

Wallace Hall Update – 11.06.20 - COVID-19 (Coronavirus)

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Academy email address: gw08officewallace@ea.dumgal.sch.uk

Primary Wordpress website: <https://whplearning.wordpress.com/>

S1-S3 Wordpress website: <https://wallacehalllearninghub.wordpress.com/>

Public Health Phone Number: 01387 272724

NHS24 Phone Number: 111

NHS Website: <https://www.nhsinform.scot/>

Dear Parent/Carer

We hope you are all well and staying safe.

Whole School

Planned Return of Schools

We now have confirmation that schools will begin to welcome pupils from Wednesday 12th August 2020, and this will involve blended learning with time in school and time at home. There will be Inservice Days for staff on Monday 10th and Tuesday 11th August. We have been informed that a letter will come to parents from the Head of Education early next week which will provide more details on the arrangements from 12th August. You may hear lots of rumours about different models before then but please do not take anything as fact until you receive the letter from our Local Authority, which we will forward to you as soon as we have it.

Summer Holiday Bookings for Childcare Places

Please see below a message which was emailed to all families earlier today:

As intimated in our letter earlier this week, we have in place a process for registering for childcare places during the summer holiday period. Places will be available for those families where all adults in the household are key workers. All requests will be considered on a case by case basis and are subject to availability.

Our registration form closes this Sunday (14th June) and I would ask that you ensure any requests are made in advance of this date using the link below.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=oyzTzM4Wj0KVQTctawUZKRmoBe-n4o5IvpSS_-QBM6BUOFJNRFhMTENWVDY3STZKRFFNWEc5MEQ5NC4u

If you have any queries, please contact us at CV19education@dumgal.gov.uk

Weekend Opening and Childcare Bookings

If possible, can you please let us know by 3pm on a Wednesday when you require childcare for the following week? That will allow us to ensure the correct number of staff are booked to be in school each

day. The number of pupils in the Hub is increasing and we may not be able to offer you the places you want if you do not give enough notice.

We will not be open this weekend as we have no pupils booked into The Hub. However, if you have an emergency need for childcare we have staff volunteers on standby who would be happy to come in over the weekend if required. If that happens please contact us by email at gw08officewallace@ea.dumgal.sch.uk

Free School Meals – Boxes or Cash Payment

If you are eligible to receive free school meals for your child(ren) and would like a cash payment instead of the weekly meal box, please click on the following link to access the application form:

<https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpbGljaylslmJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoimjAyMDA1MDQuMjEwMDY0NDEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3N1cHBvcnRkZy5kdW1nYWwuZ292LnVrL0NWMTIzY2hvb2xtZWZscyJ9.TFO5xRorHMNJMa2LqTtzgZc2aRfi3-tz5xjlOK8ZG90/br/78194543844-l>

You need to register by 10.00pm on a Tuesday for a direct payment on a Friday. This is a rolling programme until schools return or the end of term. In the meantime you will continue to receive your Food Boxes.

School Management Rota

Here is the school management rota for next week:

	Saturday (standby)	Sunday (standby)	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
w/c 13/06/ 20 Lead	G Arrowsmith	E Traill	K Bryden	R Fulton	J Blair	B Graham	J Carter
Reserve	N Riley	J Steele	A Meredith	K Bryden	J Carter	R Fulton	B Graham

Managers can be contacted via the school office between 9am-3pm. However, we would like to encourage everyone to contact us via the school email addresses, as above, as a first option. These will be monitored throughout the day.

Primary

Teams - Class Chats

We hope that your child has enjoyed speaking to their teacher and classmates this week. There are still more class chats to happen tomorrow, and they will be continuing each week until the end of term. If you have had any difficulties in using Teams please contact your child's class teacher on ClassDojo or contact the school office and they will be happy to help.

Home Learning Survey

Thank you to all the parents and carers who have completed the survey so far about home learning and returning to school in August. We value your views, and will be reflecting and acting on your constructive feedback.

Transition

Transition information for ELC children moving up to Primary 1 can be found here: <https://www.wallacehall.co.uk/elc-p1-transitions>

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ELC - P1 Transitions This section of the website will include information and useful documents surrounding the transitions process.

www.wallacehall.co.uk

Transition information for Primary 7 can be found here: <https://www.wallacehall.co.uk/transitions>

Information about transition for current Primary 1 - Primary 6 children will be shared shortly, including information about your child's class teacher and transition activities.

Academy

SQA results day - Tuesday 4th August

All Senior Phase pupils will receive their certificates from the SQA on Tuesday 4th August. It is obviously important that the school have your most up to date address to ensure the certificate goes to the correct address. If you have moved house in recent weeks and have not yet notified the school please do so as soon as possible by contacting the school office. In addition to receiving their certificate by mail we would also encourage all pupils to sign up to MySQA so they receive their results by text message on the morning of Tuesday 4th August. They can do this using the link below.

<https://www.sqa.org.uk/sqa/41324.html>

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Register for MySQA. You can find your SCN on a previous SQA certificate. If you don't have an SQA certificate, speak to your school/college, call us on 0345 279 1000, or complete our Candidate Enquiry Form. Connect with us on Twitter, Facebook or in the Student Room . Related Information.

www.sqa.org.uk