

## Jordanhill School Parent Conference and AGM Tuesday 19 September

Workshops will start at 6pm and will last approximately 50minutes

The AGM will start at 7pm and will last approximately 30minutes

	<b>Workshop theme</b>	<b>Target audience</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Presenter(s)</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>Introduction to reading and phonics in Primary 1</b> Mrs Benjamin and Miss McIntyre will outline the school's approach to teaching early literacy skills in Primary 1. They will explain the Primary 1 literacy curriculum, sharing our approaches to teaching reading and the phonic skills programme that we follow. Attending this workshop will also highlight how you can best support your child at home with learning to read.	Primary 1 parents	Learning Zone	Mrs Benjamin Depute Head Teacher, Miss McIntyre, Principal Teacher
<b>2</b>	<b>Support for Learning in Jordanhill Primary</b> Mr Buchan will give an overview of our approach to identifying additional support needs and the interventions we put in place to help pupils with additional needs and to support pupils who are experiencing challenges with learning.	Primary parents P2-P7	B1	Richard Buchan, Primary Head Teacher
<b>3</b>	<b>Coping with anxiety.</b> An informal presentation with practical ideas and strategies on how to best support a child who is feeling anxious. The presentation is very broad, so should be relevant for parents of pupils from P4-S6.	Primary and Secondary parents, P4-S6	Classroom TBC	Claire Stevens, Jordanhill School counsellor
<b>4</b>	<b>The Emotion Ring</b> An introduction to how primary and secondary are working to improve pupils' emotional literacy. Mr Brown will explain the features of The Emotion Ring and how improving pupil understanding of emotions can improve wellbeing and support their attainment.	Primary and Secondary parents	Classroom TBC	Dougie Brown, Depute Rector
<b>5</b>	<b>Getting the most from S1 and introduction to our digital platform</b> All pupils in secondary are issued with a chromebook and we make extensive use of Office 365. Mr McGinlay will give S1 parents an overview of how we use digital technology to support teaching and learning.  Mr Toal will then discuss our approaches to getting pupils ready for learning and success in secondary. He will share our progressive approach to study skills and how we can help pupils at home too.	S1 Parents	Hall	Jack McGinlay, lead for digital learning  Brian Toal, Principal Teacher Learning and Development
<b>6</b>	<b>Success in S4 and National Qualifications</b> Dr Kelly will give an overview of key dates in S4 and how we can help pupils navigate through this first year of external examination. Dr Kelly will share ideas with parents on how we can help S4 pupils get the most from the year so that they achieve success while maintaining a sensible and manageable workload.	S4 Parents	Refectory	Helen Kelly, Depute Headteacher, S4-S6