



Taylor High School

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School Newsletter



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Dear Parent/Carer,

Many thanks again for your ongoing support in helping our young people get back into the swing of a good routine for learning. I have reminded a number of our young people this week about the importance of staying in class in line with our COVID-19 safety measures, and about not leaving the school grounds during interval. I would appreciate your continued support to maximise the safety and learning of all our young people.

SQA Update

Many thanks to the parents/carers who highlighted questions for our online information session. Please find below the key dates from our SQA Assessment activities which directly involve communication and involvement of parents and young people:



21st May Update report to parents with Working Level and Working Grade.

Please note that the Working Grades provided are not necessarily final grades since there are still assessment activities planned to allow holistic judgement of all the available evidence.

21st - 28th May Enquiry Window for parents/carers to ask questions or seek clarification from the school about the reported Working Grades.

21st June Provisional Grades will be shared with pupils and parents/carers.

21st – 24 June Enquiry Window for parents/carers to ask questions or seek clarification from the school about the reported Provisional Grades

Show Racism the Red Card Competition @ Taylor

At Taylor High we take immense pride in our school and wider community. We strive to provide a wealth of experiences and opportunities for our young people to develop, through positive interactions, respectful dialogue and a robust support network that works for everyone. Our mission is for the next generation to develop into well-rounded citizens who will shape our local and wider community while always striving for improvement.



Show Racism the Red Card is a charity which strongly resonates with our school ethos on dignity and equality for all. We firmly believe this bold and brave new generation are #GenerationEquality.

Within our Art & Design Department we created a Design unit around the theme of this year's competition. Within this unit we learned about and discussed Racism, in all its hideous forms, and its devastating and lasting effects on the Health and Wellbeing of individuals and groups. We also discussed the meaning of equality as the antithesis of discrimination and encouraged a lively dialogue about how equality is a significant journey to embark on and an incredible destination to fight for.

PLEASE VIEW AND VOTE FOR THE BEST OF OUR FINALISTS' DESIGNS HERE.



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<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/nl/taylor/>



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HPV and Catchup Vaccinations

The Vaccination Programme will take place on Monday of this week for all S1 pupils who have returned their consent form, and S2 pupils who are part of the catchup programme.

Pupils are advised to wear a short-sleeved shirt and have eaten a good breakfast.

Any parent who wishes their child to receive the vaccination but has not yet returned the consent form should contact the school office on Monday morning for us to request a call-back from NHS staff.

UNIFORMS FOR AUGUST

Uniform orders can be placed with Logoxpress before Monday July 12th. Orders should be made before this date to ensure arrival by the new term in August. Further details are available on their website about how to order: <https://www.logoxpres-schoolwear.co.uk/>

Yours faithfully,
Paul McWatt

W/C 17 MAY 2021 IS WEEK 1 OF THE TIMETABLE

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY	SQA SUBJECT ASSESSMENT PERIOD: W/B 26APR THROUGHOUT MAY 28/31 May—May Holiday Weekend (Fri/Mon) 7-8 June—Additional Inservice Days 24 June—School closes for summer
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S4 ASSESSMENT TIMELINE

