



# SANDWOOD NEWS



**April/May 2021**

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Our last term this session is again a busy one! Please check our diary dates, school app and website for what's on in the forthcoming weeks.

We are delighted to see our pupils wearing uniform. Details of where to purchase the uniform is included in this newsletter. We have changed our uniform supplier. A pop-up uniform shop will be in the school playground on 23<sup>rd</sup> June. Items can be taken away on this day or ordered and collected from the shop in Hillington or delivery can be arranged. Thank you to our Parent Council for their continued help with uniform ordering. Details will be issued separately regarding uniform ordering.

We look forward to welcoming our new P1 pupils for their visits to Sandwood Primary this term. We have 45 new P1 pupils starting in August.

Please continue to check the school app and website for information. She will soon be adding information regarding our Recovery Roadmap and Reporting to Parents.

Kind Regards

***Fiona Donnelly***

Head Teacher



*Dream*

*Believe*

*Achieve Together*

## **P1 INDUCTION DAYS**

Due to current circumstances are unable to hold induction days in school for our P1 August intake for next session, however are liaising closely with feeder nurseries and will adapt transition processes to link with Covid regulations. Further information is to follow.



## **RIGHTS RESPECTING SCHOOLS**

We are still continuing with our work on Rights Respecting Schools.



Children's Rights are visited through our work on Health & Wellbeing:-  
***This month's work on rights will be linked to our work during SHRE lessons.***

If you want to find out more about the UNCRC – United Nations Convention for the Rights of the Child visit. [www.unicef.org](http://www.unicef.org)

## **MAY HOLIDAYS**

The Bank holiday weekends are as follows:



Monday 3rd May

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> May

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May and Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May.

Please note: The May Inservice day is Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> May and children do not attend that day.

## **HEALTH SPOT!**

### **PIERCINGS**



Although it is common practice for cosmetic piercers to advise that jewellery must remain in the body for a number of weeks due to the healing process Education Services guidance remains the same in that to participate fully in PE activities all piercings must be removed. Education Services safety message:



"2.7 Personal effects (e.g. jewellery, body piercings, watches, hair slides and belts constitute a hazard and may cause injury to themselves or others if worn whilst participating in Physical Education and must be removed - this list is not exhaustive and staff should assess as appropriate".

In the case of parents suggesting they write a letter as a legal waiver, the authority cannot accept this as we have a 'duty of care' to pupils and as the responsible person would be liable if there was an accident or injury irrespective of a letter.

The summer break is a preferred time for piercings as it will allow sufficient time for any healing to take place.

Once pupils return to school in August the expectation will be that jewellery will be removed in order for pupils to participate in physical exercise programmes.

***Although all classes have 2 allocated gym times per week these can change to accommodate visiting coaches and can lead to confusion. Pupils are encouraged to bring their PE kits on a Monday and take them home on a Friday. Pupils with no gym kit or change of shoes will be unable to participate in these sessions. Please ensure that your child has their kit with them.***

## **SCHOOLYMPICS!**



As this year the Olympics are taking place in Tokyo, Sandwood has signed up all classes for 'Schoolympics'. This programme will be completed outside as part of our PE programme this term.

P1-3 - 3 events  
Standing Long Jump  
Speed Bounce  
6x10m shuttle run

P4-7 - 5 events  
Standing Long Jump  
Speed Bounce  
6x10m shuttle run  
Basketball chest push  
1 mile run

The event will run over 3 weeks - Mon 17th May to Friday 4th June.

## ECO SPOT!

Again due to Covid regulation we are unable to hold a whole school Our Eco Green Day of Action. We will attempt to engage in a week of Learning for Sustainability activities in June.



## SANDWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL UNIFORM



ITEM	COLOUR	SIZES	PRICE	
Polo shirt	White Black Purple	3 / 4 5/6 7/8 9/10 11 – 12 13	£8.50	
Trutex Crew neck sweat shirt	Purple Black		£9	
Trutex V neck sweatshirt	Purple Black		£10.99	
Trutex cardigans	Purple Black		£11.00	
Knitted Slipover	Purple		£13.99	
Reversible storm dry jacket 400 waterproof kids jacket (reversible)	Purple Black		£20.00	
Tartan pinafore	Purple / grey		£18.99	
Tartan pleat box skirt	Purple / grey		£11.99	
Knitted cardigan	Purple		24" 26" 28" 30" 32"	£14.99
Boys and Girls blazer	Purple Black		£28.99	
Ties			£4.00	

### School Logo

Items are shown without badges on the website but do come with logos.

### Ordering / Delivery

Please see ordering/purchase options below. There are slight changes due to Covid Restrictions – see additional comment.

