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Dear Parent/Carer

## **P7 Leavers**

As you know, the Scottish Government has put in place a number of measures linked to social distancing and social gatherings whilst we are still experiencing the Covid-19 pandemic. The safety of all our children and their families is paramount at this time and so, in line with these guidelines, we will be unable to have a P7 Leavers' Assembly at present. I appreciate that this will come as a disappointment to everyone, but we need to ensure that we are heeding what we have been asked to do. We will, however, hold an alternative event once the restrictions have been lifted and everyone can be together again. We will speak to the respective secondary schools about this and details regarding this special event will be sent out in due course. We will also be posting something special on Google Classroom, our school website, app and Twitter on Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> June, the day which should have been our Leavers' Assembly, so please look out for this.

I know that your child may still want to say 'goodbye' to their primary school and the staff would dearly love to see them one last time before they move on to high school. For this reason, we would like to invite the children to come into the school grounds to collect their Record of Achievement. It is important that everyone follows social distancing at this time and we will follow a 'one child in/one child out' model to ensure everyone is kept safe.

Due to the differing class sizes, the following times have been allocated:

P7 (Miss Lamont & Miss Lattimer) = Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> June: 9.30am – 10.30am or 1.30pm – 2.30pm

P6/7 (Mrs Sommerville and Mrs Dickson) = Wednesday, 24th June: 9.30am - 10.30am

Please either email or phone the school office using the contact details listed below to let us know whether or not your child will be able to attend and to confirm your choice of session (Miss Lamont and Miss Lattimer's class only). Children should enter the school grounds via the main gate and tables will be set up just outside the door to the Infant corridor. Only one adult should accompany each child.

I appreciate that this has been a very challenging time for everyone, but I would like to thank you for your continued patience and understanding during this time. I would also like to extend my appreciation for all the support that you have given the school during your child's time with us. I hope that they continue to flourish and achieve all their hopes and dreams for the future.

Yours sincerely

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