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Dear Parent / Carer

As we approach Christmas I would like to take this opportunity to wish you and your families a very happy Christmas.

It has been a year where we have at last restarted much of the life of the school and been able to provide events that have been hampered over the years of Covid including parents' nights and school events. We recently had a very successful Christmas concert for the first time in three years and God willing we will continue to have such events in the coming months and years. Your continued support of the school throughout this time is very much appreciated.

The school will close officially for Christmas break this **Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> December at 2.30pm**. Young people return to school early next year on **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January**.

For young people in S4 to S6 who are undertaking SQA prelims they will have the opportunity to take part in study leave between Mon 9<sup>th</sup> January and Tue 24<sup>th</sup> January inclusive. This period of study leave has been extended slightly to accommodate possible industrial action by some teaching associations in the New Year. If young people need to come in to school for private study this will be accommodated.

At present the industrial action dates that will impact upon the school are Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> January and Monday 16<sup>th</sup> January. I have sent out an additional letter from Glasgow City Council with further details.

Once again, many thanks for all your help and support this year and I hope that both you and your families have a safe and peaceful Christmas break.

Yours sincerely

*John McGhee.*

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