



Education Resources
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Loch Primary School
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Dear parent/carer,

I hope your child enjoyed their first day in Primary 1 and had fun meeting their teacher and friends. Everyone looked very smart in their school uniforms! I am sure they will enjoy being part of TEAM LOCH!

From tomorrow (Thursday 17th August), your child should attend school 9:00am - 2:55pm and should enter the school via the rear gate as detailed below.

The classes for this session are:

<u>CLASS</u>	<u>ROOM</u>	<u>TEACHER(S)</u>
Primary 1	Room 6	Mrs Munro
Primary 2	Room 7	Mrs Campbell and Mrs Henderson
Primary 2/3	Room 8	Mrs Tait and Mrs Burns
Primary 3/4	Room 9	Mrs Graham
Primary 4	Room 10	Miss Stewart
Primary 5	Room 11	Mrs Roy
Primary 6	Room 4	Miss Simpson
Primary 7	Room 5	Mrs Smith and Mr Martin

Mr Martin and Mrs Bloomer will be working across all classes.

School hours are as follows:

- School day: 9:00am - 2:55pm
- Break: 10:35am - 10:45am
- Lunch: 12:10pm - 12:55pm

Entry Arrangements:

All pupils enter school via the large/main playground gate at the rear of the school at the turning point between Loch PS and St. Anthony's PS. The children will line up in their classes and will be met by their teacher at 9:00am. The school gates will open at 8:50am when there will be a staff presence.

Exit Arrangements:

All pupils exit the school via the same gate as they enter the school. The Class Teachers will lead each class to the gate. We kindly ask that all parents/carers wait further back from the outside

gate until their child's class approaches to allow for the Class Teachers to safely dismiss the pupils to their parent/carer. To avoid congestion, we continue to kindly ask that only one parent/carer drops off and collects your child and that once your child enters/leaves the school you leave the area immediately to avoid overcrowding before St. Anthony's PS exit.

Uniform:

- At Loch PS we are very proud of our school community and we encourage all pupils to wear our school uniform. If you require support with this, please contact the school office. It is our intention to provide outdoor learning opportunities as much as possible and therefore ask that pupils bring a pair of wellies to be left in school and wear a jacket/raincoat suitable for the outdoors.
- We ask that children bring a change of shoes for indoors (gym shoes). These indoor shoes will remain within school.
- Each pupil will be provided with stationery to use within school. Pupils are allowed to bring their own pencil case if they wish.

Lunches:

- Lunches will be eaten within the school dining hall.
- Pupils are allowed to bring their own packed lunch from home if they wish.
- A school dinner menu is available on the SLC website - <https://www.southlanarkshire.gov.uk/primary-menu>
- Children are allowed to bring a water bottle to school. This should be filled with plain water only.

Class information:

- Your child's class teacher will inform you of homework procedures and your child's PE days. We ask that your child wears their PE kit under their uniform if possible to allow for easy changing and to maximise their time in the gym hall.

I am sure your child will have a fantastic year at Loch PS. If you require any more information, please do not hesitate to contact the school office on 0141 634 7217.

Yours sincerely,

Dawn Simpson
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