



Whole School

Whole School Clubs / Study Support

Chess Club – Tuesday lunchtimes in F013

S1 Lunch Club – Every Tuesday in F043. See Miss West for details

Madras Lunch Club – Wednesday Lunchtimes, in F015, from 13.00-13.50. Social activities and tasty snacks, brought to you by North East Fife Youth Work Team, in a welcoming and inclusive environment

Pride Group – Pride Group will be meeting in G026 every Wednesday lunchtime from 1.15. Come along to make new friends and help raise awareness about LGBTQ+ issues. Everyone welcome.

Extra Curricular Sports – Extra curricular sports return this week! See the Extra Curricular Timetable (available on the display screens in school and online, link below) for further details or speak to Madison in the PE base (F016) <https://www.madras.fife.sch.uk/Sports/?skipHAP=y>

Nominate your Classroom Hero!

Ryman has supported classrooms and teachers, all over the UK, for over 130 years. This year, we need your help to thank educational staff for all of the help and support they provide children with at school each year. We are giving families, friends and students of educational professionals the chance to nominate their Classroom Heroes and tell us why their nominee deserves to win one of our "Classroom Essential" bundles worth over £130. Nominating your Hero is quick and easy – just go to: <https://www.ryman.co.uk/classroom-heroes-2023> (closing date Monday 11th September 2023)

Uniform Recycling

We are looking to collect any used school uniform, clean and in good condition, to recycle in school. Any uniform including trousers, skirts, shirts, cardigans, ties or shoes can be donated in the drop off spots in the school reception. The washed uniforms will be made available to all pupils, and parents, to reuse which will reduce the amount being put to landfills and contributing to global warming.

Social Security Scotland – Financial Support

Social Security Scotland are promoting their service, to encourage eligible people to apply for the financial support that they are entitled to. Please visit their website to find out more about the 13 benefits that are available <https://www.socialsecurity.gov.scot/benefits>

Raising Funds

A simple way to raise funds for the school is using "easy-fundraising" when shopping online. A step-by-step user guide of the process is on the school website, link here:

https://www.madras.fife.sch.uk/docs/Parent_Council/How_to_raise_money_for_Madras_College_while_online_shopping.pdf

S1/2/3

Assemblies This Week:

S1 – Registration, Monday

S2 – Registration, Tuesday

S3 – Registration, Thursday

S1 / 2 / 3 Clubs and Study Support

ICT Club – In S004 every Monday at lunchtime for S1-3 pupils

Gaming Club – Come along, chat about gaming and play app games like Pokemon Go and Pikmin Bloom with like-minded friends. S003 every Wednesday from 1.15 pm. Feel free to bring a packed lunch.

Business/Computing BGE Homework Support – Come along to S004 on Wednesdays from 1.15 pm to get any help you need with your homework in S1 ICT, S2/3 Business or S2/3 Computing

S4/5/6

Assemblies This Week:

S4 – Registration, Friday

Disney Trip Feb 24

Anyone already booked on this trip, please see Mrs Hall in F033 this week on Monday or Tuesday

S4 / 5 / 6 Clubs and Study Support

Business Education study support – Study support for pupils in N5-AH classes in Accounting, Admin & IT and Business Management every Monday and Wednesday in S003/4 from 2.50-3.50 pm and Wednesday lunchtime from 1.15. Some weeks there may only be one after-school session per week due to staff meetings - please check with your class teacher

Computing Science study support – Come along to study support for N5 and Higher in S007 every Wednesday from 1.15 pm

Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA) 2023-24

Depending on household income, pupils born between 1st March 2004 and 30th September 2007 may be eligible for an Education Maintenance Allowance payment of £30 per week (paid fortnightly). Pupils born between 1st October 2007 and 29th February 2008 may be eligible for an award starting in January 2024 and can still apply now. More information, and the online application form, below <https://www.fife.gov.uk/kb/docs/articles/education2/schools-in-fife/funding/educational-maintenance-allowance>

UCAS Guide for parents and carers

Please find a link, below, to the UCAS Guide for parents/ carers whose child is considering a course at college / or university in 2024 <https://www.ucas.com/file/715336/download?token=iNdDS9YI>