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Dear P7 Parent / Carer

Hyndland Secondary – S1 Transition

I hope you and your families are well and are looking forward to schools re-opening for your young person on 15th March. I wrote to you in December to share some updates on the transition programme such as the virtual tour videos from each department. I hope you and your young person enjoyed watching these and found them helpful.

The S1 Question Panels were completed last month and these were a great success. You can find the FAQs and Answers at the following link <https://youtu.be/ggLi7PBqtxg>. I hope to arrange for these to happen again in the summer term when P7 pupils will undoubtedly have more questions about their transition to S1 in August.

I will also be making plans for your young person to visit Hyndland Secondary in the summer term should restrictions allow. This will provide an invaluable opportunity to meet teachers, other young people, experience a variety of lessons and see the layout of the buildings. All very important aspects of the transition process.

In the mean time we continue to provide opportunities remotely. Each P7 class has started a programme of taster lessons across a variety of subjects. These are taking place weekly and will continue until the spring break. They include pre-recorded lessons and live lessons from the following departments:

Modern Languages

Science

PE and Dance

Computing, IT and Admin

Art

Technical

Health and Food Technology

Maths

PSHE/Pastoral Care

Social Subjects

Very soon I will be contacting parents/carers of young people who would benefit from an Enhanced Transition. I am currently liaising with each primary to make arrangements for this happening once P7s return to school next week.

As always, please continue to check our school website (S1 Induction) for information <http://www.hyndland-sec.glasgow.sch.uk> and please do not hesitate to email me at VLetford@hyndland-sec.glasgow.sch.uk if you have further queries about S1 Transition. In the meantime, I wish your young person all the best for returning to school on Monday. I know all the teachers will be very excited to have them back.

Kind regards,

V Letford

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Depute Head Teacher S1

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