## King's Park Secondary School Information for Families and Friends



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## **STAFF NEWS**

Several staff are retiring at the end of the session (early retirement for many of them!). Farewell to:

Ms H Blair, PT Modern Studies Mr D Gladman, Faculty Head Science Mr J Gray, PT Mathematics Mr M Haddow, Mathematics Mr M McDaid, English Mrs M Michie, PT Geography Mr L Roarty, English Ms C Robertson, English



Our colleagues have given many years of service to King's Park, and have worked very hard for the children and families of our school community. I should like to record my grateful thanks to all of them for their work, and wish them all a happy and fulfilling future.

We also say good-by to the probationer teachers who have been with us for the past session - Dr Khan, Miss Mauchline and Mr Ogilvie. Best wishes in your future careers.

Other staff who are leaving us at the end of the session to go to other schools, are Mr Hadil, Technical, Mr McGuigan, Physics, and Miss Maupetit, Modern Languages. Again, best wishes for the future.

Each year, several temporary staff also work with us. We hope they will be able to return, but we may not know until August, if they will be with us again next year. Thanks for all your hard work.

Next session, there will be the following staff changes:

- Mrs R Murray, Acting PT Mathematics
- Mrs L Lumsden, Acting PT Science (looking after Biology, Chemistry, Physics and Science)
- Mr P Grimes, Acting PT Social Studies and RME (looking after Geography, Modern Studies and RME)

School Calendar

Fri 24 June	Close for summer at 1 pm. Non- uniform day 50p
Thu 23 June	Glasgow Schools Orchestras Concert in City Halls
Tue 21 June	SciArt Exhibition
Sun 19 June	Residential Music Course at Castle Toward (19-23 June)
Sat 18 June	Trip to Paris (18-23 June)
Thu 16 June	7.30 pm - Senior (S3-6) Prize Giving Ceremony
Thu 16 June	2.00 pm – S1/2 Award Ceremony
Wed 15 June	S6 Prom
Tue 14 June	Parent Council meeting
Tue 14 June	Sports Day

Mon 15 August Tue 16 August

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Wed 17 Aug Pupils return to school

## Dear Parents and Carers

Another school session has flown past, and we are rightly proud of the many achievements of our pupils. Our school website will keep you up to date.

Attached to this newsletter, you will find the presentation which we will give to all pupils in special assemblies this week. It explains the importance of school uniform, and it ends with our school motto. Video Meliora Petoque – I see and aim for better things. We are always working to improve.

We want nothing but the best for your children, and we have high expectations of them. We need you to continue helping us. I know that, working together, we will always see and aim for better things.

Thank you for the very many messages of support which the school has received recently. Wishing you an enjoyable summer.

Kind Regards Margaret Barr Head Teacher