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Dear Parent/Carer

Signs of spring are most definitely appearing and I hope the better weather holds for a nice weekend.

Senior Phase Parent/Carer Evening

Thank you to all who were able to attend these Parent/Carer evenings. I am very pleased that there has been a much greater uptake for Study Club following these.

Study club will not run Tuesday 28 February 2023 or Wednesday 1 March 2023 but will resume the following week.

Parental Contact

Parents/Carers are always welcome at Speyside High School to support their young person. We welcome phone calls at any time and appointments can be made through these.

It would be hugely appreciated if appointments could be made if particular concerns arise. This ensures that you are able to speak to the appropriate member of staff who can deal with your concerns. Unfortunately staff are not always available to meet with you without a pre-arranged appointment.

Feedback on Skills Development Scotland (SDS) career service

SDS works in close partnership with the school to support your young person make informed career choices and would value feedback from parents and carers on their services. You can do this by taking **a short survey**.

All responses are confidential and anonymous, and the results will be used to inform SDS services.

The survey will be live until Wednesday 31 May 2023 and should only take about 10 minutes to complete.

Study Club

Study Club got started last week and is running each Tuesday and Wednesday (excluding the dates above) until the Easter holidays from 3.45pm to 4.45pm with buses leaving at 4.50pm. You can download the information from the school website or by clicking **HERE**.

Driving Theory Course

Moray Council Community Learning & Engagement Team are currently running a 6 week driving theory course, supporting anyone who would like to complete their theory test. They are considering offering a course in Tomintoul in the Summer holidays, thinking of senior pupils taking the Tomintoul bus for example. Should this be something your young person is interested in please contact Joanne Addison at **joanne.addison@moray.gov.uk**

Yours faithfully

Mrs P Goodbrand
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