



Our Vision

Our vision at Braehead is to provide a positive and engaging learning environment which challenges and supports all children to be the best they can be.

Braehead Primary School Newsletter **Week beginning 9.11.2020**

Dear Parents/Carers,

Transition Mission



Our Primary 7 children received a visit from Mrs Wilson, DHT Lanark Grammar School on Friday. Mrs Wilson spoke to the children about a mission she has set up for the future S1 pupils. All pupils in P7 received a special Transition Mission lanyard which has 8 empty boxes to be filled in with either a letter or number over the course of the coming months.

Between now and June every faculty within Lanark Grammar School will record a lesson which will be shared with all the associated primaries. After the lesson the teacher will share a letter or number which the children record in one of the boxes on the back of the lanyard. Once all the letters/numbers have been shared the children have to crack the code in order to go to LGS! The children seemed really excited about completing the mission and I am sure along the way there will be lots to learn about Lanark Grammar School.

In-service Day

Monday 16 November 2020 is an in-service day, pupils should not attend school on this day.

Rag Bag

We have a rag bag collection on Wednesday 25 November. Any bags should be brought to the school before then and placed inside the rag bag bin. If this happens to be full please store any bags in the front shed for the collection, many thanks.



Christmas Cards

Please note that this year the children should not bring Christmas cards to distribute to their friends in school. You will appreciate we have to try to limit items brought from home to school and vice versa and therefore we would politely request that cards are not brought in this year. I understand that this is disappointing but I am sure you will agree they are not essential and perhaps with so many financial pressures at this time of year, particularly this year, it is one less thing to be purchased.

As a school we will do all we can, within the current safety guidelines, to make Christmas special for the children.

Forth Development Trust

We were delighted to have received, one again, funding from Forth Development Trust. Following a successful grant application we have been awarded £500 to purchase new class speakers for both classes and a class set of BBC Micro:bits to enable us to further develop STEM across the school. I think the children will thoroughly enjoy working with this equipment.

As always, should you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.



Elizabeth Steele
Head Teacher

Dates for the Diary:

16.11.20	IN-SERVICE DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
27.11.20	Dress Down Day – No charge
22.12.20	School closes 2.30pm for Christmas Holidays Dress Down Day – No charge
6.1.21	School reopens 9am
8.2.21	HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED
9.2.21	HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED
10.2.21	IN-SERVICE DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
1.4.21	School closes 2.30pm for Spring Break
19.4.21	School reopens 9am
6.5.21	IN-SERVICE DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
3.5.21	BANK HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
21.5.21	Reports to Parents
9.6.21	Sports Afternoon 1:30pm
10.6.21	LANIMER HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
11.6.21	LANIMER HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
21.6.21	Summer Celebration – At this time we are unable to confirm if parents will be invited.
24.6.21	School closes 1pm for Summer Holidays