

Bannockburn High School

Parent Update
24 June 2020



Dear Parent,

I hope that you and your loved ones are well and that your son or daughter is continuing to engage with their teachers on Google Classroom. I know that this has been a very difficult few months and it has reinforced how essential it is for young people to have personal contact with teachers. If it is any consolation, our staff team share this frustration and they are really looking forward to school resuming in August 2020.

Following the announcement from the Deputy First Minister on Tuesday 23 June that it is now the aim of Scottish Government for children to be able to return to school full time in August, we are now able to update our planning assumptions and the phased return to school plan that we have been working on during this past month will now become our contingency plan.

Our intention is that all young people will return to school full time in August however, you can view our Blended Learning Contingency Plan by clicking this [link](#).

We will however go ahead with our planned Induction Week to enable our new S1 pupils to experience their induction days and our S6 to experience their S6 Conference.

Key Dates

	Monday 10/08/20	Tuesday 11/08/20	Wednesday 12/08/20	Thursday 13/08/20	Friday 14/08/20
Induction Week	INSET DAY (Staff only)	INSET DAY (Staff only)	S6 CONFERENCE DAY	S1 INDUCTION	S1 INDUCTION

Please note that there has been a change to the holiday dates for next session and an additional week has been added to the October holidays. The October holiday will begin on Monday 12 October and pupils and staff will return on Monday 26 October. Please see Stirling Council Term Dates for next session attached.

All pupils will resume on Monday 17 August.

Our previously planned school timetable is ready to implement in August and we are now planning for children to be able to return to school full time. Before school returns in August, I will be in touch again with further advice and more detailed instructions for young people, allowing their return to school to be happy, safe and well supported.

Thank you for your continued support throughout this challenging time and I hope that you enjoy a safe, restful and enjoyable Summer break.

Your sincerely,

Mrs Hook
Head Teacher