### P7 Pupil & Parent / Carer Welcome Meeting



### Barry Millar Head Teacher

### Tonight, we hope to...

...introduce key contacts

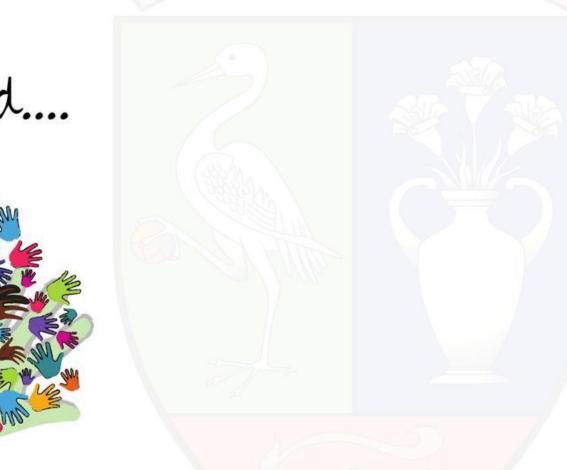
... give you an overview of the transition experience

...inform you on transport

...inform you on our school uniform

### It takes a village to raise a child....

# But before that...



# Working in partnership with parents & carers



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An apple for the teacher Is really nothing new.... Except when you remember... That parents are teachers too

We're looking forward to working With you and your child this year.

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### **CSV Feedback**

- A noticeable difference and feeling that the culture and ethos of the school had developed in a positive manner
- Willingness across the school to learn and look outwards
- Strategic plan to raise attainment favourable and predictions are for improved attainment this session
- Department Review programme endorsed as an example of highly effective practice
- School Leadership and strategic direction is a key strength

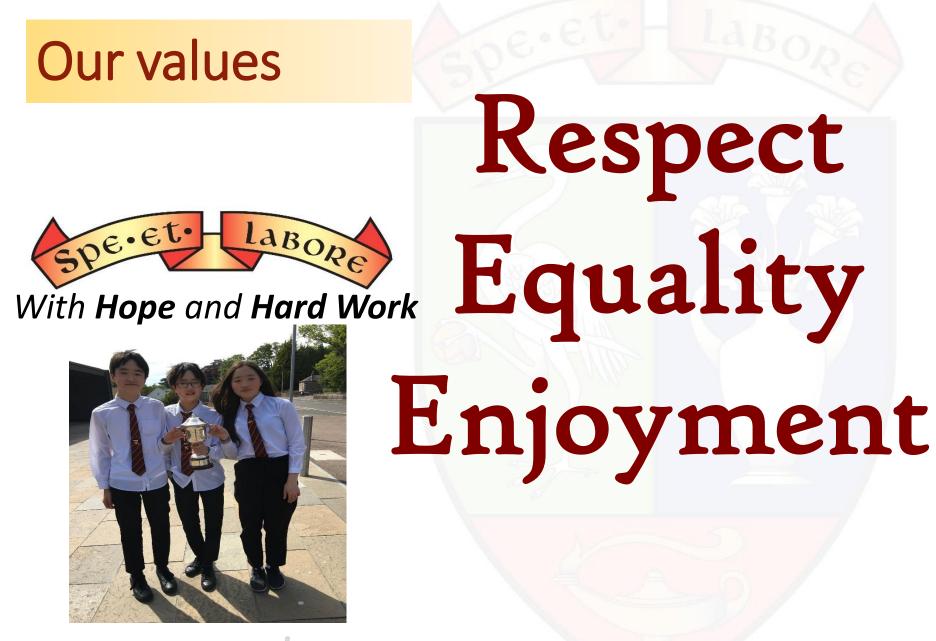
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### **CSV Feedback**

- All pupil focus groups were positive in their comments about the school
- Professionalism of staff was recognised

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- House system having a clear, positive impact for young people. Young people feel supported and have someone they can talk to
- Planned changes to a more restorative / relationships based 'behaviour' system, initiated by PTs, was seen as a natural next step



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## **Key Contacts**

- **Guidance Teachers**
- **Support for Learning staff**
- **Skills Development Scotland Careers Coach**
- **Senior Leadership Team**

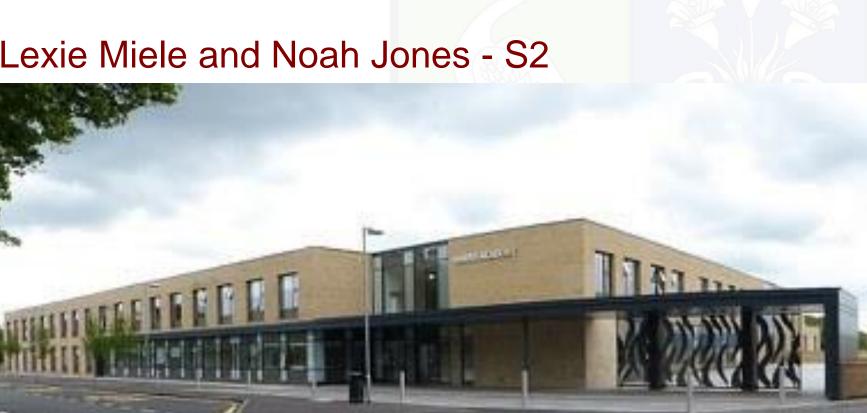
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Abbie McDonald & Kristof Hornyik, School Captains 2019-20

