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Weekly Bulletin w/b Monday 16th March 2026

Whole School

School Day: This week is WEEK A
S4, Friday period 2 – X classes: Maths, Y classes: English
S1 – Students will have been informed by their teachers re: Art/ Music; Home Ec/ Computing /Soc Ed
S2 – Students will have been informed by their teachers re: Art / Music; Business / Drama

School Nursing Health Hub – The NHS Fife School Nursing Team will be here every Tuesday, in G016 (next to Mr Currie's office), from 2pm-4pm. Just complete a referral form and post outside school office.

Morning Gym Club – The sports council have introduced a morning gym club open to all pupils and staff. The gym club meets in the fitness suite at 8am until the start of the school day on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. This is a great opportunity for pupils and staff to take part in physical activity before the school day.

World Challenge 2027 – This is a reminder that we have a meetings on **Monday 23rd March** at 1:20pm in the Drama Studio. It is really important that you attend these as we are working through our key modules for the trip. Many thanks, The World Challenge Team.

Welcome to our friends from the Ohio Exchange! – Madras College extends a warm welcome to our new friends from Ohio, as our exchange partners arrive in school on Monday 16th March. Our guests will be shadowing their Madras partners in classes for the day and experiencing life in a Scottish school.

Madras Breakfast Club, daily from 08.20 in G051

Breakfast Club is open to everyone and takes place daily (from 08.20) in Home Economics room G051. Come along a grab a tasty bite to eat, and something to drink, before you start the school day.

Parents / Carers

Parents Portal – Provides easy access to a range of online services including our Annual Data Check, timetables, attendance and school reports. Please make sure you've signed up.
iPayimpact, Fusion App and Online ordering – iPayimpact is a secure way to pay for school meals. The Fusion Mobile app links to iPayimpact for online food pre-orders and balance checking.
Raising Funds – Raise funds, for school, "easy-fundraising" when shopping online: further info here

Dates for your diary

Easter Holidays – Friday 3rd April to Friday 17th April (inclusive)
SQA Exam Diet – Wednesday 22nd April to Monday 1st June
May Bank Holiday – Monday 4th May
Inservice Day – Thursday 7th May
Results Day – Tuesday 4th August
School holidays/Term dates https://www.fife.gov.uk/closures/school-holidays,-term,-and-closure-dates

S1 – S3

S3 Paris Trip – Hoodie Sizing drop in session – A drop in session will take place on **Thursday 19th March**, in room S007, from 13.15-13.45. Pupils can try on hoodies to confirm their size before orders are finalised.

S4 – S6

Thorntons Law Work Experience Opportunities – Thorntons Law have work experience opportunities that may be of interest to pupils studying law. Please see Mrs Birmingham for more information.

Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA) – Pupils aged 16 to 19 may be entitled, depending on household income, to claim Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA). This is a payment of £30 per week, paid fortnightly, during the school term. You must meet the attendance criteria, outlined in your learning agreement, to receive your full payment. Please note a new application must be completed for each academic year, so remember to re-apply if you received this last year. Further information, and link to online application, can be found here - EMA | Fife Council

Qualifications Scotland (formerly SQA) candidate information 2026 – Use the following links to access a variety of resources to help you prepare for the upcoming exam period and coursework deadlines:
Your Coursework: Information and rules for completing your coursework - Your coursework
Exam timetable and Learner Apps: Apps to support study and timetable planning, including MyExams App, My StudyPlan App and Personal timetable builder - Exam timetable and learner apps
My Qualifications Scotland: Sign up to receive your results by email and / or text, as well as by post – Here
Past Papers - Past papers
Your Health and Wellbeing: Support resources for mental health, wellbeing and your rights – Here
National Qualifications explained: Guide to Scottish Qualifications - National Qualifications explained

Study Support and Online Resources

Madras Study Support Programme – The school's Study Support programme for Terms 3 and 4 can now be found on our website Madras College - Study Support
BBC Bitesize - Free online study support resource help with learning, revision and homework BITESIZE
WestOS - Free online content to support and help with your learning and revision at school WEST-OS
e-Sgoil - e-Sgoil expands and enriches the curricular offer for all learners across Scotland E-SGOIL
Scholar - Online courses for Scotland's schools and colleges SCHOLAR

Late Bus Service

Stagecoach are running an extra curricular bus service, serving Guardbridge – Leuchars – Tayport – Newport – Wormit areas. Pupils should use NEC / Young Scot Cards (with free bus travel enabled) or pay. Departure times = Monday – Thursday: 16.55, Friday: 14.25 Stagecoach MD17 timetable