



Lornshill Academy

Update from the Year Heads



Tuesday 1st February

Respect

Integrity

Compassion

We are now into February and the lighter mornings and evenings are a sure sign that warmer times are not too far away.

The next online parent information session hosted by the Parent Council is this Thursday evening (3rd February) at 7pm - 8:15pm. This is open to all parents/carers and is a great opportunity to find out what's happening in the school and to give feedback. Mr Black will share information on:

- General school updates
- Health & Wellbeing National Survey
- Reorganisation of pupil support
- Parent Focus Groups (Improvement Priorities)
- SQA / Exam Updates
- Response to Parent Queries

If you are interested in attending, please register using the form link below <https://forms.gle/3UDiGmwqQExBLBZv8>. These meetings are held on GoogleMeet and are informal, so you can keep your camera / mic off if you prefer. All Lornshill Parents/Carers are welcome to attend and a link to the meeting will be sent out on Thursday morning if you register.

We would continue to encourage all students, staff and families to be testing frequently each week - LFD testing kits can be collected from our main office. A reminder also that face coverings are mandatory in all areas of our school building unless students are eating or drinking in the social area at interval or lunchtime.

It was absolutely brilliant for our staff and families to meet each other face-to-face (in a virtual setting at least!) at last week's S1 parent's evening. The night was a huge success and provided a great opportunity for our families to learn a little more about how their child has been progressing in their time so far at Lornshill Academy.

As term three continues to progress, our staff have been updating their entries on Didbook to show the levels that students are currently working at. If you have not already done so, please login using your email address to see these via the following link <https://my.didbook.com/mobile/en-gb/Login/>. Should you require any help in accessing Didbook, please contact Mr Burrell by email at clrburrell@glow.sch.uk.

Starting towards the end of this month, our S1-6 students will be offered their HPV immunisations. Consent forms have already been distributed and these should be returned to our main office by the end of this week so that the full schedule can be drawn up.

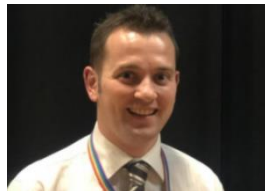
We are aware that our calendar states that an S2 Pathways Evening is imminent. Due to our current restrictions this will not take place and we are rethinking what this could look like. We will share more information about this with our S2 families in due course.

As always, please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions.

Kind regards and stay safe,
The Year Heads



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