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Term 4 Week Ending 17th June 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

A few updates and information to share as we move towards the end of this term and our academic year.



Dates for Diary - Updated

Monday 20th June - New P1 Parental Information sessions 2:30-3:00p.m or 6-6:30p.m Monday 20th -Wednesday 22nd June - P7 Transition Days to DHS

Tuesday 21st June - Moving Up Afternoon

Wednesday 29th June - P7 Leavers BBQ

Thursday 30th June - End of Term Assembly

Friday 1st of July - End of Term and non-Uniform Day

Class Organisation and Learning Support Reductions

Our class organisation is almost finalised and we will share information with the children on Monday prior to their moving on afternoon on Tuesday. Unfortunately, class organisation has been a challenge this year as we have a reduction in our learning support allocation; this therefore determines how much support I have available to share between the children with additional support needs and impacts on how I arrange the classes. We are looking at a reduction of approximately three full time learning assistants. I am aware of two that will be leaving us at the end of term but as yet have not been informed about the 3rd. Due to these reductions, I have had to take some difficult decisions about class organisation.

With regards reductions, I have shared my concerns with the local authority as have the Parent Council. I have been informed that I will get the opportunity to meet with a panel to go through and review the level of need we have here at Dalbeattie Primary. I will keep everyone informed with any updates around this.

Classes Session 2022/2023

P1 Mrs Fitzsimmons
P1/2 Ms Scott
P2 Mrs Mclean and Mrs Howie
P3 Mr Summers and Mrs Howie
P3/4 Miss Kirkpatrick and Ms Potts
P4 Mrs Anderson
P5 Mrs Dyson
P6 Mrs Lumsden and Mr Caldow
P6/7 Mrs Campbell
P7 Miss Clendinning

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Moving Up Afternoon

Children will go to their new classes for 1:30p.m and spend the afternoon there. All pupils will be released at the end of the day from their new classes. Pupils coming into P1 from nursery will return to nursery at the end of the visit or can be collected from outside the P1 and P1/2 doors. Individual invitations with further information will be sent out to our new P1s.

End of Term Assembly

This will take place on Thursday 30th of June at 11a.m. Award winners parents, will be notified and invited to join us. P7 parents are welcome to come along but please be mindful that space is very limited when the whole school are in the hall. We would suggest only 1 or 2 adult per P7.

Parental Consultation Feedback

We would welcome your feedback on parental consultation process. Please complete the link below.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=oyzTzM4Wj0KVQTctawUZKemRI-7AE-NHpgAKP00sCe1UMERMQIFQTTZFQIFITzRRSkIETDIVWVZCUi4u

Citizenship Relaunch

We will be relaunching our Citizenship Programme and PASS booklets next session. Please find below a link from Mrs Howie that we ask that you take time to complete please. This will provide us with your thoughts and views on the relaunch and booklets. Booklets are also attached with this email. Thank you.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=oyzTzM4Wj0KVQTctawUZKRgELsMznJlJvL8b8sZoDjJUODc4SFlDN1A0RlpWUkwzTllDTEtKVzAzVi4u

Uniform Ordering

If you have not ordered uniform for next year yet, this can be done through School Trends website directly or with Carrie Caldow our local supplier at Banks and Braes.

Banks and Brae - 14 St Cuthbert Street Kirkcudbright - 01557 339277

Link below provides information about free school meals and clothing grants.

https://www.dumgal.gov.uk/schoolmenus



School Tour Videos

The links below were shared as part of our last newsletter. These will remain available over the summer holidays. These may be of use for young people to look as if there are moving to a new or different part of the school next year.

P1 Walk Through Video https://youtu.be/D-I6Mf_ICV4

Tour of First and Second Level Areas https://youtu.be/CFLSbu24oxI

Many thanks Regards Mrs E. Duncan

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