

# Scalloway Junior High School



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Dear Parent/Carer,

## Lateness

Please be reminded that the school day **starts at 8.50am**. Too many pupils are arriving late in the morning meaning delays and disruption for the class. Please make every effort to get your child(ren) to school on time. (5 minutes late each day = 25 minutes schooling every week = over 3 days in a year.) Pupils who arrive after the bell should sign in at the office.

## Sickness and Diarrhoea

The advice from Dr. Susan Laidlaw, of the Public Health Department, is that children should be kept off school for 48 hours from last episode of vomiting or diarrhoea. Please consider this advice carefully in the interests of our pupils and staff when sending your child back to school.

## Holiday Dates

The following is a list of forthcoming holiday dates:

Up Helly Aa Holiday	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> February 2012
Long Weekend	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> February & Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> February
Easter Holidays	School closes Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> March (full day at school) and re-opens for pupils on Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> April 2012
Queen's Diamond Jubilee Bank Holiday	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2012

Please keep a note of these dates for future reference.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. Morag Fox,  
Head Teacher.

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