

Dear Parent/Carer,

As the term progresses it is good to see our young people tackling their studies in a positive and hardworking manner. It is also pleasing to see the strong compliance with the COVID-related expectations we have of our pupils. It is important that although things are certainly different for everyone at present that we continue to build our school's positive ethos, and the link to the current newsletter below showcases some of the work in this regard.

<https://sway.office.com/MqIYR4SWD6SFPCzF?ref=Link>

Senior pupils have been adapting well to the new expectations regarding the wearing of face coverings in classes. Similarly we will continue our common sense approach in following the revised guidance regarding ventilation in classrooms, and teachers will allow pupils to wear additional layers of clothing during lessons when it is deemed necessary and appropriate. I would thank parents/carers for their ongoing support of young people in being prepared for school in these times, and would ask that we continue to jointly reinforce the need to bring a face covering to school with you, to reduce the numbers being issued each day.

Friends at Braes

The latest meeting of Friends at Braes took place last week. Minutes of the meeting are provided, and further information about FAB can be found on the school website.

I hope all Braes families are doing well and look forward to seeing our pupils continue to progress as the session moves forward.

Yours faithfully,

Iain Livingstone