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Dear Parent/Carer

**Amendment to South Ayrshire School Holidays - Christmas Holiday December 2020**

Following consultation with South Ayrshire Council and Parent Councils, it has been decided that the last day for pupils will be Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> December rather than Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> December.

This means it will be 48 hours from schools closing prior to Christmas Day. This significantly reduces the possibility of anyone being contacted on Christmas day and asked to isolate as a result of being in close contact (of a confirmed case of coronavirus) whilst in school. The in-service day that had been arranged for February 22<sup>nd</sup> will be moved to 23<sup>rd</sup> December to allow closure to pupils from 22<sup>nd</sup> December.

School will close to pupils at 2.30pm on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2020 (subject to transport being available). Attached is an updated version of the South Ayrshire School Holidays for this session.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'George Docherty'.

George Docherty  
Head Teacher