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Dear (Pupil Name)

Belonging, Believing, Aspiring and Achieving at Breadalbane Academy

Welcome to Breadalbane Academy.

You are now making your last school transition before leaving finally for adult life. Whilst there may be some challenges associated with this transition, we hope also that you will make the most of the opportunities it will present to you. These will include the chance of developing new friendships within a wider peer group and the opportunity to engage with a wide range of courses and wider achievement activities which should support you in pursuing your interests and career aspirations.

Once again, the academic attainment of Pitlochry High School pupils in their S4 examinations has been of a very high standard and we know that you will also already have engaged in a range of wider achievement opportunities. I am confident therefore that your attendance at Breadalbane Academy can only serve to enrich the school's reputation and the experience of all our S5 pupils.

Our school vision statement: ***belonging, believing, aspiring, achieving*** summarises the journey we want all our pupils to take.

Belonging: We want you to feel that you are a part of the school and that the school is here to support you in being as successful as you possibly can be. No matter who you are we aim to ensure that you are respected and have every opportunity to flourish.

Believing: We want to support you in further developing the self-belief and resilience you will need in order to overcome challenges and make the most of your final school years.

Aspiring: From the first day of S5, you will work alongside classroom teachers to set yourself challenging targets, which through collaboration with them, you should be able to achieve. Over the course of the year, you will also have further opportunities to consider your options beyond school. This should help you to plan for success during your time at Breadalbane.



Achieving: We want you to be part of Breadalbane Academy's proud tradition of excellence in academic attainment and wider achievement. We will do our very best to provide you with the opportunities you need, but ask of you that you strive from the outset to achieve the very best you can.

I wish you a very successful time at Breadalbane Academy.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John Devine', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

John Devine
Headteacher