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Dear Parent/Carer,

S2 Visit to the Scottish Parliament, Edinburgh - Friday 23rd February

As part of our broad general education within social subjects, we aim to ensure our pupils are offered the opportunity to develop their understanding of their rights and responsibilities. In S2, we are looking in detail at Democracy and our role in Democracy in Scotland. To further develop this understanding, and to make politics in Scotland more tangible, we have organised a trip for our S2 year group to the Scottish Parliament in Edinburgh on **Friday 23rd February**. The visit will involve a quick workshop and tour of the Parliament building, linking to work the pupils have been completing in class.

We will be travelling to Edinburgh by bus, leaving Breadalbane at 9.00am and returning to school in time for the buses at 3.40pm. All pupils must be dressed appropriately in full school uniform and should bring a packed lunch and drink – no cans please. Packed lunches can be supplied by Tayside Contracts and paid for via ParentPay. If your child is in receipt of Free School Meals, a packed lunch can be provided for the trip in place of the in-school lunch. If you would like to order a packed lunch, please complete the form [here](#) and return to the kitchen as soon as possible.

The cost of this trip will be covered by the school.

In addition to the Scottish Parliament visit, we will also be welcoming John Swinney, our constituency MSP, into school on Tuesday 20th February where he will take part in a question-and-answer session with S2 pupils.

The trip is covered by the Annual Consent Form completed at the beginning of the school year. If you have returned your form and require changes to be made, please contact the School Office.

As a part of the Breadalbane Guarantee, this experience is an enhancement to the school curriculum and is delivered on a normal school day therefore attendance is compulsory for all pupils, and we urge all pupils to take advantage of this opportunity. If you do not wish for your child to take part in the trip, please email breadalbane@pkc.gov.uk by 5pm on Friday 9th February.

Yours faithfully

Mr D. Woodrow
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