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Our Ref: GC/RS
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Head Teacher
All Schools

Dear Head Teacher

Early Closure Easter 2025 Transport Update

The Easter school closure on **Friday 04th April 2025** whereby **all** schools close at **2.30pm** will no doubt have an impact on pupils who access school transport. We have many linked contracts that serve both primary pupils as well as secondary pupils across both mainstream and ASN schools.

To ensure efficient transport provision on this date and to ease congestion, all contractors will arrange to collect primary children at **2pm** and secondary pupils thereafter at around **2.30pm**, **with the following exceptions.**

Park Primary School to be collected at 2.00pm
Willowbank School to be collected at 1.00pm
Hillside School to be collected at 2.00 pm
Lochnorris Primary/SLC to be collected at 2.30pm
Crosshouse Primary & Communication Centre to be collected at 2.30pm
St Sophia's Decant to be collected at Kirkstyle at 2pm.

Where secondary schools have an earlier finish time on Fridays, this will remain unchanged.

Many Thanks for your continued co-operation.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'George Corbett', with a large, stylized initial 'G'.

George Corbett
Contracts Manager - Transport