



Whole School

Madras Burns Singing Competition – If anyone would like to enter the school Burns Singing Competition, please speak to Mrs Miller in F035 for further info. The competition will be judged by St Andrews Burns Club and the winners will represent the school in the Fife Burns Competition.

World Challenge Borneo expedition 2025 – Applications are open, so please [sign up for Borneo 2025 here](#). The deadline for applications is Friday 1st of December. If you missed the information talk here is the recording – <https://youtu.be/NdcYIWwJYfA> You can still sign up and find out about the expedition on [our trip webpage](#). Any questions get in touch with Miss Dawson in the PE department.

Overdue library books – Remember to check the dates on any books you've borrowed. There are a number of overdue books and these should be returned to the LRC as soon as possible.

Tempest School Photographs – There are still some school photographs to be collected from the school office. Please come and collect yours, if you placed an order and haven't picked it up yet.

FOUND – Found in the Science Corridor, a metal pendant containing coloured stones. See Dr Woods

Parents / Carers

Parents Portal – If any parents / carers haven't signed up to Parents Portal, please visit [Parents Portal](#) Parents Portal provides a range of online services inc. our Annual Data Check and upcoming school reports

ipayimpact, Fusion App and Online ordering – ipayimpact is a safe and secure way to make online payments for school meals etc. The Fusion Mobile pre-ordering app links to your child's iPayimpact Account and allows them to purchase cafeteria items and check their account balance from their phone

Cost of Living Support – Make sure you're getting the help you're entitled to. Universal support is available for those who aren't eligible for any benefits. Visit <https://our.fife.scot/gethelp> for more info

Free School Meals and Clothing Grants – Eligible families may be entitled to Free School Meals and Clothing Grants from Fife Council - [Free school meals and school clothing grants | Fife Council](#)

Uniform Recycling – We are collect any used school uniform, clean and in good condition, items can be donated in school reception. Washed uniforms will be available to all pupils, and parents, to reuse

Raising Funds – A simple way to raise funds for the school is using "easy-fundraising" when shopping online: https://www.madras.fife.sch.uk/docs/Parent_Council/How_to_raise_money_for_Madras_College_while_online_shopping.pdf

S1 / S2 / S3

Assemblies This Week:

- S1 – Registration, Monday
- S2 – Registration, Tuesday
- S3 – Registration, Thursday

Young Leadership Academy – Active Schools are delighted to announce a new opportunity for those in S1-3. As part of this you will support the delivery of sporting sessions, school events, contribute to sport in school through meetings and will receive free training in activities. Interested in applying? Scan the QR code on the PE Base window or see Madison (Active Schools)

S4 / S5 / S6

Assemblies This Week:

- S4 – Registration, Friday

A View from the Bridge – Did you study this in English? Do you still have a copy at home? Would you like to donate it to Mrs Montgomery? Some of you still have a loan copy and could reclaim your deposit when you return it. See Mrs Montgomery if you fall into any of the above categories

Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA) 2023-24 – Depending on household income, pupils born between 1st March 2004 and 29th Feb 2008 may be eligible for EMA £30 per week: <https://www.fife.gov.uk/kb/docs/articles/education2/schools-in-fife/funding/educational-maintenance-allowance>

Your National Qualifications – There's lots to consider when completing your coursework and preparing for exams. The SQA have created Your National Qualifications booklet to help you. The booklet contains information on modifications, sources and Artificial Intelligence. There is also guidance on the rules you need to know and understand when completing your coursework. - https://www.sqa.org.uk/sqa/files_ccc/Your-National-Qualifications-23-24-school-edition.pdf

Clubs and Study Support

We'll display a separate clubs and activities news bulletin on the screens, around the school, and email to staff and parents.

More info on Study Support and Active Schools / Sports:

Full Study Support schedule - <https://www.madras.fife.sch.uk/Study-Support/>

Active Schools Activities and Extra Curricular Sports -

https://madras.fife.sch.uk/docs/Extra_Curricular/Extra_Curricular_Sports_2023-24.pdf