



*Dear Parent / Carer,*

## Saturday School and Masterclasses

Our final Saturday School will be this Saturday the 20<sup>th</sup> of May. This Saturday the focus will be on **Art & Design and Computing Science**. These sessions will begin at **9am and will finish at 11am**, pupils should enter through the main doors of the school and **uniform is not required**.

Many of our subjects are running Masterclass sessions the afternoon closest to that particular exam. Teachers leading that course will have spoken to their pupils about the session and have encouraged them to sign up. This incoming week there will be masterclass sessions for **Drama, Art & Design and Computing Science**.

Thanks for encouraging your young people to attend these sessions. More information can be found on our study portal - <https://sites.google.com/dd.glow.scot/harris-study-portal/home>

## Parent Voice Meeting

Our next Parent Voice (formerly called Parent Council) meeting takes place this Thursday evening.

The meeting will be held at 7pm in our school library. Before the formal meeting begins, an opportunity to view the progress of our extension will be made available to those in attendance.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### HT SURGERY

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

### DUNDEE & ANGUS COLLEGE

#### FUTURE TALENT (S3) EVENT

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May

### PARENT VOICE MEETING

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May

### STUDY LEAVE ENDS

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May

### INSET DAY –

#### SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May

### VICTORIA DAY HOLIDAY –

#### SCHOOL CLOSED

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May

### NEW TIMETABLE BEGINS

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> May





## **Dundee & Angus College Future Talent Event – S2 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> May 2023**

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By now you will be aware that next week 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> May 2023 all Harris S2 pupils will be attending Dundee and Angus College to what is being called, “D&A Future Talent Event” or tester days. This is a fantastic opportunity for all S2 pupils to experience the many courses on offer at college. It is designed to help them make positive course and career pathway choices as they move through the school.

Most consent forms have now been returned. Thank you. The last day for the return of the remaining consent forms is Monday 22<sup>nd</sup>. If the consent form is not returned it will be assumed that your young person won't be attending the college event.

### **Below are some important details:**

The campus visits will be Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> (Kingsway) and Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May (Gardyne). On both days a full programme has been organised with a forty-five-minute visit to each subject classroom/department.

**Transport Arrangements:** Buses will leave from school 9am, then pick up us from the College at 2.45pm on the Wednesday and 2pm on the Thursday, to return to school where the pupils will be dismissed at the end of the school day.

**Clothing:** The pupils will be expected to **wear school uniform** on both days.

**Lunch:** Lunch will only be half an hour and pupils are to **bring their own packed lunch** with them. For those who are entitled to free school meals provision has been made. These young people are to pre order their packed lunch. They are to collect a form from the office or their Guidance Teacher. Their packed lunch will be ready for them to pick up on the morning of the visits.

**Behaviour:** Any misbehaviour will be treated seriously. In the event of unacceptable behaviour, a young person will be returned to school and parents/carers contacted.

If you have any questions regarding this opportunity, please do not hesitate to contact the school. We really hope this will be a positive experience for our S2 pupils and we thank you for your support and encouragement of this event.

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