



## Joseph Leckie Academy

KW/GR  
October 19<sup>th</sup> 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

### **RE: HALF TERM HOLIDAY**

I am writing to remind you that the Academy will close at the normal time on Friday, October 26<sup>th</sup> for the start of the half term holiday and will re-open at the usual time on Monday, November 5<sup>th</sup> 2018.

In anticipation that the weather will become colder and wetter, would you please ensure that your child has a plain, dark coloured, waterproof coat to wear? May I remind you that hoodies, track suits and sports tops do not protect your child against the rain and winter weather conditions and are not permitted? In addition, leather, denim and fashion jackets are not allowed. Anyone who wears these items to school will have them confiscated.

Thank you to the very many parents who ensure that their children are always in full Academy uniform every day and are very smartly dressed.

I would also like to remind you that when dropping off or picking up your child(ren) at either the beginning or end of the day, to be aware of the parking restrictions near to the Academy and to be mindful of local residents' driveways and pathways.

We have recently seen a number of parents who illegally park their cars in restricted areas near to the zebra crossing and in doing so hamper the view of other road users and pedestrians. I am concerned for the safety of our students and would ask all drivers to take extra care and park appropriately.

I hope that you will all have an enjoyable week and that the weather is fine.  
Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Keith Whittlestone  
Principal

(This letter is also available online at <http://www.josephleckieacademy.co.uk/letters.html> )

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