

# Viewforth High School

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Dear Parents and Carers

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Welcome back to term 2 of this session. It was lovely to see our pupils back in school today, ready for what will be another busy term.

## Flu Vaccinations


NHS Flu Vaccination forms were issued to pupils via registration this morning so you should be receiving these tonight. If your child did not get a form, please ensure they are in registration tomorrow where they will be issued. The form is required to be returned on the day your child is scheduled to be vaccinated (either the 7<sup>th</sup> or 16<sup>th</sup> of November) and you will receive this information next week. If you have any questions about this vaccination programme, please contact the school office.

## Senior Phase Parents' Evenings

A reminder that the first of our S4 – S6 Parents' Evenings takes place this Wednesday evening from 4.30pm in school. If you didn't get a chance to sign up for this evening, don't worry there is another evening for S4 – S6 on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> of November.

## Pupil Attendance

Attendance at school continues to be a focus for us in Viewforth HS. Please follow the link below to learn more about the reasons why attendance at school is so important and what you can do to support your child's attendance.



Attendance - What you need to know

Why is attendance important?

[Go to this Sway](#)

### Scottish Child Payment

Scottish Child Payment applications will open to eligible children under the age of 16 from Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November. The payment will also increase from £20 to £25 a week for each child from this date. If you already receive Scottish Child Payment, you don't need to reapply. The payment will continue as long as you remain eligible. If your child has turned 6 and is under 16, you will need to reapply when applications open on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November. You can't apply before this date. Find out if you are eligible at [Who should apply - mygov.scot](http://mygov.scot/who-should-apply)

### Dates for your diary

If you would like to join us at a Parent Council meeting, please email the Chair Alex Tomlinson at [viewforthparentcouncil@gmail.com](mailto:viewforthparentcouncil@gmail.com) who will send you an invitation to join the online meeting.

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| • Senior Phase Parents' Evening (1) | Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> October* |
| • Senior Phase Parents' Evening (2) | Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> November*   |
| • Parent Council Meeting            | Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> November     |
| • In-service day (3)                | Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> November    |
| • Parent Council Meeting            | Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> December     |
| • S1 Parents' Evening               | Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> December*  |
| • Parent Council Meeting            | Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January     |
| • S2 Parents' Evening               | Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> January* |
| • S3 Parents' Evening               | Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> January*   |
| • In-service day (4)                | Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> February |
| • Senior Phase Parents' Evening     | Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February* |
| • Parent Council Meeting            | Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> March       |
| • Parent Council Meeting            | Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> May          |
| • In-service day (5)                | Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> June        |
| • Parent Council Meeting            | Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> June        |

\*Please note that this session we are returning to face-to-face parents' evenings in the school building. These will run between 4.30pm and 7pm and further information will be shared in advance of each evening.

Yours faithfully



Mrs Lisa Moore  
Head Teacher