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Dear Parents & Carers

Maybole Community Campus Transition Arrangements & Travel Pack Leaflet

South Ayrshire Council understands the opening of the new Maybole Community Campus in August 2023 will be a period of change for our young people and the community.

From this September the Campus contractor will move on to the next phase of works which is the demolition of the current Carrick Academy teaching blocks and games hall to create the car park and fully landscaped entrance to the Campus. The anticipated completion date for this phase is Spring 2024.

A travel pack attached with this communication has been formalised in conjunction with transport consultants, Dougall Baillie Associates, and this provides Parents and Carers with important information regarding arrangements for the first day of pupil occupation on Thursday 24th August 2023.

During this 8-month period there will no Parental / Carer parking within the Campus grounds at drop off and pick up times. The limited space available during the demolition phase will be for dedicated school transport vehicles and staff parking.

I would recommend that Parents and Carers spend some time reading the document as it explains where our young people should enter the Campus from, walking routes to specific entrances which facilitate pupil segregation, park and stride options within the town and school transport drop off / pick up locations.

As Educational Services expect that the streets surrounding the Campus will be extremely busy at pick-up and drop-off times, I would ask that where possible, Parents and Carers find alternatives to transporting our young people by car directly to the Campus during the initial period after it opens in August 2023.

Once you have read the travel pack content, if you have any questions, please contact your respective school Senior Management Team. Educational Services appreciates your patience and understanding during this period of transition.

From April 2024 the full Campus parking scheme will be available and at that time, officers from the Council will review the interim access and egress arrangements in place and provide an update on those.

The travel pack can also be accessed on the relevant school websites.

Yours sincerely,



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