October 2024 Update

**Torryburn Primary School - Family Engagement**

Please find a revised calendar of events for the remainder of the year from Term 2 onwards. Please note there is a change in date of our November Open afternoon which will now be held on Tuesday 19th November. We are working to streamline commuication and will therefore no longer continue to update the School. The communication methods we use are:

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| Communication method | What is communicated (examples) |
| Groupcall Email Text message | Letters from school - upcoming events and informationNewslettersInformation about booking Active schools run clubs – eg footballTermly milk payment/ordering informationPupil absences (parents/carers can text back), important updates about bus delays/changes, emergency school closures and reopening |
| Phone  | Pupil illness during school day Child not sure if getting school bus home or notTeaching staff may call with updates at times or in response to queries |
| Seesaw app | Teachers and Nursery staff share regular learning updates |
| School website | <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/fi/torryburnps/>School and Nursery Information – contextSchool and Nursery Improvement workPoliciesNewslettersTermly overviews |
| School Facebook PageSearch Torryburn primary School and Nursery on FB | Upcoming school and nursery eventsSharing and celebrating successCommunity and partner events such as library services, Fife Council |

If you would like to contact us please phone the school office on 01383 602437 or drop in to the school office. You can also email the school at Torryburnps.enquries@fife.gov.uk

Our office staff will direct your query to the relevant member of staff and either the office team or staff member will contact you as soon as they can. Many thanks for your continued support.

Ms Claire Wyatt

Headteacher

**Term 2**

21 October - New term begins

21-25 October – P7 pupils and staff to Ardroy (remaining pupils in class taught by Miss Beattie, Mr Graham and Ms Wyatt)

15 November - Inset day – school closed to pupils

19 November – Family Time 2.10pm – 2.50pm - Families can come and join the learning

26 November – P6/7 Class assembly 2.20pm

29 November – Funky Fun Friday (dress down – 50p donation)

11 December – P1-3 Nativity Perfomance 2pm – ‘We’re Aff tae See the Wee Man!’

12 December – Christmas jumper day

16 December - Term 2 Newsletter

17 December – Pantomime in school ‘Gie it Laldy’

17 December – Torryburn Christmas Concert 6pm

20 December – Last day of Term

**Term 3**

6 January – Start of Term

30 January – Burns Theme Family Time 9.20-10.00 – (Families can come and join the learning in class)

31 January Funky Fun Friday (dress down day for school funds)

10 February P4/5 Class assembly 2.20pm

11 February – Silent Disco for pupils (time TBC)

12 February – Inset day (school closed to pupils)

13 & 14 February - Holidays

5 March – P3/4 Class assembly 2.20pm

18 March – Family Time - Daffodil Tea 2pm

24 March Pupil Progress Evenings 3.30-5.30pm

26 March Pupil Progress Evenings 4.30-6.30pm

28 March – Funky Fun Friday – Dress down day

31 March – Term 3 Newsletter

**Term 4**

21 April – Start of Term

5 May – Holiday

6 May – 6pm Family Quiz night

13 May - School sports afternoon

27 May – Family Time 9.10-9.50 Emotion Works

30 May – Funky Fun Friday

2 June- Holiday

3 June -Inset day

10 June -P1/2 Class assembly 2.20pm

23 June – Term 4 Newsletter

25 June – P7 Leavers show/assembly 2pm

3 July - End of Term – Shorts and Shades day