

13th July 2020

Dear families

Transition into new classes, 20th/21st July

As the end of the academic year approaches we would like to invite all pupils to return to school for the final two days of term, Monday 20th and Tuesday 21st July; this is regardless of whether or not they have been attending school or which rota they have been on if they are attending.

Schools will be returning to normal in September and we believe it would be beneficial to use the final two days for students to transition into their new classes.

We believe that this will have the following benefits:

- The opportunity for each student to meet their new classes and settle in their new classroom surroundings.
- It will help ease the return to school after the summer holidays and after a long period without the normal school routine.
- Allow for the entire school to experience some normality as a community.
- Enable SLT and the entire school to better prepare for September and finalise any details.

Of course we shall continue to have our measures in place to keep both staff and students safe such as class bubbles, frequent hand washing and social distancing.

The only exception to this offer is those students who are leaving this year (eg moving onto college) and they will finish at Dysart this week, Friday 17th July; or those who are still shielding.

We need to hear from every parent whether you wish to send your child in or not so that we are able to organise the new class bubbles and make transport arrangements. Transport can only be provided if you currently access it.

Please contact Sue Bashford on sbashford@dysartschool.org to confirm if your child will be attending school on 20th and 21st July or call the school office on 020-8412-2600. This must be done by 4pm on Tuesday 14th July, tomorrow.

If you have any questions at all, please do not hesitate to contact me. Stay safe and well.

Yours sincerely



Leigh Edser
Principal