Archive news 22/12/20 – 15/3/21

Full School Return (added 15/3/21 by Mrs James)

It is an absolute joy to have all our pupils back today. The classes are a buzz of activity and chatter and we are delighted that our school is full and vibrant once more. Please remember all classes will have a 3pm pick up today and the return to school information in the post below outlines the exits being used by classes. A reminder that pick up should be as prompt as possible in order to maintain the flow in the carpark and help with social distancing measures in place. Please also remember a face covering should be worn when you are in the school grounds - thank you.

15/3/21 Return to School for Primary 4-7 Information (added 10/3/21 by Mrs James)

Please click HERE for our information booklet around returning to school for Primary 4-7 pupils on Monday 15th March. This will also be emailed to our Primary4-7 families. We look forward to welcoming these classes back on Monday and having our school full once more! Please remember the current Scottish Government guidance (link below) around reducing community spread/outbreaks and adhere to all restrictions currently in place including avoiding contact with other parents at the school gates. Scottish Government Guidance on reopening Schools

Keyworker Enrolment Form - 8th March - 12th March (added 3/3/21 by Mrs James)

Please complete the attached Google Form for enrolment for next week. Please remember that in line with the Scottish Government Guidance and with the return of other pupils, the number of places for in-person provision require to be very carefully managed. As stated in the updated Guidance on reopening schools from Scottish Government, "Where pupils are able to learn at home they should continue to do so". This form should only be completed where both parents/carers are keyworkers and there are no other childcare options. Please complete the form by close of business on Friday 5th March. An email notification will be sent with enrolment decisions. All enquiries via the school office email address please (office@milton-pri.s-lanark.sch.uk). Enrolment Form 8th March

Primary 7 Virtual Information Meeting (added 26/2/21 by Mrs James)

Please click **HERE** for information about a Virtual Information event for Primary 7 families hosted by Lesmahagow High School. Primary 7 families will also have this letter emailed directly to them.

Supporting Home Learning - SLC Advice (Added 24/2/21 by Mrs James)

As some children are continuing to be at home, the Psychological Service has put together some advice to support parents holistically while providing home education. This includes reminders about the importance of connection and wellbeing and in supporting learning. Please click <u>HERE</u> to access this link to the corporate website.

Keyworker Enrolment Form - 1st March - 5th March (added 24/2/21 by Mrs James)

Please complete the attached Google Form for enrolment for next week. Please remember that in line with the Scottish Government Guidance and with the return of other pupils this week, the number of places for in-person provision require to be very carefully managed. As

stated in the updated Guidance on reopening schools from Scottish Government, "Where pupils are able to learn at home they should continue to do so". This form should only be completed where both parents/carers are keyworkers and there are no other childcare options. Please complete the form by close of business on Friday 26th February. An email notification will be sent with enrolment decisions. All enquiries via the school office email address please (office@milton-pri.s-lanark.sch.uk).

Enrolment Form 1st March

Primary 1-3 Return (added 23/2/21 by Mrs James)

It is lovely to have our younger classes back in school and so good to see all the smiles from the boys and girls and staff. We hope it won't be too much longer until we have the remaining classes back with us too.

Remote Learning Survey Results (added 19/2/21 by Mrs James)

Thank you to all the parents/carers and pupils who returned the recent survey around remote learning. The results have been largely positive and we are pleased to share these below. We will use the responses to further develop and enhance our remote learning offer.

Parent/Carer Survey Results Pupil Survey results

Information for Primary 4-7 (added 19/2/21 by Mrs James)

Please click HERE for a letter for our Primary 4-7 families. We hope that we will be able to have you back with us in the building very soon.

22/2/21 Return to School for Primary 1-3 Information (added 18/2/21 by Mrs James)

Please click HERE for our information booklet around returning to school for Primary 1-3 pupils on Monday 22nd February. This will also be emailed to our Primary1-3 families. We look forward to welcoming these classes back on Monday and hope that we are able to have the remainder of the school back very soon. Please remember the current Scottish Government guidance (link below) around reducing community spread/outbreaks and adhere to all restrictions currently in place including avoiding contact with other parents at the school gates.

Scottish Government Guidance on reopening Schools

Keyworker Enrolment Form - 22nd Feb - 26th Feb (added 17/2/21 by Mrs James)

Please complete the attached Google Form for enrolment for next week. Please remember that in line with the Scottish Government Guidance and with the return of other pupils next week, the number of places for in-person provision require to be very carefully managed. As stated in the updated Guidance on reopening schools from Scottish Government, "Where pupils are able to learn at home they should continue to do so". This form should only be completed where both parents/carers are keyworkers and there are no other childcare options. Please complete the form by close of business on Friday 19th February. An email notification will be sent with enrolment decisions. All enquiries via the school office email address please (office@milton-pri.s-lanark.sch.uk). Enrolment Form 22nd Feb

Our next Parent Council Meeting will be held via Zoom on Monday 22nd February at 7pm. Please email our school office and the meeting code will be sent to you. Please see agenda in Parent Area of our website.

