

Dear Families

Curriculum Night (P1-P7)

Thank you for your attendance and engagement with this event. Here is a link to an evaluation of it.
<https://forms.gle/WFKGgSPYqRL9pFmk6>

Staffing

We are pleased to say we have successfully recruited a new dining room/playground supervisor. Miss Jade Steel will join us after the September weekend. A grateful thanks to Mrs Donaldson who has undertaken this role whilst we could recruit and appoint.

School lunches – Fridays

Please remember that if ordering a packed lunch on a Friday (for N – P4 pupils only) that you do so by Sunday evening at the latest. The kitchen run off numbers on a Monday morning for the Friday of that week and orders cannot be changed after this has been done. We still have cases each week where food has been ordered after the cut off and we have been told by Gullane kitchen they cannot fulfil these late orders.

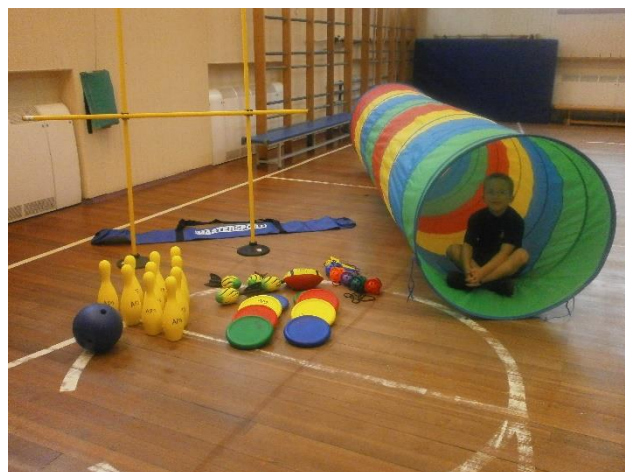
P7 Leadership Roles

P7 pupils who wished a leadership role had to complete an application and promote their skills to the 'Job Panel'. Here are the roles this year:

- Librarians: Niamh & Lottie
- Digital Ambassadors : Lexi, Rachel, Etienne & Wilhelm
- School Ambassadors & JRSO's: Kuba, Jason & Lewis
- Spots Ambassadors: Cody, Harris, Innes, Minke

Gala Play Equipment

We received a generous donation from the Gala Committee 2020-2021 and after short listing by the Pupil Council and then voting amongst all the pupils, equipment was purchased. We are still awaiting some equipment that is on back order.



Support for Learning & Recovery Groups

At present we are assessing children across literacy, numeracy & maths skills. We have arranged meetings where we are analysing this data, alongside what we know about the children to target support. We are initialling focusing our resource on pupils who need help to make the expected progress for their age and who because of COVID maybe have a gap from where they currently are in their learning journey and where we would like them to be. Families will be informed after the September weekend if their child will be attending any groups. Groups are in addition to our universal approach in classrooms where we are also striving to raise of attainment.

Reporting

We are tweaking our approach to reporting to take account of parental comments and staff workload. We are still consulting staff on this and Mr Mckenzie will be consulting the Parental Engagement Committee too. There will however be Learning Conversations in October where you and your child will have the opportunity to discuss your child's learning journey and wellbeing.

Kind Regards

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