



# Shetland Islands Council

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Dear Parents and Carers

## **Morning Arrangements**

This is just a reminder about our December communication on the morning arrangements for the Primary Department.

At recent parent council meetings we have been discussing the start of the school day and the possibility of pupils entering the school earlier when the weather is poor. At present, school staff open the classroom doors at 8:50am when it is a poor day, allowing the pupils early access to school. This will continue and we would like to ask parents to be mindful of the time they drop off their children, keeping as near to 8:55am as possible to prevent the children having to wait outside any longer than they need to.

For the pupils who travel to school on the bus, they can shelter in the Primary porch when it is too rainy to wait outside. Bus pupils have been told these new arrangements but if parents could remind them on rainy days that would be useful.

We will be reviewing these arrangements by the end of this term. To help us with this, we will be consulting with pupils and parents in the next few weeks about how this is working.

Yours sincerely

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Head Teacher