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Dear Parent/Carer

UPDATE FROM MAUREEN MCKENNA

I wrote to you before the Christmas holidays to update you on the school and nursery arrangements following the Scottish Government's updated guidance to help suppress the spread of the virus and promised that I would keep in touch.

As you will be aware the delay to a return to face to face teaching for many of our children has now been extended to the middle of February at the earliest with the next update announcement from the government due on Tuesday 2nd February.

We are coming up to the February weekend and I remind you that Friday 5th February, Monday 8th and Tuesday 9th February are all school holidays. The in-service day remains on Wednesday 10th February.

I would like to take this opportunity once again to thank you all for your continued support of our schools while dealing with the daily anxieties and challenges that I know we are all facing now.

Our schools will continue to communicate with you and support families as best they can but please do let them know if you need any additional help during these difficult and uncertain times.

Remember we publish all updated information and news on dealing with the pandemic on our website:

<https://www.glasgow.gov.uk/article/26214/Coronavirus-COVID-19-advice-and-guidance-for-schools>

Hopefully I will be back in touch soon with more positive news about when our children and young people can get back to face to face learning in our schools.

Yours sincerely

MAUREEN MCKENNA
Executive Director of Education