able to allow some children to visit their classroom on the Inservice day. If this is the case we will let you know.

Special Thanks to you all



Well we have made it and survived!! What a year it has been. We have all had to do lots of things differently and at the same time make sure we are all safe. A huge thank you to everyone for supporting us with all these changes. You should all be super proud of your children as they have coped remarkably well and shown how resilient they all are. **We hope you all have a fantastic holiday whatever you are up to and the weather is kind to us so we can enjoy our glorious local area.**

A special well done and thank you to the P7 pupils who leave us this week. They haven't had the send off they deserve but again they have shown their understanding and resilience and accepted that things have had to be different this year. We had a lovely Leavers Assembly on Monday outside. On Wednesday they had a fun day of movie, posh tea and water fun. Again they had a great time. They have been a fab year and they will be sadly missed. I am sure you would all like to join us in wishing them all the very best at Secondary School. We look forward to hearing all about how they are getting on.

On Monday the following achievements were awarded. Well done to everyone.

Sports Cup - Cluden

House Achievement Cup - Solway

P7 Citizenship Awards - Eleanor Archibald and Millar Little

P7 Sports Champions - Islay Magee and Lochlan Wilson

Thanks and good luck to those parents who are seeing their last child leave Cargenbridge on Friday. A massive thank you for your support over the years and it has been lovely to get to know you and your families.

Good luck in your new educational journey with your child.

Education Scotland Progress Report Letter

Last March we were inspected by Education Scotland. After a year a progress letter is issued to all parents identifying the progress we have made towards the recommendations. This will be emailed to you once we have received this from the Authority. Understandably this year Covid 19 has meant the pace and direction of our improvement journey has been not as planned. We are looking forward to carrying on with this next session when hopefully things will be more normal.

Thank you.

A huge good luck to Mrs Vivek, who finishes on Friday for her maternity leave. We look forward to hearing her good news and meeting Baby Vivek. I know you will wish her well and all the best. We will post something on facebook when we have news to share. Also good luck to Miss Humphries who is also leaving us. She has thoroughly enjoyed her time with us over the year and the P4 children have loved working with her. We wish her all the best in the future.

Also Mrs Walker who has been working across Nursery and P1/2 leaves us too. It has been lovely working with her and we wish her all the very best. She is also having a baby soon so we look forward to hearing her good news too.

A reminder that children should **not** be in the school premises when the school is closed for the holidays. We will open up the very top gate at the top grass to allow the children to use the top grass over the holidays. Please ensure no litter is dropped, no dogs use this area and no golf please. Many Thanks for your support.