- Online - delivery to home for £4.99 or free for orders over £50
- Online – click and collect - Orders are taken online at [www.aspireacademyglasgow.com](http://www.aspireacademyglasgow.com) however Due to Covid restrictions, company will organise a school delivery once a week until click and collect from their store can resume.
- Purchase from shop – the store is currently closed due to Covid

restrictions but orders can be placed at the store once it re-opens.

- Purchase from school– Pop up shops will take place during the school season when Covid restrictions allow. Further information will follow as to when these will take place.

### Website link:

<https://aspireacademyglasgow.com/school/sandwood-primary/>  
UNIFORM DETAILS

White Polo Shirt\*

(with/without school logo)

Purple Sweatshirt/Cardigan

\* (with school logo)

Black jumper/cardigan

Black Trousers or Skirt

White Shirt

School Tie\*

Purple/pink summer dress

### SUN PROTECTION & HOT WEATHER

You may send your child to school with sun-screen. Please note, staff members are not permitted to apply this, however can supervise application by children to themselves. If you wish your child to use sun screen in school, please ensure a member of staff is alerted to this in writing.

Please send your child to school with a filled re-useable water bottle.



### READY FOR ROSSHALL

Transition plans are being put in place for our P7 pupils. Due to current circumstances they will be slightly different this year with many activities being carried out in a virtual manner.



### P7 LEAVERS' CELEBRATIONS

Our P7 pupils have been busy discussing the format they would like for their P7 Leaver's Celebration.

Our celebrations have to be a bit different this year due to Covid Regulations, but this does not mean they will be any less enjoyable or special. The P7 pupils have decided on a Fun Fair theme for their Leavers Celebration which will take place outdoors.

Information has been issued to P7 pupils on 28/4/21 regarding dates and order forms for Hoodies.



# Sandwood Stars



**CONGRATULATIONS!**

## P1a:-

*Cody Oliver* – helps around the house with the hoovering.

*Mason Moody* - started playing for Rangers FC yesterday.

*Harper Delaney* – can do a back flip on a trampoline.

## P1b:-

*Ayla Crompton* – has learned new skills on the trampoline

*Frankie Henderson*- can do a back flip on a trampoline.

*Olivia Rose Brown* – started a new dance class.

*Ivy McNeilage* – can do the splits on a trampoline

*Charlotte Johnston*- started a new football club.

*Callum Warnock* – learned some gymnastic skills.

*Harper McLelland* – learned some gymnastic skills.

## P2:-

*Jack McGurk* – scored a goal at football.

*Charlie O'Neill* – scored a hat trick for his football team.

*Ty McMillan* – has started a football club.

*Ella Kettle* – is enjoying being back at her gymnastics club.

## P2/3:-

*Samuel Begg*– won a trophy at football.

*Summer Brennan*– received a certificate for moving up a level in gymnastics.

## P3:-

*Abbey MacDonald*– learned to ride her bike.

*Hadiya Naviq*– learned to ride her bike.

*Isla McLeod*– learned to roller skate.

*Rafay Rana* – learned to ride his bike.

*Lilly Cameron* – walked 7 miles around a windfarm.

## P3/4:-

*Emma Wright*– learned how to play guitar.

*Leith Shammari*– learned how to play guitar.

*Hannah Irvine*– learned a new song on the piano.

*Zoey-Rai Pettigrew*– learned to ride her bike.

## P4:-

*James Donald*– learned a new passing skill at football.

*Elena Nicol* – can now ride her bike.

*Zoey Skelly*– learned how to do a front flip under water.

*Alfie Docherty*– played for Hamilton FC.

*Charlie O'Hara*– learned how to save goals by 'swooping'.

*Harry Frew* - learned to ride his bike.

*Thomas Robinson* – tried some new cuisine.

*Ava Gibson* – learned how to do a back flip.

## P5a:-

*Hayley Beers* – helped her mum when she had sore legs.  
*Jamie Brown* – has been setting up goals in his football team.

*Tyler Gethins* – ran 3 1/2 miles.

*Kayla Wright* – overcame her fear of getting her ears pierced!

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*Callum Cameron* – is taking part in Zoom Drama Classes.

## P6:-

*Lauren Took*– is using an app to learn to play the piano.

*Carson Hosie*– is top goal scorer in his team and was awarded a Golden Boot trophy.

*Karleigh Gilmour*– has a trial with Celtic Girls Academy.

*Calvin Brodie*– started to learn new skills in the kitchen; cooking with the oven and a frying pan.

*Lewis O'Brien*– won 1<sup>st</sup> place in boxing and received a medal.

*Bailey Bryce*– learned new skills in her trampoline class.

*Bailey McMillan*– moved up to Senior 1 in dance and started a boxing class.

*AmyLee Shea*– achieved her goal in her trampoline class.

## P7/6:-

*Taio Strang*– is learning how to use Garage band on the iPad.

*Ayla Hawley*– is learning how to look after herself better at home.

*Rafaela More*– learned how to make her own breakfast.

