

# St. John Ogilvie Primary School

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*Our School Values: Kindness, Respect, Honesty*  
*Our School Vision: A community of excellence and opportunity for all*

16<sup>th</sup> August 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

It is lovely to welcome all our children back to school today. We also extend a warm welcome to new children and families who have joined our school community.

A full newsletter will follow nearer the end of the month however, in the meantime there are a few updates:

### **Drop off and pick up**

In the morning, pupils can enter via any school gate. We ask that pupils in P1-3 enter the school building via the infant doors (near the staff car park). Primary 4-7 pupils should enter the school building via the upper playground doors at the back of the school.

Classes	Pick Up
Primary 1	School playground near the large planters
Primary 1/2	School playground near the large planters
Primary 2	School playground in front of the grass near the Timber Trail
Primary 3	Will be dismissed by their teacher at Gate 2. (Entrance from Seedhill Road).
Primary 3/4	Primary 3 pupils will be dismissed by their teacher at Gate 2. (Entrance from Seedhill Road). Primary 4 can be collected from any gate. Please make this arrangement with your child.
Primary 4 – Primary 7	Can be collected from any gate. Please make this arrangement with your child.



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## PE Days

Classes	PE Days
Primary 1	Monday and Wednesday
Primary 1/2	Monday and Thursday
Primary 2	Tuesday and Thursday
Primary 3	Monday and Tuesday
Primary 3/4	Monday and Wednesday
Primary 4	Wednesday and Thursday
Primary 5	Tuesday and Friday
Primary 6	Tuesday and Thursday
Primary 7	Wednesday and Friday

On the days your child has PE please can I ask that they bring shorts, plimsolls/trainers and a t-shirt. Pupils in P1-3 may wish to wear a polo shirt to school on their PE days, this can then be used for their PE lesson. We ask that no jewellery is worn to school on PE days. If your child has their ears pierced and cannot removed their earrings, please can I ask that you either cover your child's earrings with tape or send your child with tape to cover the earrings during their PE lesson. The school office is unable to provide tape.

## Water bottles

In the school we have a number of water fountains. Children are invited to bring a water bottle to school which they can take home at the end of the school day to be cleaned.

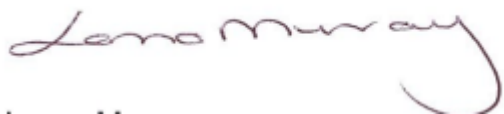
## Staffing Update

This session we welcome Ms Torrens (P5), Mr McCarthy (P6) and Ms Johnston to our teaching team. We also extend a warm welcome to Ms Attwood (Additional Needs Assistant) and Ms Kaur (Office Staff).

I am delighted to inform you of some lovely news, Mrs Benton (P3) is expecting a baby girl. Mrs Benton will continue to work with Primary 3 until December. Further information to primary 3 parents/carers regarding a teacher from January will follow.

If you have any questions regarding this information, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Yours,



Lorna Murray  
Head Teacher

