

Great things will grow

Head Teacher: Ms Jessica McQuaid

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Dear families,

'we are curious, we ask questions, we delve and discover.

We seek experiences which will broaden our horizons and we are equipped to manage the unknown'.

On return to school we asked students what they had missed due to Covid19. The most common answers where, sports, trips, friends, practical lessons and their social time.

As school teachers, we are becoming more and more aware of the impact of Covid on our student's relationships and behaviour. The aim of our enrichment week will be to provide students with experiences which enrich their lives, develop their understanding of themselves and others, develop their agency and cultural capital and most importantly to have fun!

We are planning to grow our student's relationships and attachments through competition, sports and team building activities. Our student's cultural capital will be developed through exposure to and immersion in our creative arts options. Year 7 students have not experienced these subjects in situ and Year 8 and 9 have had a limited practical curriculum this year. Year 10 will not have experienced some of these subjects since year 9.

The dates of these days can be found below:

Monday 5 th – Friday 9 th Week B	
Creative Arts	Tuesday 6th July: Year 10
Sport	Wednesday 7th July: Year 10
Sport	Thursday 8th July: Year 9
Creative Arts	Friday 9th July: Year 9

Monday 12 th – Friday 16 th	
Creative Arts	Monday 12th July: Year 7
Sport	Tuesday 13th July: Year 7
Creative Arts	Thursday 15th July: Year 8
Sport	Friday 16th July: Year 8

On their sports days' students will be expected to attend in full PE kit and on creative arts days students will be asked to dress in all black clothing. Students clothes must be appropriate for practical and physical activity on both days. If students attend in the wrong uniform, they will be sent home to change.

On these days' school will start at 9am and finish at 3.20. Students will go straight to their first sessions; they will have a timetable with roomings on for these days.

Thank you for your support, if you require any further information please contact the school asking for Naoise McGeer or email nmcgeer1.320@lgflmail.org.

Regards,

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