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To all Parents/Carers

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Dear Parents and Carers

Kinross Respect Matters

Thank you for your ongoing support of your young people as they have settled back into the rigour and routines of school life. It has been wonderful to see such a high standard of uniform from all our pupils, including the new blazers. They are all looking incredibly smart and their attire, along with their approaches to their studies and overall involvement in extra-curricular, has highlighted the clear pride they all have in being pupils of Kinross High School.

You may remember that last session we held a sustained focus on promoting our positive culture of respect at Kinross. This was evidenced by our recent Silver accreditation from Rights Respecting Schools Award.

To build upon this strong work, we are launching our new Kinross Respect Matters policy. This framework will support our young people and staff with the clear standards and expectations we have for everyone within our school community and promotes a shared understanding of how we can all show respect. The pupil charter outlines what we require from all pupils to ensure we have a calm, respectful and safe environment for all. This is supported by our staff framework which outlines the expectations for all teaching staff to ensure our classrooms are organised, welcoming and engaging spaces for our young people.

To promote this, over the next five weeks, we will focus on one of the key themes from the Kinross Respect Matters policy during TSG and during assemblies. This includes moments of reflection and discussion, building our understanding of the vital importance of respect for our school community and beyond. We begin next week with a focus on our manners.

Please find attached a copy of our new Kinross Respect Matters Framework both for your information and to support conversations at home.

As always, we value the partnership we have with parents and carers in helping our young people meet these high expectations and flourish as part of our school community. The positive start to the session, reflected in pupils' smart appearance, respectful conduct and commitment to learning is a real credit to them and to the support they receive at home. We look forward to continuing to work together to maintain the high standards and positive culture of respect that are so important to Kinross High School.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jillian Shaw', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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