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Dear Parent / Carer

Project Update: MADDISTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Following the completion of a programme of engineering surveys and investigations over the summer holidays, Education Services, Place Services and other Council colleagues are currently considering the findings and reviewing the options for the next stage of the project.

As you may be aware from previous updates, the work has proven more complex than originally anticipated and it is important that we take the time to fully understand the outcomes of the investigations before progressing further. While this means there is currently limited visible activity on site, significant work is continuing behind the scenes to ensure that future decisions are informed by a comprehensive understanding of the challenges, opportunities and requirements associated with the project.

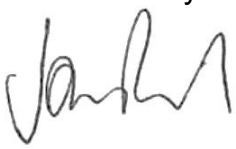
Taking this approach will help ensure that the next phase of the programme is delivered in the right way, with the long-term safety, sustainability and quality of the school environment at the forefront of decision-making. However, based on the information available at this stage, the overall programme still remains aligned to our anticipated timescale, with completion of the works currently expected by August 2028.

Current learning arrangements will remain in place while this work is undertaken.

We understand that families, staff and the wider community are looking for reassurance and clarity regarding the future of the school. We are very grateful for the patience, understanding and continued support shown by the school community as we work through what is a complex and challenging situation.

Education Services remains fully committed to securing the best possible outcome for the children, young people and families of Maddiston. We will provide a further update once this review work has concluded and will continue to keep families, communities and elected members informed as more information becomes available.

Yours sincerely



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