

MINUTES OF THE PARENT COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 18 JANUARY 2021

Present: A Taylor, S McGee, A Donnelly, C Howell, J Hunter, L MacDonald,
C McArthur, E McNally, C McLaren, A McSwegan, F Phillips, A Shaw,
N Stewart, A Strutt, C Turley

		<u>Action</u>
<p>Welcome and Introduction</p> <p>SMcG welcomed everyone to the meeting.</p> <p>AT welcomed LMacD and informed everyone that she has agreed to join the group and take up the role of minute taker.</p>		
<p>HT Report</p> <p>AT gave a presentation on remote learning. He then gave a brief overview on how the school was taking remote learning forward. He assured everyone that Health and Wellbeing is a key focus and we are looking to develop this.</p> <p>He informed the group that engagement levels were high across the school and monitoring systems were in place.</p>		
<p>AOCB</p> <p>Various members of the group asked AT to pass their thanks and gratitude on to the staff, they are doing a tremendous job at present.</p> <p>CMcL highlighted that the consistent approach of using the same platform is very helpful this time round.</p> <p>AT informed the group that there was a member of staff with responsibility for monitoring any ICT issues.</p> <p>AS highlighted her concerns for the pupils who are not engaging.</p> <p>AT explained that we are monitoring this with a new database and explained the process to the group.</p> <p>AS mentioned, that within SMHW you can mark work completed when in fact it hasn't and that there is no work available at 9.00am.</p> <p>AT assured everyone that staff would be monitoring returns through TEAMS pages and that the work will be posted on a Monday morning for the coming week and that the pupils should follow their timetable.</p> <p>CH explained that she splits the work for the week into tasks with the emphasis that the work is to last the full week.</p>		

