



Dear Parent / Carer,

HT Surgery

As a reminder to parents / carers, I host a monthly HT Surgery. This happens on the last Monday of every month and is an opportunity for any family to come and discuss any issues related to the school.

No appointments are necessary for this surgery which runs from 4-7pm.

The next HT Surgery is next Monday (26th September).

Curriculum Consultation

We would like to hear from parents and carers in relation to our curriculum offer. Specifically, we are seeking views on:

- Our approach to Personal Support
- Our S1 – S3 Broad General Education offer
- The number of Senior Phase courses we offer

During the next two parents' / carers' evenings, Mr Perry will hold consultation discussions at the following times in our school library:

- Wednesday 28th September at 4pm, 5pm and 6pm
- Tuesday 4th October at 5pm and 6pm

The sessions will last approximately 15 minutes.

All parents / carers of any year group are welcome to attend.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

HT SURGERY

Monday 26th September

S3 PARENT / CARER CONTACT EVENING

Wednesday 28th September

S2 PARENT / CARER CONTACT EVENING

Tuesday 4th October

HARRIS ACADEMY ALUMNI EVENT

Thursday 6th October

END OF TERM

Friday 7th October





Harris Academy Alumni Event

On the evening of Thursday 6th October, we will be hosting this event for all former pupils of Harris Academy. The event hopes to capture the attention of as many FPs as possible to:

- Welcome them into our building (for some, they may have not had the chance to see our new school building)
- Hear about ways in which FPs of all ages could possibly support our current young people
- Enjoy some entertainment and refreshments whilst networking with fellow FPs

More information related to this event has been featured in the local press today and can be accessed below

<https://www.thecourier.co.uk/fp/education/schools/3719677/harris-academy-alumni-event/>

An invite letter for all former pupils can be accessed below. I would be grateful if you would pass this invite on to any former pupils you may know.

<http://harrisacademy.ea.dundee.city.sch.uk/harris-alumni-event.pdf>

S1 Outward Bound Excursion – Loch Eil 21st – 25th November 2022 (Mr Stewart)

Thank you to the 79 parents / carers who responded to the offer of their young person being involved in an S1 Outward Bound excursion to Loch Eil in November. 24 places were available to us at Harris Academy. Using a randomizing wheel the 24 successful pupils have now been identified and successful / unsuccessful letters will be sent to all parents / carers on Friday 23rd September. We sincerely wish we had space to include everyone and apologise to those young people who have been unsuccessful on this occasion.





Senior Phase Information Evening



Wednesday evening's event was a great success with over 100 families in attendance. For anyone who was not able to attend, a copy of the presentations can be found by clicking on the links below:

<http://harrisacademy.ea.dundee.city.sch.uk/departments/senior-phase-evening-2022-v2.pdf>

<http://harrisacademy.ea.dundee.city.sch.uk/departments/parent-presentation-ucas.pdf>



A huge thanks to all staff and prefects for their support on the evening.

