



20 May 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

Completion of Block 2 Assessments for SQA courses

Students have been working very hard over the last few weeks to prepare for their block two assessments. They have taken on board feedback, dealt with challenges and on the whole, have coped with the current situation really well. With this in mind, we would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to all of the students for this commitment to their assessments, and for the support they, and we, are receiving from everyone at home. It is very much appreciated.

From Monday 24th May, many S4-S6 students will be starting to complete their block 2 assessments, therefore, once a course has completed their assessments, the student does not require to attend that class anymore and they can opt to study from home at these times. Some students may require to complete further assessments to complete units or finish outstanding evidence, but these students will be contacted directly by us if this is the case. Therefore, **from Monday 24th May**, once a course has completed their block 2 assessments, students can study from home. They will require to attend all other classes until the assessments for that subject are completed. This situation will be in place until our timetable change on Monday 7th June, when all returning students will be required to return to school to begin the new academic year. If students are in school and opt not to study from home, they will attend all classes on their timetable as normal, and use their time to prepare for other assessments, so they need to ensure that they bring suitable study or reading materials with them.

Sign in/out

From Monday 24th May, all S4-S6 students will be using a sign in/out system for attendance. If they arrive at school for the start of the day, they will go to registration. After P1, each time they enter or leave the building, they will require to indicate this on the sheets located in the social space. It is vital that they use this appropriately, because these attendance sheets will be used for Health and Safety, Lockdown and Fire purposes.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Catherine McNay".

Catherine McNay
Depute Headteacher