

Welcome to Grange Academy

## Senior Leadership Team

- Mr Johnston Head Teacher
- Mrs Crawford DHT Graham House
- Miss MacKinnon DHT Bruce House
- Mrs Brotherston DHT Hamilton House
- Mr Cowan DHT Douglas House
- Mrs Cardow DHT (Pupil Equity Fund)

## Pupil Support Department

Miss Sharon Reid is PT of Pupil Support (Additional Support Needs)

- Coordinates specific Support Needs for pupils
- Organises the core provision of classroom support.

## The Guidance Team

Bruce House	Douglas House	Graham House	Hamilton House
Mrs Quinn PT 1B1	Mr Faulds PT 1D1	Mrs Dunsmore PT 1G1	Mr Alldridge PT 1H1
Mr Dixon PT 1B2	Mrs Causer PT 1D2	Mr Bruce PT 1G2	Mrs McDowall Acting PT 1H2
Miss MacKinnon DHT	Mr Cowan DHT	Mrs Crawford DHT	Mrs Brotherston DHT

## We Are Welcoming Pupils from 16 Primaries

Our Partnership Primaries are: Annanhill

Crosshouse

Gargieston

Hillhead

Shortlees

## We Are Welcoming Pupils from 16 Primaries

Pupils will also join us this session from 11 other Primary Schools:

Beith PS	Moorpark PS	<b>Struthers PS</b>
Kilmaurs PS	Onthank PS	West PS
Kingcase PS	Sacred Heart PS	Whatriggs PS
Loanhead PS	St Andrews PS	

# S1 CURRICULUM

Engli sh	Math s	Social Subje cts	Scienc e	Modern Langua ges	Art & Desi gn	Technolo gies	Computing	Literac y/ Numer acy Rota	Musi c	Dra ma	PE	PS E
5	5	3	3	3	2	2	1	1	2	1	3	2



	P1 8.45-9.35	P2 9.35-10.25	P3 10.25-11.15		P4 11.30– 12.20	P5 12.20-1.10		P6 1.55– 2.45	P7 2.45 – 3.35
MON				В			L		
TUES				R			U		
WED				Е			N		
THUR				A			C		
FRI				K			Н		



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MON		English		В			L		
TUES				R			U	English	
WED				Е	English		N		
THUR			English	A			C		
FRI				K		English	Н		



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MON				В			L	Maths	
TUES				R	Maths		U		
WED				Е			N		Maths
THUR				A			C	Maths	
FRI	Maths			K			Н		



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MON				В	Social Subjects		L		
TUES				R			U		
WED	Social Subjects			Е			N		
THUR				A			C		
FRI		Social Subjects		K			Н		



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MON				В		Science	L		
TUES				R			U		
WED				E		Science	N		
THUR				A	Science		C		
FRI				K			Н		



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MON				В			L		Modern Lang.
TUES				R			U		
WED				Е			N	Modern Lang.	
THUR	Modern Lang.			A			C		
FRI				K			Н		



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MON				В			L		
TUES				R			U		Art
WED				Е			N		
THUR				A			C		
FRI				K	Art		Н		



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MON	Technologies			В			L		
TUES				R			U		
WED				Е			N		
THUR				A			C		Technologies
FRI				K			Н		



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	8.45-9.35	9.35-10.25	10.25-11.15		11.30– 12.20	12.20-1.10		1.55– 2.45	2.45 – 3.35
MON				В			L		
TUES			Computing	R			U		
WED		Literacy/ Numeracy Rota		Е			N		
THUR				A			C		
FRI				K			Н		



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MON				В			L		
TUES	Perf. Arts (Music)			R		Perf. Arts (Drama)	U		
WED				Е			N		
THUR				A		Perf. Arts (Music)	C		
FRI				K			Н		



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MON				В			L		
TUES				R			U		
WED			PE	Е			N		
THUR		PE		A			C		
FRI			PE	K			Н		



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TUES		PSE		R			U		
WED				Е			N		
THUR				A			C		
FRI				K			Н		



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MON	Tech.	English	PSE	В	Social Subjects	Science	L	Maths	Modern Lang.
TUES	Music	PSE	Comp	R	Maths	Drama	U	English	Art
WED	Social Subjects	Lit/Num Rota	PE	Е	English	Science	N	Modern Lang.	Maths
THUR	Modern Lang.	PE	English	A	Science	Music	C	Maths	Tech.
FRI	Maths	Social Subjects	PE	K	Art	English	Н		

### School Uniform

- black trousers/skirt
- white/black shirt
- S1-3 junior tie/S4-6 senior tie
- black, badged, unbraided blazer
- any additional cardigan/jumper: plain black
- Ayrshire School Wear or Walker & Templeton
- Acceptable P.E. kit consists of t-shirt, shorts or tracksuit. (Shorts are preferable for indoor P.E. lessons).

