



## Welcome Back

It has been a very smooth start to the new session and our thanks go to everyone who has contributed to this.

Monday was the first day on which senior girls wore the new kilt.



## Parents' Conference 2019

Our 2019 conference takes place on Tuesday 24 September from 7.00-8.30pm with a social gathering thereafter. The conference topics this year are

- i-Generation: Impact of IT on young people (Dr J. Inchley, Glasgow University)
- Improving Gender Balance (H. Brown, Education Scotland)
- Coping with Anxiety (C. Stevens, School Counsellor)
- Literacy
- Mandarin @ Jordanhill

Full details will be issued shortly allowing you to sign up for the topic of interest to you. We look forward to seeing you on the night.

## Office 365

Our new Office 365 environment gives pupils 24/7 access to all of their learning resources and to a range of functions which previously were accessible to them only in school such as the school notices and department and course choice surveys. A simple guide is available in the **Pupils** area.

Every timetabled class has a bespoke learning space which supports co-operative learning and allows teachers to assign homework, tests and other assignments. Pupils will learn more about this as we progress through the term.

## Financial Support

We would remind parents and carers that the school offers a range of [financial support](#). You are welcome to speak to the Bursar in confidence at any time.

In addition to free school meals and clothing grants, the school, through the generosity of the **Educational Amenities Trust**, is able to offer support for participation in school trips, excursions and a wide variety of other activities. Information about financial support is provided in the notification of every event.

## Photographs

Photographs of the Sports Day, S5-S6 Summer Ball and Prizegiving are available [here](#).

The password is 'chamberlain' and further information is available on our school website <http://www.jordanhill.glasgow.sch.uk/photographs/>

## Refectory Card: Auto top-up

Using auto top-up you can ensure that your child's school meal balance is always in credit. It allows you to set a minimum balance threshold which, when breached, automatically credits your child's meal account by an amount fixed by you using a Balance Transfer payment.

See [ParentPay](#) for more information.

## Dates for the Diary

### August

Wednesday 28          Individual Pupil Photographs

### September

Tuesday 3              S6 Parents Briefing  
7-9                      AH Geography Field Trip  
Wednesday 18        S4 Parents Briefing  
Saturday 21           S1 Parents Coffee Morning  
Tuesday 24            Parents' Conference and AGM  
Thursday 26          In-service day (School closed to pupils)  
Friday 27              Holiday  
Monday 30             Holiday