Week Commencing 17th May – WEEK 1 TT						
Monday	17th May	Nat 5	Spanish 4E	Mr Campbell – Room 29	Reading & Writing	1&2
		Nat 5	Spanish 4F	Mrs Bell – Room 36	Reading & Writing	1&2
		Nat 5	Spanish 4G	Mrs Jackson – Room 28	Reading & Writing	1&2
		Nat 5	Practical Cookery 4E	Mr Russell – OWN CLASS		6&7
			Practical Cookery 4G	Miss Carnegie – Theatre		6&7
			Practical Cookery 4F	Miss Bannatyne – Middle Gym		6&7
		Nat 5	Graphic Comm 4G	OWN CLASS		3&4
Tuesday	18th May	Nat 5	Practical Woodwork 4E	Mr McDonagh - OWN CLASS		3&4
Wednesday	19th May	Nat 5	Music 4G	Mrs McKinlay - OWN CLASS	Listening	1&2
		Nat 5	Maths	OWN CLASS	P1b P2b	3&4
Thursday	20th May	Nat 5	Health & Food	OWN CLASS		1&2
		Nat 5	Computing 4E	Mr Lewis - Theatre		1 & 2
		Nat 5	Computing 4F	Mr Richardson - OWN CLASS		1 & 2
		Nat 5	Business 4F	Mr Price – OWN CLASS		5,6&7
		Nat 5	Business 4G	Mrs Brand – OWN CLASS		5,6&7
Friday	21st May	Nat 5	Spanish 4E	Mr Campbell - OWN CLASS	Listening	P3
		Nat 5	Spanish 4G	Mrs Jackson – Rm28	Listening	P3
		Nat 5	Spanish 4F	Mr Campbell - OWN CLASS	Listening	P5

S5/6 ASSESSMENT TIMELINE

Week Commencing 17th May – Week 1					
Monday	17th May	Higher	Human Biology – Mrs Cummings (Mon 3&4) – OWN ROOM	Section 1&2	1,2,3&4
			Human Biology – Mrs McFarlane/Mrs Meharry (5B – Mon 3&4) – OWN ROOM	Section 1&2	1,2,3&4
			Human Biology – Mrs Cummings (Mon6&7) – Games Hall	Section 1&2	1,2,3&4
			Human Biology – Mrs McFarlane/Mrs Meharry (5E – Tues 3&4) – Room 29	Section 1&2	1,2,3&4
		Nat 5	Graphic Comm – Mr McDonagh – D5		3&4
		Nat 5	Practical Cookery – Miss Carnegy – OWN ROOM		6&7
Tuesday	18th May	Nat 5 Apps	Maths S5 – 5B Mr O'Donnell – Theatre	P1b P2b	1&2
			Maths S5 – 5D Mr Rooney – OWN ROOM	P1b P2b	1&2
			Maths S5 – 5B Mr McSherry – Middle Gym	P1b P2b	1&2
			Practical Woodwork 5E – Mr MacLeod – OWN CLASS		3&4
			Mod Studies 5A – Mr McPake – Rm182	Paper 1b	6&7
			Mod Studies 5C – Mrs Connell – Theatre	Paper 1b	6&7
Wednesday	19th May	Higher	Spanish 5E – OWN ROOM	Reading/Writing	5,6&7
			Chemistry – Mrs Harris – OWN ROOM	Section 1&2	1,2,3&4
			Chemistry – Mrs Brown – OWN ROOM	Section 1&2	1,2,3&4
			Chemistry – Mrs McCranor – Room 161	Section 1&2	1,2,3&4
			RMPS – OWN ROOM	Unit 2	1&2
			Cake Craft – Miss Bannantyne - OWN ROOM		5&6
Thursday	20th May	Nat 5	Health & Food – Room 226		1&2
			Physics – Mr Savage – OWN ROOM	Section 1&2	1,2,3&4
			Physics – Mr Phairs (Th1/2) – OWN ROOM	Section 1&2	1,2,3&4
			Physics – Mr Phairs (Th6/7) – Middle Gym	Section 1&2	1,2,3&4
			Geography – OWN ROOM	Unit 3	6&7
			Geography – OWN ROOM	Paper 1b	6&7
			Business – Mrs Brand - Theatre		5,6&7
Friday	21st May	Higher	Health & Food – OWN ROOM		3&4
			Maths – OWN ROOM	P1b P2b	3&4
			History 5D – Miss Kane – OWN ROOM	Unit 3	5&6
			History 5E – Ms Stoutjesdyk – OWN ROOM	Unit 3	5&6
			History 5D – Miss Kane – OWN ROOM	Paper 1b	5&6
			History 5E– Ms Stoutjesdyk – OWN ROOM	Paper 1b	5&6