Clothing Grants & Free School Meals - EAC online system

https://www.eastayrshire.gov.uk/CouncilAndGovernment/Benefits/Benefits-EducationAndSchool/Clothing-grants-and-free-school-meals/Apply-online.aspx

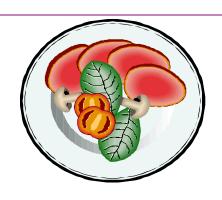
### **School Uniform**

#### Clothing / items of jewellery not allowed are those which:

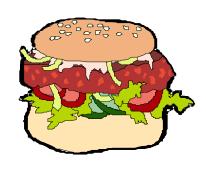
- potentially encourage rivalry (such as football colours)
- could cause offence as a result of wording or pictures
- could cause health and safety difficulties (such as loose fitting clothing, dangling earrings, rings)
- are made of flammable material
- could cause damage to flooring
- carry advertising, particularly for alcohol or tobacco

# Why School Uniform?

- Sense of identity and pride in the school.
- Easy identification and extra security in and out of school.
- Value for money.
- Avoids disputes about what to wear to school.
- Removes pressure to wear fashion/ designer clothes.
- Encourages a work ethos as preparation for the future.



## Lunch



A choice of hot and cold foods is available including salads, sandwiches, soups and a selection of main courses/sweets. A "cashless system" is used for payment. Parents/Carers should set up a new Parent Pay Account linked to Grange Academy – See East Ayrshire Council Website, Online School Payment Service. Free water is available at our water dispensers. Normally drinks are also available from the vending machines. Some pupils may prefer to bring a packed lunch.



# Transport

\* Transport application forms are available online. <a href="https://www.east-">https://www.east-</a>

<u>ayrshire.gov.uk/EducationAndLearning/Travelling</u> <u>ToSchool/Schooltransport/Schooltransport.aspx</u>

- \* Bus passes will be posted out to parents/carers.
- \* Taxis are coordinated by Miss Sharon Reid PT ASN.

#### Extra Curricular Activities

In Non-Covid times these fall into three main categories:

Music & Drama e.g. Choirs, Bands, Shows

Sporting e.g. Dance, Football, Rugby, Badminton

Cultural/Leisure e.g. Games Clubs, Library, Skiing Trips, Alton Towers

## Attendance and Timekeeping

- Good attendance is linked to good attainment and helps ensure the welfare and protection of pupils.
- Our Homelink Worker Irene White Attendance checks
- Pupils are registered each period using Click + Go (an electronic registering system). Safeguarding texts issued to parents and carers.
- Pupils/parents/carers are asked to provide acceptable reasons for non-attendance, preferably by telephone call before 8.45am.

## Contact with Parents/Carers

- School App for Parents
- School App for Parents
- Email attendance, school announcements, etc.
- School Website and Twitter

https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/ea/eastayrshiregrangeacademymain2017/

- Phone Calls Guidance Teacher and Head of House
- Satchel One
- Progress Reports Tracking and Full Reports
- Parents' Evenings e.g. for information, progress and attainment
- Parent Council

## Contact with Parents/Carers

In case of emergency, it is vital that you contact the school office in the first instance (rather than the young person directly).

Your son/daughter's Guidance teacher should normally be your first point of contact with the school.

### Home Link Workers

Lesley Wilson

➤ Irene White



## Homework



#### Satchel One website

- Teachers upload tasks/ instructions for pupils to access at home.
- Parents can view the homework their child has been set.

#### Some examples:

English: reading, writing or preparing/rehearsing a talk

Modern Languages: revising vocabulary

Art: applying what they've learned about colour theory to drawing and design

We appreciate your support at home. Research shows that family involvement is the biggest positive influence on young people's success.

## Brown Envelopes

- Cashless system
- Data check form
- Email Details
- Photograph Permission form
- Annual PE consent form
- NEC Young Scot card

#### **New Class Teams**

- Pupils will be added to 2 new Teams Groups
- 1. House Team e.g. Bruce, Douglas
- 2. Guidance Team e.g. 1G1, 1H2 etc
- Set up as a means of communication to take place between House Head or Guidance Teacher with pupils over the summer holidays and throughout the school year.

## New S<sub>1</sub> Day 1

- Pupils should report to the Assembly Hall by 8.45am
- Mrs Crawford, Miss McBride and Miss Reid will meet pupils in the Assembly Hall.
- Pupils will be organised into their classes and S3 pupils will escort them to and from their classes.
- Regular check-ins with classes throughout the week.

#### Our School Values:



#### Thank You

If you require any further information, please contact Mrs Crawford DHT or Miss McBride PT Transition.

or

Miss Reid PT ASN if you have specific questions regarding Additional Support Needs.

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