

**End of school bell**1st bell – for ground floor2nd bell – all other floors

GENERAL INFORMATION

Note: *The number in brackets identifies the first week items have appeared in the bulletin. This week is pupil bulletin No. 3.*

RIGHTS FACT OF THE MONTH (3)

Each month we will highlight an aspect of your Rights for you to think about. At Gryffe, your Rights are embedded into all aspects of school life. If you think that your Rights are being infringed please speak to an adult you trust or Mrs Davey (RMPS). We are all responsible for ensuring the Rights of others are met.

Mrs Davey**ECO COMMITTEE – ENVIRONMENTAL FACT OF THE WEEK (3)**

70% less energy is needed to recycle paper and reuse it compared to making it from raw materials. **Eco Committee**

EMPLOYABILITY SKILL OF THE MONTH – ‘DECISION MAKING’ (3)

Think about when you are using your ‘decision making’ skills in class – record these in your learning diary.

Miss Paterson**GRYFFE LGBT RIGHTS ASSOCIATION (3)**

The Gryffe LGBT Rights Association would like to invite everyone who has an interest in LGBT rights, current events, or advocates/allies of equal rights for all, to attend our first meeting on Thursday 5 September in E3 (Mrs Carter's room) at 1:30.

Mrs Carter**MUSIC LESSONS (3)**

All music lessons have started and are on the following days:

Guitar - Monday

Brass and Strings - Tuesday

Drum Kit, Woodwind and Bagpipes – Wednesday

Mrs Strong**MUSIC CLUB (3)**

Choir: Monday afterschool until 4.30pm in Music 1 - all welcome!

Concert Band: Tuesday afterschool until 4.45pm in the theatre - woodwind and brass players welcome!

There is also a meeting about for all Jazz Band musicians in Music 1 on Tuesday 3 September. **Mrs Strong**

CHRISTIAN UNION (3)

The **Christian Union** meets on a **Tuesday lunchtime in Resource Area 2 (old ML4)** on the second floor at Modern Languages. If you are interested in the Christian faith and what the Bible has to say, come along and meet our young people - bring your lunch. Any questions, speak to Mrs Strong in music.

Mrs Strong**LET'S GET CREATIVE (3)**

Let's get creative - come along to the Creative Hub at lunch times for some fantastic activities.

Monday Jewellery Making in GD1, Tuesday Woolly Wonders Art 4 and Photoshop Skills GD1,

Wednesday Cartoonables Art 2 and Thursday Sketchbook Club Art 2. Pupils and staff welcome

#artmakesyouhappy - for further details see Mrs Dornan.

Mrs Dornan**UNIFORM (3)**

Reminder that all pupils should remove their outdoor jackets when in the School building. Blazers can Be worn or carried if pupils are too warm.

Mrs Brown**JUNIOR AND SENIOR HOCKEY TEAM (3)**

Any S1-6 pupils interested in playing hockey for the school team are to attend a meeting in the small Gym on Monday 2 September at interval. No previous experience is required and all pupils are welcome!

Mr Gallacher

S1–S3 INFORMATION

S1 Lockers(3)

Please report to the School Office from Monday 2 September, during lunchtime, to collect locker keys. **Mrs Graham**

Homework Club (2)

Monday - Thursday the **Wellbeing Hub** will be open for any pupil requiring **homework help**. A team of S6 pupils will be running the club along with a support teacher. The Hub is open until 4.30pm (Mon, Tue & Thurs) and 3.40pm on a Wednesday.

Mrs Costello

Under 13's Boys Football Trial (3)

The trial for U13 school football team will take place on Tuesday 3 September from 3:50-4:50pm. All pupils are to meet in the PE department, any pupils interested but unable to attend should see Mr Gallacher or Mr McBlain beforehand.

Mr Gallacher

Media Team Trip to Sky Academy Studios Livingston - Wednesday 11 September pm (3)

Want to make a short film in professional studios? Places are limited. Can existing Media Team members confirm their interest in this trip TODAY (Monday 2nd September) by speaking to Mrs McGeough in Science. There will be some extra places available and open to others - you will need to put your name down quickly. Note there will be a small charge for the bus.

Mrs McGeough

S3 - Bronze DofE (3)

Any pupils interested in participating in Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Award to meet Mr Taylor on Wednesday 4 September at 12.50pm in the Theatre.

Mr Taylor

S4–S6 INFORMATION

Art and Design return of SQA folios National 5 and Higher 2019 (3)

If you would like your fantastic artwork returned from the SQA please hand in £3.91 to Mrs Dornan (Art 2) by Friday 13 September.

Mrs Dornan

World Challenge 2021 (3)

Any S4/S5 pupils interested in taking part in World Challenge 2021, or just want to know a bit more about it, please attend a short meeting in the theatre at lunch time, 12.30 on Wednesday 18 September, when our destination will be announced!

Miss Still

S6 Models of Excellence (3)

Any S6 pupil wishing to be a MoE this year should attend a meeting in E5 with Mr Anderson at 1.40pm.

Mr Anderson

S6 – Silver DofE (3)

Training will be in ICT2 on Monday and Tuesday after School as a 'drop-in' for all Silver participants.

Mr Taylor