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### **Arrangements for S4-S6 on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> of February**

I wrote to you earlier this week regarding the limited return to school on Monday the 22<sup>nd</sup> of February for some young people in S4-S6 undertaking practical work related to SQA qualifications. As we are not permitted to have more than 8% of our school roll on site at any one time, we have had to assign times to groups of pupils studying the relevant subjects, so that we can limit numbers of pupils in attendance in the required way. It is, therefore, likely that your child - if invited in to school - will only attend for part(s) of the school day. You should expect them to return home at the end of their allotted time.

The parents of the required young people will be contacted by Group Call text message to invite the young person in to school at the appropriate times. Departments and faculties, using Teams, SMH or their preferred online platform, will confirm this by contacting the young people directly, so that they are fully aware of when they are expected to be in school. Pupils will, at the end of their scheduled lesson, leave the school building, so that the next group(s) of young people can be admitted.

I would also like to make you aware of the following practical arrangements:

- All young people (including those in the Childcare Hub) will be expected to wear school uniform;
- Senior pupils will be expected to wear face coverings in class (unless exempt), as they did earlier in the session;
- 2-metre physical distancing rules will be in place within classrooms;
- A register will be taken for each lesson; parents/carers will be contacted if young people do not attend.

I would also like to remind you that young people and staff attending school will have access to Covid-19 Lateral Flow Testing kits. Letters on how our young people can access these testing kits, and how they should be used, were issued earlier this week.

Please get in touch with me at the school if you have any comments or queries in relation to the above.

Kind regards,

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