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Dear Parent/Carer

Outdoor Education Programme - New S3 Munro Walk

As a part of the Breadalbane Wider Achievement Guarantee, we are providing the opportunity for all new S3 pupils to take part in a hillwalking day in Munro terrain. The aim is for pupils to enjoy a day out exploring a mountainous environment in a small group. Groups will decide their goal for the day together, alongside the staff accompanying their group, so that everyone has a day that is appropriately challenging and enjoyable.

The walks will take place as follows:

- **Lawers and Schiehallion - Thursday 13th June**
- **Farragon and Mhor - Wednesday 26th June**
- **A 3rd day may be required based on number of Mini Buses we can access. If this is required further communication will be made.**
- **Pupils may be move about days once numbers are finalised and will be informed prior to 13th June.**

Pupils participating in the walk will need to bring a packed lunch and drink – no cans please. Packed lunches can be supplied by Tayside Contracts and paid for via ParentPay. If your child is in receipt of Free School Meals, a packed lunch can be provided for the walk in place of the in-school lunch. If you would like to order a packed lunch, please complete the form [here](#) and return to the kitchen one week before their walk is due to take place.

School uniform is not required however pupils must be dressed appropriately for a day outside. This includes strong outdoor shoes or walking boots with thick socks, trousers/leggings/joggers (not jeans), t-shirt, jumper or fleece, warm hat and gloves, sunglasses and suncream. A small rucksack for carrying personal belongings, waterproof jacket and trousers, and spare jumper are also recommended. If your child does not have these items, please contact the PE department. Pupils should also ensure they bring along any personal medication they require.

The cost of this trip will be covered by the school.

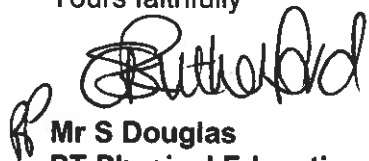
This walk is covered by the Annual Consent Form completed at the beginning of the school year. If you have returned your form and require changes to be made, please contact the School Office.



As this experience is an enhancement to the school curriculum and is delivered on a normal school day, we urge all pupils to take advantage of this opportunity. If you wish to withdraw consent for your child to take part in the walk, please email breadalbane@pkc.gov.uk by **Friday 31st May**. Please note, pupils are required to attend school irrespective of whether they take part in the walk.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S Douglas', written over a printed name.

Mr S Douglas
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