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Dear Parent/ Carer

In Giffnock Nursery we use Seesaw (<http://seesaw.me>), an online journal where staff, children and families can document and reflect on learning and personal achievements.

We have had extremely positive feedback from our Nursery families on Seesaw and how it is supporting their involvement and enjoyment in the learning process, through an easy to use app or website.

We are pleased to share with you that this session our school pupils are also beginning to use Seesaw. Your child will be adding learning activities (including photos, videos, worksheets, drawings and voice recordings) to their Seesaw journal. We will share this privately with you to view and comment on at the end of this school year along with the end of year report.

Seesaw journals are private. Journals are only accessible to teachers, the pupil, and a pupil's family when the school chooses to invite them. Links to Seesaw journal posts can only be accessed if shared by a teacher. Links are not searchable.

Family members are only able to access their own child's journal, not the journals of other students in the class.

This session, 2023-2024, we will not be posting photos of your child on the app, and will instead focus on photos/videos and voice recordings of their school work. At the start of the next school year we will send out updated photo consent forms that will take your preferences for Seesaw into account. You will then have access to these online journals and updates throughout the school year.

If you would like more information please do not hesitate to contact the school via the school office on 0141-570-7180.

Kind regards,

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