Parents Portal

In support of Aberdeenshire Council's ambition to offer more digital services to its residents, we are rolling out a new online service to parents and carers called parentsportal.scot.

Parentsportal.scot is designed to replace the 'schoolbag run', giving parents/carers access to a range of school-related online services. At the heart of the system is a secure account through **mygov.scot** which is referred to as a '**My Account**' or **'MyAberdeenshire'** account. 'MyAberdeenshire' is already used to enable parents/carers to make online payments for school meals or receive notification if a school closes unexpectedly. This will make this a handy one-stop-shop, to access all Aberdeenshire digital services, at a time that is suitable to you.

Initially, this new service will introduce basic information about our school and will allow you to:-

- make a link to your child(ren)
- complete the annual data check process electronically
- update your own as well as your child(ren)'s details at any time
- access online school meal payments (iPayImpact)

As the product develops, we look forward to using more services such as electronic school notices, permission slips and consent forms, to name but a few.

This is an exciting first phase of a new service which enables and creates a digital relationship between parents/carers, pupils and our school.

For further information, guidance and access to **parentsportal.scot**, please click on the link below:-

Aberdeenshire/parentsportal.scot

On signing up to parentsportal.scot, you will be able to link to your child(ren). In order to link to your child(ren), the information you provide during the sign up process **must** match the most up-to-date information that we already hold for your child(ren). It is also worth noting that some of the communications issued via parents portal may end up in junk email boxes so we advise you keep an eye out.

We hope that **parentsportal.scot** and its services will become an integral part of you and your child's school experience.