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Dear Parents/Carers,



GIRVAN
ACADEMY

Transition dates for P6 and P7 pupils

Girvan Academy have confirmed the arrangements for their transition programme for the P7 pupils who will be moving onto Girvan next session and for **all Primary 6 pupils** who are being given a special day visit to the Academy. The children will be travelling in staff or parents' cars.

Enhanced Transition visits

Some P7 children also have the opportunity to participate in an enhanced transition programme due to their learning, emotional needs, vulnerabilities or anxieties associated with transition. Those identified will spend time in Girvan Academy over and above their visits with the main P7 cohort. Parents have been notified.

P7 Microsoft Team

The P7 MS Team will be set up and include all P7s and their teachers. Each week, learning activities will be uploaded by Departments in the Academy. The class teacher and parents can support the children to complete these activities in school and at home. *The Class Teacher will provide more details through the Learning Journals.*

P7 Visit to Girvan Academy

Wednesday 7th May 8.45am – 2.50pm

Pupils will sample lessons and learning experiences from around the school (See attached timetable). Children should bring a snack and packed lunch. **If your child is entitled to a free meal, they will be provided with a packed lunch.** All children should arrive at school by **8.30am** to allow time to register and travel to Girvan. They will be travelling in staff cars.

P7 PE Visit and Moving Up Workshops

Monday 12th May 9.30am – 2.30pm

P7 pupils will spend the morning in P.E and will participate in workshops in the afternoon led by Girvan Academy Youth Worker Team and Thriving Communities) P.E kit, a snack and a packed lunch is needed. **If your child is entitled to a free meal, they will be provided with a packed lunch.** All children should arrive at school by **8.30am** to allow time to register and travel to Girvan. They will be travelling in staff cars.

P6 visit – PE

Wednesday 20th May – 9.30 to 12.30

All P6 pupils are invited to visit the Academy and will participate in fun P.E activities with children from the other Cluster Primaries. Pupils should arrive in P.E. kit. They will be provided with an interval snack.

We are looking for parent volunteers to assist with transporting children.

P7 Three Day Visit

Tues 10th June, Wed 11th June and Thurs 12th June (8.45am to 2.45pm)

P7 pupils will be in their new S1 classes and follow their new timetable for three days. *Arrangements for lunch and transport will be confirmed prior to the visit.*

A Parents'/Carers' Information Session is scheduled for Thursday 12th June at 6pm.

It is a busy term with transition activities but hopefully this gives you a good overview of the dates in advance.

Yours sincerely

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