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Dear Parent/Carer,

We are fast approaching the very last week of primary school for our wonderful Primary 7 children. Many of you will still be questioning where the time has gone? It may seem like it was only yesterday you were visiting Noble Primary for the first time for enrolment, or attend an open hour or class assembly, but it is now time to begin a new chapter in their life, as they move forward to secondary school where they will make new friendships, share experiences and create memories of their own. The children have been an absolute credit to you and your family and we know that they will continue to make you proud in the future.

To celebrate this special occasion, I have outlined our arrangements for some of the events planned for next week.

Leavers' Assembly – Monday 21st June

On Monday 21st of June, each Primary 7 class will assemble separately in the hall and be presented with their yearbook, secondary school tie and leavers' gift from the Parent Council. The children have been working hard to record their experiences and memories of their time at primary school and we cannot wait to share these with you digitally. We ask that the children come to school on Monday in their Leavers' hoodie.

Leavers' Celebration – Tuesday 22nd June

Class teachers have been planning with the children a 'shorts and shades' afternoon for Tuesday 22nd June. Our current plan is for this to be outside, and a contingency plan is in place should the weather change. The children can dress down on Tuesday to celebrate.

Risk Assessment and Guidance

Due to the current guidance, we understand that there will be a general feeling of sadness and disappointment that we cannot celebrate our children's transition together. As per my previous correspondence, the Scottish Government and North Lanarkshire Council have been very clear that we must not increase footfall, inside or outside school, and must continue to adhere strictly, to the mitigations contained within the guidance.

You will be aware from North Lanarkshire's social media, that there has been an increase in Covid-19 cases within the council area, and it is important that we continue to keep our children safe by following our risk assessment. However, be assured that my staff are working very hard to share as much of the children's celebrations with you via Twitter and Glow next week.

Finally, I want to thank you for your continued support and understanding during these times. Have a lovely summer holiday when it comes.

Kind regards,

Mr Daniel Murray
Head Teacher



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