

Stranraer Academy

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Dear Parent/Carer,

A warm thanks to those of you who joined me via Zoom last Wednesday for the Question and Answer sessions on Stranraer Academy's Alternative Certification Model 2021-21. I do hope you found it useful.

As previously stated, Assessment Round Two will begin on Wednesday 12th May and will run until June 4th.

Further to my letter dated 22nd April, I am now in a position to tell you that Study Leave will not be in place during Assessment Round Two. This is to allow young people to access support from their subject teachers. As such, the timetable for all young people in S4, S5 and S6 will continue as normal and attendance at classes is available for support and/or personal study purposes. If, however, you would wish/prefer your child to study at home, please contact the school at the email address above and we will apply the appropriate attendance code to reflect this.

Please note that S4, S5 and S6 Tracking Reports will be issued to you on Monday 10th May.

I would also bring to your attention the final date for completion of National 4 Units/coursework is Wednesday June 2nd. Failure to complete outstanding work by this date will result in delayed certification by SQA.

Finally, the official Leaving Date for young people who are age to leave in the summer is 31st May. However, young people must continue to attend until all assessments and coursework have been completed. This is to ensure that young people achieve their full potential through the Alternative Certification Model 2020-21.

Should you wish to discuss the content of this letter further, or indeed any other aspect of your child's learning, please contact your child's Pupil Support Principal Teacher in the first instance.

Best wishes

Alicia Reid

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Head Teacher