

Parents and Carers

Date

7 March 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

School closures Monday 8 May 2023 – King’s coronation bank holiday weekend

I am writing to confirm that all schools will be closed on Monday 8 May as part of the celebrations for the King’s coronation.

The ceremony for His Majesty King Charles III will take place on Saturday 6 May and the UK Government has declared a national bank holiday on Monday 8 May.

The Scottish Government announced its support for this additional holiday which will form part of a three-day ‘coronation weekend’ of celebration. The bank holiday date was also approved by the City of Edinburgh Council on Thursday 9 February.

Yours sincerely,



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