HT Update Friday 10/5/24

Dear pupils, parents/carers and staff,

**Communication Policy**

* My update last week was to share the new Communications policy.
* There is a plain black text version of the policy on our website [Policies – Peebles High School (glowscotland.org.uk)](https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/sb/peebleshighschool/policies/)

**INSET 7 May 2024**

* Our staff had a very productive day working collegiately on a range of topics.
* We started by looking at school priorities for next session. One of our main areas for improvement is planning our S1-3 courses to meet the needs of all our learners.
* We spent time in the day working on this planning and teachers also started work on self-evaluation processes in relation to teaching and learning. In the afternoon we engaged with SBC Nurturing Approaches, with a focus on Wellbeing.

**The Wider Curriculum in PHS**

* Our young people enjoy achievements in a wide range of clubs, trips and qualifications both in school and in other areas of their lives.
* It is important for us that we see these experiences as part of a valuable wider curriculum that our young people benefit from.
* You are aware that our [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/p/Peebles-High-School-61555487439477/) page has a focus on the achievements of our young people in the school, and in this wider curriculum.
* Please engage with this page and let us know by email about any significant achievements of our young people in this wider curriculum.

I hope everyone has a nice weekend,

Yours faithfully,

Kevin Ryalls

Headteacher