

# SANDWOOD NEWS

## June 2024





Dear Parent/Carer,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our Teaching Staff, Pupil Support Staff, Catering Staff, Clerical Staff, School Crossing Patrol Officers, Cleaning Staff and of course our Janitor for all of their hard work, support and enthusiasm throughout this year. Thank you also to our very supportive Parent Council for their hard work and dedication to our school.

We would like to wish our P7 pupils every success for the future as they move on to the next stage of their life. We hope they will continue to flourish as the 'Sandwood Stars' they are.



We send our very best wishes and congratulations to Miss Gillan, Miss Roberston and Miss Smith who all are getting married during the summer holidays. In August on return to Sandwood Miss Gillan will be known as Mrs McIntyre, Miss Robertson will be known as Mrs Easson and Miss Smith will be known as Mrs Forbes.



We are saying a sad farewell to Mrs Webb, Mrs Linden, Miss Lyttle, Miss MacKay, Miss Doull, and Caroline McKay and wish them well in their future ventures. We will miss their valued contributions to Sandwood Primary and LCR.

We welcome back Mrs Lidstone and Mrs Deans who are returning from maternity leave and welcome Ms Iredje as a new member of staff to our team.



And finally, I want to thank you, our wonderful families for your support over this past year. We hugely value your commitment which enables us to continue to improve the experiences we offer our pupils.

I hope you all have a lovely summer break when it comes and we look forward to seeing you all when school recommences on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> August. Please check our School App for any updates on return arrangements.

Kind regards

Fiona Donnelly

Headteacher





## **CLASSES FOR NEXT SESSION**



P1 Mrs Devine

P2/1 Mrs Shennan/Miss Anderson

P2 Mrs Brydon/Mrs Hanif

P3 Mrs Brierley

P4/3 Ms Smith

P4 Mrs Lynne Scott

P5 Ms Iredjie

P6/5 Mrs Flanagan/Mrs Lidstone

P6 Mrs Leeann Scott

P7a Mrs McIntyre (Miss Gillan)

P7b Mrs Cameron/ Mrs Beck

Nurture Miss Young NCT Mrs McKean

## JUST MARRIED



Mrs Campbell (formerly Miss Storey) got married during the May Bank Holiday weekend. Many congratulations to the new Mr and Mrs Campbell.

# CLOTHING GRANTS/FREE MEAL ENTITLEMENT

2024-25 application form is now available on <a href="https://www.glasgow.gov.uk">www.glasgow.gov.uk</a>
If eligible; please ensure you apply as soon as possible so paperwork can be processed ASAP.



## **SESSION 2024-25**

# SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PRIORITIES

- Wellbeing & Learning : Equalities and interdisciplinary Learning.
- Achievement & Progress:
   Continue to improve
   attainment in Literacy and
   NMM and Develop Creative
   approaches across the
   curriculum.
- Connected Learning: Improve the use of technology across the curriculum and Cross Curricular Links through use of applications.



## P7 LEAVERS' CELEBRATIONS

Our P7 Leaver's Celebration took place on the evening of Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June and a great time was had by all!

The P7 Leavers' Assembly and Prizegiving will take place on Friday 21st June at 1:30pm.

### **UNIFORM**

We are delighted to see most of our pupils wearing uniform. Details of where to purchase the uniform is noted below.

## **Ordering / Delivery**

- Online click and collect Orders are taken online at 
   www.aspireacademyglasgow.c
   om
- Purchase from shop.

On P.E. days pupils can wear clothing suitable for this activity e.g. shorts, tracksuit bottoms etc. We would welcome these being in school colours and encourage pupils to wear the school P.E. shirt where possible.





### School Term Dates 2024-2025

#### August

- Monday, 12 August 2024 (Return date for Teachers & In-Service Day)
- Tuesday, 13 August 2024 (In-Service Day)
- Wednesday, 14 August 2024 (Return date for Pupils)

### September

 Friday, 27 September and Monday, 30 September 2024 (September weekend holiday)

#### October

- Friday, 11 October 2024 (In-Service Day)
- Monday, 14 to Friday, 18 October 2024 (October Week)

#### December - Christmas and New Year

- Schools close at 2.30 pm on Friday, 20 December 2024
- Monday, 23 December 2024 Friday, 3 January 2025 (Christmas holidays)

#### January

Schools return on Monday, 6 January 2025

## February mid-term break

- Monday, 17 February 2025
- Tuesday, 18 February 2025
- Wednesday, 19 February 2025 (In-service day)

### April - Spring Holiday (Easter)

- Schools close at 2.30 pm on Friday, 4 April 2025
- Monday, 7 April Monday, 21 April 2025 (Spring Break)
- Schools return on Tuesday, 22 April 2025

#### May

- Monday, 5 May 2025 (May Holiday)
- · Thursday, 22 May 2025 (In-service day)
- Friday, 23 May 2025 and Monday, 26 May 2025 (May Weekend)

June: Schools Close at 1.00 pm on Wednesday, 25 June 2025