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Dear Parents/Carers,

### **LATEST UPDATE AT 31/08/2020**

Thank you for your continued support during session 2020-21. The children continue to settle back to school as we ensure their wellbeing and safety is our main priority. Below is my weekly communication to you all.

#### **Gym Days**

Schools across the country are following Scottish Government guidance stating that all PE has to be done outdoors. We cannot use the gym halls at the moment due to the increased risk of transmitting the virus. As we are at the mercy of the Scottish weather, we use the sheltered area at the front playground if it is raining and all children should come to school **with a hooded waterproof jacket**. Please remember on gym days children should wear uniform from the waist up with dark joggy bottoms/leggings. Shoes must be suitable for outdoors:

- **Trainers or other appropriate outdoor footwear for running.**

Due to children wearing clothes for PE on their gym days, and by bringing a waterproof jacket each day, **no other** outdoor clothes are required. This is to reduce the number of bags being brought to and from school as we found we had too many!

#### **Water Bottles**

Thank you for continuing to provide filled water bottles to school each day. We have found that bottles with sports tops work best as they reduce the risk of spillages in the classrooms.

#### **Providing Work Home**

Children are expected to attend school as regularly as they can. If your child is absent, and the absence is authorised due to them displaying Covid symptoms or are self-isolating, work can be provided for home if you let the school know. Unfortunately, we cannot provide work home for any unauthorised absences.

Again, thank you for your continued support. Please contact the school if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,

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Depute Head Teacher