

# Cargenbridge School Updates and information 11th February 2022

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We are pleased to say that Covid cases this week across the school have decreased and we have had no new cases. Thanks to everyone for erring on the side of caution and keeping their child off school if poorly and for carrying our regular lateral flow testing. Numbers are still high across D and G so we still have to be very cautious and carry out regular testing. Please do a lateral flow on your child before coming back to school after next week's holiday. If anyone in the family, not at school, contracts Covid please contact school to discuss your particular situation further.

There are other early symptoms to look out for in children on top of the 3 main symptoms. These are: sore throat, headache, watery eyes, runny nose, earache and diarrhoea/sore stomach. As you have been doing, please err on the side of caution and keep your child at home if they are unwell and keep testing regularly. If your child is isolating please keep in touch with the school regularly.

The Authority have also asked us to urge all people who are testing on Lateral Flow devices to register their results. In order to get the correct figures Scottish Government really need everyone to be registering their results whether they are negative, positive or void.

We hope you all have a lovely few days off and we will see the children back at school on Thursday 17th February. Staff are back in school on Tuesday 15th February and will carry out some school improvement work. 

#### **Hear 4 U Advocacy Service**

We have not had many permission slips returned. Please can you do so if you are happy for your child to use this service if necessary.

### Lockerbie Manor

In the maildrop today is information for parents about the forthcoming Lockerbie Manor trip. We would normally have a meeting to discuss this but at this time we are not able to do so. If there is anything you wish to ask or are not sure about then let me know. Please return the slips as soon as you can. Lockerbie Manor has a website, it will be useful for you to go on this with your child.

https://www.manoradventure.com/lockerbie-manor.php

**Easter Holidays** 

School closes at 3pm on Friday 1st April for Easter Holidays and school reopens on Tuesday 19th April.

her very successful placement in P2/3. The staff and children have loved working with you. Good luck for your further studies and career.

**Class Photographs** 

The school photographer will be back in school on **Monday 28th Feb** for class photos. Group photographs will be taken of Nursery pre school children, P1 and P7. Please find a letter in the maildrop today about this. Formal school uniform should be worn.

#### P7 Leavers Hoodies

The Leavers Hoodie order is away, hopefully they will be delivered soon.

## MUGA Improvements

This week should have been the start of improvements to the MIJGA. Hopefully this will start soon. We are having a new Carpet laid and we are also getting a new set of goals. We can't wait until this is finished as it will give our children a much improved surface and facility to use.

Children's Mental Health Week and Internet Safety Day

This week classes have been doing some work related to mental health and Internet safety. Two very important aspects of our life. Ask your children about what they did?

#### P4 and P5 swimming

A reminder that P4 and P5 will start their block of swimming on Tuesday 22nd Feb. Transport for this is now not paid for by the Council. The school this year is able to cover the transport costs by using the yellow school bus service.

Car Park

Please keep to your allocated drop off and pick up times and during these times no one should be parking on the double yellow lines on Waterside Road as this hinders the view of people coming out of the car park and causes people to be unable to exit safely. Please also ensure that your child knows where to cross the road safely if walking home themselves from school.