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Dear Parent/Guardian

UCAS INFORMATION EVENING

Unfortunately, due to current Covid restrictions, we are unable to host the UCAS Information Evening in its standard format.

On the school website <u>www.glenifferhigh.renfrewshire.sch.uk</u> you will find a section on UCAS where all of the Parent Support materials can be found to allow you to make yourself familiar with the university application process. There is also a presentation from SAAS, the body that provides funding for students to attend university in Scotland.

The S6 pupils have access to support via the S6 EDMODO group and by contacting their Pastoral Support teacher for one to one advice. There are UCAS workshops scheduled for the week beginning 28th September for any pupil who is having difficulty completing their application.

The Personal Statement, which accompanies the UCAS application, should be submitted to your child's Pastoral Support Teacher no later than 21 October. This will allow time for your child's Pastoral Support Teacher to provide feedback on the statement and changes to be made, so that applications can then be sent to UCAS during the month of November.

For those pupils hoping to study Music at the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland, Medicine, Dentistry or Veterinary Science, the closing date for their application is 15 October. If this applies to your child then they should have already made contact with their Pastoral Support Teacher and have submitted their Personal Statement for feedback.

The UCAS website has a parent zone with lots of useful information which can be found at www.ucas.com/parents

Your support during this time is much appreciated. If you have any questions regarding the UCAS application process, please contact Miss Lyndsay Cameron, PT Pastoral, via e-mail: gw09cameronlyndsay@glow.sch.uk

Yours sincerely,

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