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Dear Parent/Carer

### **S6 Students – Study Leave Arrangements for Friday, 28 April 2017**

We build a very positive relationship with our sixth year students and, as the year progresses, the group as a whole make a significant and valued contribution to Inverurie Academy. As you will be aware, the SQA Study Leave for our S6 pupils begins at the end of the school day on Friday, 28 April 2017. Over the recent past, S6 students have expressed a desire to mark their 'last school day' differently. In light of this, we have worked with the current S6 School Captains to give the students an opportunity to organise an 'alternative' activity on Friday, 28 April 2017.

The plan for Friday, 28 April 2017 is:-

- P1 & 2 – Review of Senior School Activity
- P3 – Photos and Leaver's Document Signing
- P4 – Pizza Lunch
- Lunchtime – set up for afternoon activities
- P5 & 6 – Outdoor Activities with RM Leisure (eg Bungee Run, Gladiators, Sumo Suits)

S6 pupils have already agreed to pay towards their pizzas. School Captains will organise this and collect payment on the day. S6 students do not need to wear their school dress code on Friday, 28 April 2017. S6 students who do not wish to participate in this 'alternative' day are granted an additional Study Leave day on Friday, 28 April 2017.

***Pupils must continue to behave in accordance with school policy on the day. Any pupil involved in behaviours which disrupt learning and teaching, and the good spirit of the day, will compromise the right to sit their SQA examinations at Inverurie Academy.***

I would be grateful if you would discuss the contents of this letter with your child to ensure that their final school day at Inverurie Academy is a positive one. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all your help in supporting your child's education at Inverurie Academy. I am sure this hard work will produce excellent SQA results in August.

Yours faithfully

Mark Jones  
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