Keyworker Enrolment Form - 15th Feb - 19th Feb (added 10/2/21 by Mrs James)

Please complete the attached Google Form for enrolment for next week. Please remember this is for the children of families where both parents/carers are keyworkers and there are no other childcare options. Please complete the form by close of business on Friday 5th February. An email notification will be sent with enrolment decisions. All enquiries via the school office email address please (office@milton-pri.s-lanark.sch.uk). Enrolment Form 15th Feb

Keyworker Enrolment Form - 11th Feb - 12th Feb (added 3/2/21 by Mrs James)

Please complete the attached Google Form for enrolment for next week. Please remember this is for the children of families where both parents/carers are keyworkers and there are no other childcare options. Please complete the form by close of business on Friday 5th February. An email notification will be sent with enrolment decisions. All enquiries via the school office email address please (office@milton-pri.s-lanark.sch.uk). Enrolment Form 11th Feb

Parent/Carer and Pupil Survey (added 28/1/21 by Mrs James)

We continue to listen to the feedback from our pupils each week on the Google Classroom Stream and via our interactive sessions. Staff are continually adapting plans and work programmes to best support all our learners. We would like to ask our Milton families to complete our short survey below about the remote learning offer from Milton Primary. Thank you for your continued support.

Parent/Carer Survey Pupil Survey *Surveys now closed - thank you 4/2/21

Emergency Childcare Provision Monday 8th February - Wednesday 10th February (added 28/1/21 by Mrs James)

The Council has been asked to re-instate the offer of emergency childcare provision during the period of the mid-February holiday and In-service day - Monday 8th, Tuesday 9th and Wednesday 10th February. This provision will be a similar model to the previous Summer emergency childcare hubs and will operate in a small number of establishments across South Lanarkshire. Opening hours and the details of locations as well as the enrolment form are included in the information below. Please note transport will not be provided. The deadline for applications is Monday 1st February 9.30am and notifications will be given by close of business on Thursday 4th February - all allocations are centrally granted. SLC Emergency Childcare Information and Enrolement Link

Keyworker Enrolment Form - 1st Feb - 5th Feb (added 27/1/21 by Mrs James)

Please complete the attached Google Form for enrolment for next week. Please remember this is for the children of families where both parents/carers are keyworkers and there are no other childcare options. Please complete the form by close of business on Friday

29th January. An email notification will be sent with enrolment decisions. All enquiries via the school office email address please (office@milton-pri.s-lanark.sch.uk). Enrolment Form 1st Feb

Keyworker Enrolment Form - 25th Jan - 29th Jan (added 20/1/21 by Mrs James)

Please complete the attached Google Form for enrolment for next week. Please remember this is for the children of families where both parents/carers are keyworkers and there are no other childcare options. Please complete the form by close of business on Friday 22nd January. An email notification will be sent with enrolment decisions. All enquiries via the school office email address please (office@milton-pri.s-lanark.sch.uk). Enrolment Form 25th January

Keyworker Enrolment Form - 18th Jan - 22nd Jan (added 14/1/21 by Mrs James)

Please complete the attached Google Form for enrolment for next week. Please remember this is for the children of families where both parents/carers are keyworkers and there are no other childcare options. Please complete the form by close of business on Friday 15th January. An email notification will be sent with enrolment decisions. Enrolment Form 18th

Remote Learning - Live Sessions and Further Information (added 13/1/21 by Mrs James)

Please find below links to the two remote learning documents that have been emailed to families this afternoon. These give further advice on our remote learning offer, 'live' engagement sessions and instructions on how to use Google Meet. The engagement on Google Classroom and live stream sessions has been encouraging to see and we are mindful of the huge task involved for all families and staff in ensuring continued, high quality learning for all. Please remember we are here to support and happy to help in any way we can.

REMOTE LEARNING GUIDANCE 13.1.21 GOOGLE MEET INSTRUCTIONS (Video Conferencing)

Enrolment for new Primary 1 pupils in August 2021 (added 13/1/21 by Mrs James)

This year registration for new entrants will be via an online document which can be found directly on the South Lanarkshire Website - Enrolling your child for school. This will then be forwarded to each school and we will be in touch with families throughout the week beginning 18th January. We look forward to speaking with you in the near future and welcoming you and your child/children to Milton Primary School.

Remote Learning from Monday 11th January 2021 (added 8/1/21 by Mrs James)

Happy New Year to all - although not the way we wanted to start 2021! Please click the link below to see the guidance and format of our remote learning offer which begins on Monday 11th January via our Google Classroom platform. In the letter below (which has also been emailed to all families) you are given detailed information about how learning will be delivered via recorded lessons, live chats and independent work. If you have any log in issues

or require support with a device please contact our school office email box - office @milton-pri-lanark.sch.uk. We will continue to keep you posted of any further guidance we receive via our website and twitter accounts.

REMOTE LEARNING GUIDANCE

** Important Information Update from SLC ** (added 22.12.20 by Mrs James)

Please see attached letter from Mr Tony McDaid, Executive Director. This outlines the arrangements for the phased re-opening of South Lanarkshire schools in January 2021. There is also an attached pupil enrolment form for emergency childcare for key workers - please see the guidance for eligibility. All enrolment forms must be emailed to the school office (office@milton-pri.s-lanark.sch.uk) by 6/1/21. Please note that we will be totally closed from today and email responses will be sent 6/1/21 when the school reopens for staff.

Letter from Mr Tony McDaid

Emergency Childcare (Key Workers) Enrolment Form