

## St Benedict's High School

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Children's Services

Dear Parents / Carers

### **UPDATE WEEK 2**

I am delighted to report another positive week. Pupils have continued to respond very well to our new COVID arrangements. It is clear to see that they are enjoying being back in the building and continuing with their education.

### **COVID Reminder**

Your child **should not report** to school if they or any member of your household, or someone they have been in direct contact with have any of these symptoms:

The most common symptoms are new:

- continuous cough
- fever/high temperature (37.8C or greater)
- loss of, or change in, sense of smell or taste

<https://www.nhsinform.scot/illnesses-and-conditions/infections-and-poisoning/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-covid-19-general-advice>

Return to school should only happen when there has been a negative test result.

### **SQA Results**

Pupils have now been issued with their up to date results.

SQA have issued their position on SQA Appeals and have very clear and strict criteria.

<https://www.sqa.org.uk/sqa/94420.html>

### **Physical Education**

Lessons will continue to be outside in line with government guidance. Please ensure your child has the appropriate outerwear.

### **Health and Safety**

A staff group has been established to discuss our new arrangements on a weekly basis.

Director of Children's Services: Steven Quinn

## Parent Council

This week, I will meet with members of the Parent Council to discuss our new COVID arrangements. Any parent interested in joining should contact Stephen McGee (Parent Council Chair) [stmcgee@sky.com](mailto:stmcgee@sky.com) or the school office [stbenedictshighenquiries@renfrewshire.gov.uk](mailto:stbenedictshighenquiries@renfrewshire.gov.uk)

I hope you are reassured by the precautions we have put in place. I am available if you have any queries.



Alan Taylor

Head Teacher