

## Happy New Year

It seems a bit late to be wishing you all a Happy New Year as we are almost half way through January already! I hope you had a lovely time with your families over the festive period. It has been lovely welcoming all of the children back to school and hearing all about their holidays.

## STAFFING

I would like to officially welcome Mrs Linsey Miller to the Uplawmoor Team. She has taken over from Mr Blackwell in the school office and I hope she enjoys working with us. I know everyone will give her a typical warm Uplawmoor welcome and I am sure she will get to know all of our families very quickly.

Miss Malcolm who has been working with us on a part time basis, will now be working with us full time until the end of March.

## PRIMARY 1 HEIGHT AND WEIGHT MEASUREMENT

Just to give you advance notice that school nursing team will be in contact soon to arrange suitable dates to carry out the routine Primary 1 Heights and Weights measurements. The team have informed us that the staff who will carry this out are all fully vaccinated, including their booster vaccination and will wear PPE whilst they are in school. I will send out further information once this received.

## CLYDE IN THE CLASSROOM

Primary 5-7 enjoyed a trip to the Transport Museum as an Introduction to their Clyde in the Classroom Project. The children will be learning about the life history of the brown trout, which is native to Scotland, through caring for their eggs until they can be returned to the River Clyde. This project also promotes the awareness of river ecology around the river and forms part of a wider topic focus that the children are undertaking on the City of Glasgow. Please follow us on twitter [@UplawmoorPS](#) to follow the journey of our brown trout.

## LUNCHES

Can I please remind you that free school lunches are now being offered from Primary 1-5? We should be returning to the full menu next week, details of which can be found [here](#).

Please note that if you qualify for free school meals and clothing grants, this should still be applied for as before. Details can be found [here](#).

Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions or concerns. I hope you have a great weekend.

Best Regards



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