



THE MILLER MONTHLY

APRIL 2023

Contact: 20 Arden Craig Road,
G45 9US. Phone: 0141 634
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Our Website Address:

www.miller-pri.glasgow.sch.uk

Our Twitter is: @millerprimary

Parent Council: Please call the office if you would like to join.
Chair: Mark Ingram

Child Protection Co-ordinator: Mrs Peers. Please speak to her about any concerns re a child's safety and welfare.

School Vision: Miller Primary strives to Get It Right for Every Child by embracing uniqueness and setting high standards for all.

School Values:

- Rainbow Respect and Responsibility



- Amber Ambition



- Mathy Learning



- Oscar Trust and Honesty



School Motto: Together we'll succeed

Absence Line: Please call them if your child is not coming to school:
0141 287 0039

Health Promotion



We are a Health Promoting School, so please only send a healthy snack and a bottle for water into school.

Healthy snacks =

healthy children =

**better concentration and learning =
more progress.**

Dear Parents / Carers,

I hope you had a relaxing and restful spring break. Welcome to term 4 and it has been lovely to see all the children return to school. I am sure many of them have grown over the two-week break.

The Parent Council donated chocolate eggs for all the children and we would like to thank them for doing this. If your child was off at the end of last term, they will get their egg today from their class Teacher. If you would like to join the Parent Council, please contact the School Office or Mark Ingram the Chair of the Parent Council. We are always looking for new members as the Parent Council are a vital part of our school. They raise funds, make decisions about school business and they work in partnership with the school. This term, they plan to organise a coffee catch up for all Parents which will be free, so look out for more information on this over the next few weeks.

As you are probably already aware, the King is being Coronated in May and as a result we have been given Monday 8th of May as a holiday. Therefore, we will be off for the first 2 Mondays in May. Please look at the calendar in page overleaf for full information about all our holidays and events before the summer.

This term will be very busy for the children and it is important that they come to school everyday on time so that they can make the most of their learning in this final term. Attendance is so important in helping your child to make progress with their learning. Please look on the Seesaw Family App at your child's work and make a wee comment on it for them, it means a lot to them. Likewise, we use the App to communicate with you regularly about key school events / information. If you need help to access the app, please speak to the Office.

You will have an opportunity to talk to your child's Teacher in May at our Parents' Night and we will send out details of this very soon. You should all have received your child's annual report before the spring break and this should give you an idea of where your child is with their learning. If you have any concerns about your child's learning from their report, please feel free to contact me at the school.

We are continuing this term to focus on our children showing our values of respect and responsibility, ambition, learning and trust and honesty. Please can you reinforce this with your child as this will help them to follow our rules of ready, safe and respectful. Ensuring your child is respectful to adults and their peers, will help them make progress with their learning as they will be actively listening and working with each other. As our motto is "together we'll succeed", we will be in touch to work in partnership with you if you or we have concerns about your child.

If you drive your child to school each day, we would ask that you park responsibly and not on the zig zag lines, the crossing or over the neighbours' driveways. By doing this, we will be keeping all children safe on their journey to and from school. Likewise, if you are driving within the school grounds, please drive slowly as children can be crossing or walking.

Finally, I have some personal news. Over the break, I got married to my partner of 13.5 years, Matt, and so my new name is Lorraine Peers. It will take time to get out of the way of calling me Mrs Booth, including reminding myself not to use my old name! The children made me a book of advice for married life and it was amazing advice and ideas.

If you have any concerns or you would like to discuss something with us, please do not hesitate to call the school and we will arrange a meeting with you.

Kind Regards

Mrs Lorraine Peers (Head Teacher)



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Dates for the Diary - All dates are subject to change

Important Information:

Please apply for Free School Meals for your child, even if they get free lunches because of their age. Applying is important as if there is ever a need for supplying lunches to children during closures, then the Council will only send a payment to children who are actually entitled to free school meals.

Our breakfast club as well as lunches are free for children who have registered for Free School Meals. If you have not applied then breakfast club is £2 per day for a child.

We also get our Pupil Equity Funding based on the number of children who have applied and received Free School Meals and as such we do not get as much money as we could as some families are not applying for the Free Meals.

Remember to re-apply in plenty of time if your child's entitlement has ran out or apply for the first time in good time before the start of next session.

You can apply for Free School Meals online in the following website:

www.glasgow.gov.uk

Look at the Schools and Learning Section.

Choose Grants and Allowances

Then select Clothing Grants and Free School Meals and apply from there.

If you need help to complete the form, please contact the school.

Absence:

If your child is unwell, please call the absence line on the following number: 0141 287 0039.

Term 4

17.04.23	Children return to school
25.04.23	Primary 1 Enhanced Transitions
01.05.23	Holiday. Children return on 02.05.23
08.05.23	Additional Holiday for Coronation
02.05/ 09.05	Primary 1 Enhanced Transitions
18.05.23	Share the Ipad/Digital Learning at 9:15am
23.05.23	P1 Induction afternoon for all new P1s
24.05.23	Parents' Night from 3:30-8:30pm
25.05.23	In-Service Day 5. Children off school
26.05.23/29.05.23	Holidays. Children return on 30.05.23
01.06.23	School Show 1:30 £3.50 per ticket
06.06.23	P1 Induction afternoon for all new P1s
06.06.23	Whole school transition visit
07.06.23	Sports Day P1-4 9:30-10:30, P5-7 11:00-12:00
12.06.23	Prom 6-8 in Dining Hall P7
15.06.23	Whole school transition visit
16.06.23	Leavers' Assembly 9:30am
20.06.23	Awards Ceremony at 9:30am
23.06.23	School closes at 1pm for the Holidays
14.08.23	Staff return to school In-service Days
16.08.23	Children start school.