

March 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Woods Primary School is availing of Highland Bagpipe Tuition that will be delivered by Miss. Margaret Hill. The tuition is delivered, and this is a unique opportunity for your child to learn the Highland Bagpipes at school, which can lead on to many cultural and musical opportunities. By taking part in the program not only will pupils increase musical skills but also confidence and resilience by taking part in school and public performances.

Bagpipe tuition will take place throughout the full school year and is open to pupils from primary 5 and above. Each pupil will receive 30 minutes of tuition every week and will see pupils begin on a practice chanter and progress onto the Full Highland Bagpipes.

Due to practical, hygienic and Covid prevention purposes, each pupil must be issued with their own Practice Chanter, which unfortunately, is not funded. Practice chanters are made available to pupil for these lessons at a reduced cost of **£27.00** after which the Practice chanter will then **remain the property of the pupil. Each lesson will be free as the ulster scot agency has provided funds.**

Please indicate below if your child is interested in taking part in the Program and return the slip below to the school office by **Tuesday 19th March**. There are limited spaces, so places will be allocated on a first come first served basis.

To be filled out by Parent/Guardian

I wish to register my child to partake in the Highland Bagpipe Tuition Programme and enclose £27 for a practice chanter.

Name of Pupil: _____ Class: _____

Signed by Parent/Guardian: _____