

**Calderwood Primary & Nursery** 

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Nursery Primary Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to update you on the first phase of work for our planned extension. We are delighted that Morrisons, the appointed contractor for our extension, will begin working onsite from 9<sup>th</sup> October, during the school holiday period.

This initial phase of work will have an impact on our playground for 9 school days, from 17<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> October. During this period, we will not have full access to the school playground and therefore access at the start and end of the school day will be as explained below between 17<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> October only. As we will not have access to the majority of our internal playground, we have also put plans in place to ensure that all children have the opportunity to access either the area outside the cabins, the school field or MUGA for break, lunch times and outdoor P.E.

We would request that you share the information below with whoever drops off and collects your child/ren to and from school. At this time, we would also ask you to consider your use of the carpark, as there will be more families using the path along the school/ nursery entrances at this time.

## Start of the school day

Breakfast club will continue to run from 8:05am- 8:25am and children should enter as usual the main school entrance.

All children can access the school building from 8.25am via the doors indicated below (there is no access to the playground at this time):

Clan	Entry Point
P1 - 4 clans (including those in the cabins)	Main front door
P5 -7 clans	Side door (Nethershiel Road)

As always, champions will be there to guide the children on where to go, with the support of our pupil house team.

## End of the school day

Children attending Jets and Simply Play will have the same arrangements as they do at the moment. Collection doors are as indicated below, we will have signs on the doors and cones out to show you where to wait.

Clan	Exit Point
Mull, Orkney, Shetland and Skye	Arena Doors
Tay and Tummel	Community Cupboards Doors
Ness, Linlithgow, Leven, Rannoch	Front doors at reception
Edinburgh, Glasgow and Perth	Cabin Door as normal
Aberdeen, Dundee and Stirling	Leave via Glencoe gate as normal
	unaccompanied by an adult.
Primary 5-7	Leave via the side door at Nethershiel Road, as
	normal unaccompanied by an adult.



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In order to avoid congestion at the office, we would request that you do not use this area from 3:05-3:20pm, unless it is an emergency.

If you have siblings across Primary 1, 2 and 3, the champions will wait with your child until they are collected by an adult. We would recommend you collecting your child from Primary 1 -2 and P3/2 first, we will ensure the P3 children in the cabins are safe until an adult comes into the playground for them.

<u>Please complete the form here</u>, if you have a child in Edinburgh, Glasgow or Perth Clans who has a P1 or P2 sibling. We will supervise any children who are in Edinburgh, Glasgow or Perth Clans until their younger sibling has been collected and you have come to collect them at the cabin exit point.

At Calderwood Primary, we are proud of how many of our children and families cycle to and from school. During this period the bike areas will remain open, however we do recognise that they may be more difficult to access as there will be no one way system in operation. You may wish to consider if your child uses a bike at this time.

- Primary 1-4: Bike Shed at Glencoe Gate (car park gate) This gate will open at the start and end of the day but will not be supervised by a champion at the start of the day.
- Primary 5-6: The area at Great Glen Gate (middle gate)
- Primary 7: The area at Great Glen Gate (middle gate) There will be no access to the Bike rack at the muga

Thank you for your ongoing support as our Calderwood community continues to grow. Should this initial phase of work be completed ahead of schedule, we will of course communicate this to you as soon as we become aware that our access will be restored.

Kind regards,

Miss Burton Head Teacher





