

Lochnorris Supported Learning Centre

Latest Update 10/11/20

We're so close to being there!



I can't believe how much has been done since my last letter a couple of weeks ago. We are currently packing up and reminding all the children of the happy times at Barshare Primary SLC, as well as all the excitement of the wonderful opportunities ahead for them.

Barshare Primary will close at 3pm on Wednesday 11th November 2020.

We will then have 4 exceptional closure days on:

Thursday 12th, Friday 13th, Monday 16th and Tuesday 17th to allow the staff to pack and unpack.

Pupils will be welcomed into Lochnorris Primary SLC on Wednesday 18th November.

The School Day

The new school times are: 8.55am – 2.50pm

8.55am: School begins

10.35am – 10.50: Playtime (please note we may stagger this for our children)

12.30pm – 1.10 pm: Lunchtime - all lunches will be served to children in their classrooms

2.50pm: Home time

Transport

Please be aware that pick up and drop off times may change due to the new timings of the school day. Your transport operator will make you aware of this. For parents transporting their children to the SLC, we ask that you use the ASN and SLC car park to the front of the building off Underwood Road. There is a barrier which will be raised for you as you identify yourself and the child you are transporting.

Arriving At School

Due to COVID restrictions, parents are unfortunately not able to enter the school building. Your child will be met at the front entrance by their Classroom Assistant and escorted to their classes in the morning. Children will then be escorted to the front door to be collected at home time. Parents who have children in the school and in the SLC will be contacted individually to help us make it as easy as possible for you to drop off and collect your children.

Please ensure that face coverings are worn by any parents and carers dropping off or collecting their child across all areas of the campus.

Our new SLC

We are very excited about the move to our fantastic new SLC and we have worked with your children to ensure that we have a smooth transition. This has included the use of social stories, showing photographs and videos and even a visit to see our new classrooms on the 4th of November.

I am sure your child has told you what great fun they had looking at all the lovely new spaces and resources. The laughter and excitement was a joy to hear.

We would like to reassure you that your child will remain with the same class teacher and the children who are their class currently.

SLC 1a	Miss Stobbs
SLC 1b	Ms McMillan
SLC 2	Mrs Blaney (Mon-Thurs) Miss Lee (Friday)
SLC 3	Miss Robertson

Miss Lee will continue to work with a group from SLC 2 and 3

Ms Reid – will work at different times with all classes

Current COVID restrictions will still apply in the new building, so we will be working hard to maintain our class bubbles and avoid mixing classes. This will be reviewed regularly in line with all COVID protocols.

Please get in touch with us if there is anything else you want to chat over with us.
The class teachers will continue to contact you regularly.

Stay safe everyone.

Mrs Hastings and the SLC staff.