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Our Ref : CH/DS

Dear Parent/Carer

'New' S6 Induction Days

As part of our work with our new S6 students, the following arrangements are in place for the week beginning Monday 21 June 2021.

- S6 Induction; Melville and Mount Esk students on Monday 21 and Tuesday 22 June 2021
- S6 Induction; St Anne's and St Leonard's students on Wednesday 23 and Thursday 24 June 2021

We ask and expect full attendance on these days from our 'new' S6 students. If students are attending on the other days of this week, they should attend regular timetabled classes.

Our two-day Induction will involve time on each of the following two areas:

- First Aid Training; as part of our wider curriculum offer, all S6 students are expected to embark upon a basic first aid training course. All S6 students benefit from this session, not only for their own development but it is an excellent additional qualification to hold when applying for jobs, applying to college or university or heading into further training beyond school.
- School Matters; S6 Groups and Committees, Team Building, S6 Contract, S6 Expectations and Opportunities.

Our First Aid Training will be delivered by qualified external staff who are SQA accredited. Our School Matters will be delivered by our staff. All activities will be compliant with COVID-19 restrictions and school mitigations.

First Aid Arrangements

When/Who:

Monday 21 June 2021 – 8:30 am - 3:20 pm – S6 Melville Students

Tuesday 22 June 2021 – 8:30 am - 3:20 pm – S6 Mount Esk Students

Wednesday 23 June 2021 – 8:30 am - 3:20 pm – S6 St Leonard's Students

Thursday 24 June 2021 – 8:30 am - 3:20 pm – S6 St Anne's Students

Where:

Report directly to the Games Hall in the Physical Education Department

School Matters Arrangements

When/Who:

Monday 21 June 2021 – 8:30 am - 12:30 pm – S6 Mount Esk Students

Tuesday 22 June 2021 – 8:30 am - 12:30 pm – S6 Melville Students

Wednesday 23 June 2021 – 8:30 am - 12:30 pm – S6 St Anne's Students

Thursday 24 June 2021 – 8:30 am - 12:30 pm – S6 St Leonard's Students

Where:

Please report to the Assembly Hall. Please note that some activities will take place outside.

Additional Information for both sessions:

- Wear comfortable clothing appropriate for participating (PE kit would be appropriate)
- Morning/lunch breaks will be built into each day – usual arrangements apply
- Students must bring and wear appropriate face coverings
- Personal distancing will be maintained as appropriate
- Attendance by all S6 students is expected
- The First Aid session will be largely practical with a short written assessment at the end of the session; on successful completion of both sections, students will achieve a Level 6 SQA award

Please note that interviews for School and House Captains will be held on Tuesday 22 June 2021; this means that Melville and Mount Esk students may be required to attend on either Wednesday 23 or Thursday 24 June 2021 instead of with their original House group. We will inform these students on Monday 21st June of their additional day.

All students should remain vigilant to their current S5 Google Year Group Classroom for further information.

Yours faithfully



Mr C Hornell
Head Teacher