



Lornshill Academy

Update from the Year Heads



Friday 28 th May	Respect	Integrity	Compassion
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What a busy but productive week it has been for our staff and students this week! As we move closer to the summer holidays, it makes us proud to see the resilience and determination show by our staff, students and families alike. "United in effort" has never been more apt as a motto for what our school is all about and we thank everyone for their continued hard work.

In the BGE, this week has seen our students involved in a huge range of activities from planting sunflower seeds as part of the John Muir Award in Social Subjects to writing and recording their own podcasts in Creative Arts. The cooking in Home Economics continues to be of the highest standard and we even saw some of our students enjoying their creations at interval yesterday. Whilst we are not sure of the choice of Bolognese for interval snack, they certainly enjoyed it!

Our S4-S6 students still continue to work their way through providing evidence that shows their abilities at the highest possible level. With only a couple of weeks left of this process, they have been truly impressive in working through this challenging time.

As the results of the various assessments and activities are collated, students and families will begin to see grades entered into the "Provisional Grades" column of each subject in Progress. These grades will be subject to moderation and SQA approval but should give a good indication of the grade we intend to submit for each student. Should you need any help with accessing Progress, then please do not hesitate in touch with us via our website

https://lornshillacademy.org.uk/our_school/senior_leadership_team/senior_leadership_team.html

Mrs McMaihin has been busy this week distributing awards to S4-6 subject prize winners and will continue with this into next week as well. Letters will also be sent home to our prizewinners to ensure that family members are aware of their child's success as well. Prizegiving videos for S1-3 will be shared with students next week.

In order to try to keep everyone as safe as possible throughout this period, please continue to remind your child to bring and wear their own face covering, to clean their hands regularly throughout the day and to follow the one way system during period changeovers.

Finally, when leaving school at the end of the day, please remind students to avoid leaving via the car park. There have been a few near misses over the past week and we would rather ensure everyone's safety as much as we can. Please ensure that the allocated drop off and collection zones at the front of the school are used at the beginning and end of the school day. As always, please do not hesitate to get in touch should you have any questions.

Kind regards and stay safe,

The Year Heads