

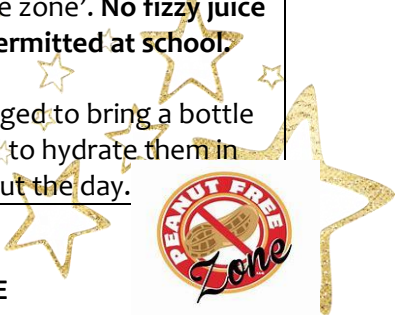
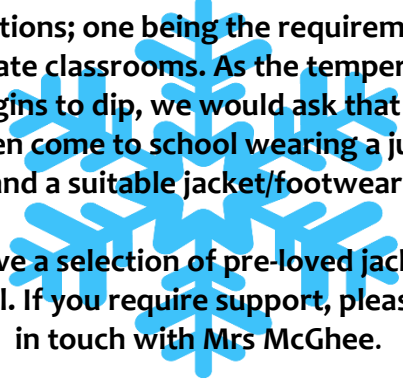


James Aiton Primary School Newsletter

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<p style="text-align: center;">Happy New Year!</p> <p>All staff would like to wish parents and carers a very Happy New Year. We hope you had a lovely holiday.</p> <p>We would also like to thank you for your kindness and generosity for all of the donations received to support us with our festive foodbank and toy drive. Your donations were very well-received by families across our own school community.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>happy new year</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Preparation for Winter</p> <p>Schools continue to follow some Covid restrictions; one being the requirement to ventilate classrooms. As the temperature begins to dip, we would ask that all children come to school wearing a jumper and a suitable jacket/footwear.</p> <p>We have a selection of pre-loved jackets in school. If you require support, please get in touch with Mrs McGhee.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Supporting Families</p> <p>Winter can be an expensive time of year. We know this will be hard financially for some of our families. Please find below some of the options available for support:</p> <p>Scottish Child Payment – apply for £100 (4 wks) Apply at https://www.mygov.scot/scottish-child-payment.</p> <p>Winter Welcome @ venues across SLC</p> <p>Money Matters: You can access this help by calling Money Matters on 0300 029 0041 or fill in a form requesting a call back at www.southlanarkshire.gov.uk/MMAS</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Attendance</p> <p>Following SLC policy, we have a responsibility to monitor pupil attendance and time-keeping. All children should attend school if they well enough to do so. If your child is going to be absent for any reason, please call the school before 9am and leave a message.</p> <p>Children should also be at school by 9am to minimise disruption to teaching and learning.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">P1 Enrolment</p> <p>Children who attain the age of 5 years between 1st March 2023 and 28th Feb 2024, should be registered to start school in August this year. From 9th Jan, parents/carers can use the online form on SLC’s website to enrol their child.</p> <p>More information can be found on our website, Twitter and Facebook pages.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Health Promoting School</p> <p>As a health promoting school, we would ask that you support us by providing your child with one healthy snack for playtime. We would also like to remind parents/carers that James Aiton Primary is a ‘fizz-free zone’. No fizzy juice or energy drinks are permitted at school.</p> <p>The children are encouraged to bring a bottle of plain water to school to hydrate them in class throughout the day.</p>



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Monday 9th Jan – School re-opens

Tuesday 10th Jan – Industrial Strike Action – all primary schools closed

Friday 20th Jan – P1-4 Fluoride Varnishing

Sports Hall Athletics pm

Friday 27th Jan – P6 Class Assembly 9.45am

Monday 30th Jan – Kindness Day

Friday 3rd Feb – Dress Down Day (Pay £1)

Tuesday 7th Feb – Parent Council Meeting 7pm via Zoom (ALL WELCOME)

Friday 10th Feb – Sports Hall Athletics

Monday 13th Feb – HOLIDAY

Tuesday 14th Feb – HOLIDAY

Wednesday 15th Feb – INSET – School Closed to Pupils

Wednesday 22nd Feb – Come Learn with Me 9:30am-10:30am

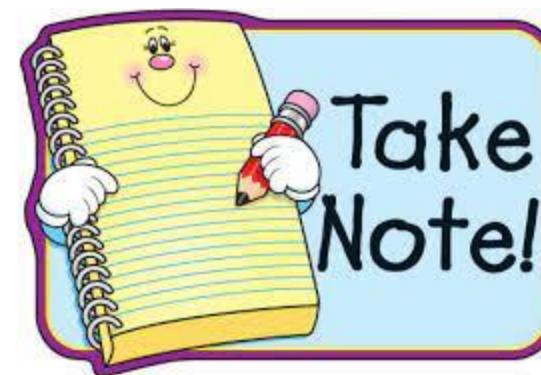
Friday 24th Feb – P2 Class Assembly 9.45am

Friday 3rd Mar – Dress Down Day (Pay £1)

Monday 6th Mar – P7 Easter Code

Tuesday 7th Mar – Parent Council Meeting 7pm via Zoom

Thursday 16th Mar – Dental Inspections



Friday 17th Mar – P6 Euroquiz

Thursday 23rd Mar – Parents Evening

Friday 24th Mar – P1 Easter Assembly 9:45am

Wednesday 29th Mar – SLC Dance Festival

Friday 31st Mar – School closes at 2:30pm



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