Lexie Miele and Noah Jones - S2

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### Lexie Miele & Noah Jones - S2

### Life in S1



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### Michael Stewart Depute Head Teacher

### Transition 2018-19

• Open Evening – November 2018

- Numeracy Event November 2018
- Peter Pan Performance December 2018
- SLT/Guidance Visits January March 2019
- P6 & 7 Roadshows February March 2019

### Transition 2018-19

- Health and Wellbeing Event March / April 2019
- Guidance / SFL visits May 2019

- Languages / Literacy Event May 2019
- Moving on Up Enhanced Transition visits April & May 2019
- Two Day Induction Programme June 2019

# Uniform

Boys White Shirt Black Trousers Black Shoes School Tie Girls White Blouse Black Skirt / Trousers Black Shoes School Tie

**No** Jeans or Leggings Blazers - desirable but not essential. Two styles of blazers now available.

### Uniform

#### **PE lessons**

- Navy T-Shirt
- Navy Shorts
- Change of socks

#### Trainers



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### Swimming lessons

- Trunks Boys
- Costume Girls
- Swimming Cap





### Transport

- Five dedicated School Buses 23s, 27s, 28s, 29s
  & Carse of Gowrie (PKC)
- Other bus options 5, 22, 39 (PKC), 9, 10

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 Information available via Xplore Dundee website <u>https://nxbus.co.uk/dundee/</u>

### School Buses at Harris

#### What we have shared with our young people

- MUST go to Dining Centre at end of day to get a boarding pass to get on a school bus
- Stand in the correct queue and collect ticket from staff
- Go out to the correct bus

- Hand boarding pass to school staff as you get on the bus
- Pay using coins, bus pass, daysaver ticket etc. as normal



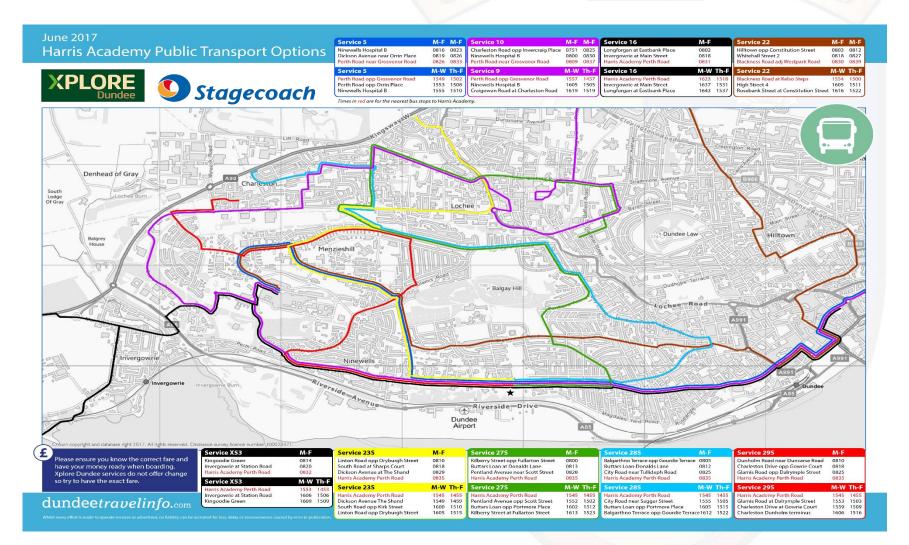
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- Routes available to view this evening (library window) and examples to take home\*
- Free transport enquiries DCC Children & Families Service.

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#### Registration

- 10 minutes per day
- Start of the day
- Class advisor
- Vertical structure

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A pupil entitlement (Universal Support)



#### **Our 33 Period Week**

Period Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Period minutes
08:45-08:55	REG	REG	REG	REG	REG	10
08:55-09:45	1	1	1	1	1	50
09:45-10:35	2	2	2	2	2	50
10:35-10:50	Interval	Interval	Interval	Interval	Interval	15
10:50-11:35	3	3	3	3	3	45
11:35-12.20	4	4	4	4	4	45
12:20-13:10	5	5	5	Lunch	Lunch	50
13:10-14:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	5	5	50
14:00-14:50	6	6	6	6	6	50
14:50-15:40	7	7	7			50

#### **House Structure**

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August 2019

Birnam		Cawdor		Forres		Kinloch	
PTs Guidance		PTs Guidance		PTs Guidance		PTs Guidance	
Mrs Taylor / Ms Walker	Mr Cunningham	Mrs Cuthbertson	Miss Stahlberg / Mr Milne	Mr Clements	Mrs Nicholson	Mr Walker	Mrs L Gow
S1 – S6 Ba classes	S1 – S6 Bb classes	S1 – S6 Ca Classes	S1 – S6 <u>Cb</u> classes	S1 – S6 Fa classes	S1 – S6 Fb & Fc classes	S1 – S6 Ka classes	S1 – S6 Kb classes
B1 – B6	B7 – B13	C8 – C13	C1 – C7	F1 – F5	F6 - F11	K1 – K6	K7 – K12
House Head		House Head		House Head		House Head	
Mrs MacDonald		Miss Chacko		Mr Perry		Mr Stewart	

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## Thank you for listening