



FRIDAY NEWSLETTER

19/03/21

Dear Parents

We are delighted that P.4 - P.7 pupils will be returning to school on Monday. It will be great to have everyone back.

Our emphasis next week will be on supporting the children to reconnect again and build relationships so that they can engage in learning within the school environment. We understand that they may feel nervous about their return, but we will try our best to help them adjust to life in school.

We would like to thank you all for the support you have shown the school during this period of lockdown and also for your hard work and diligence in ensuring your children continued to learn at home.

Covid-19 Precautions. We will continue to follow EA guidance regarding Covid-19 in order to ensure the safety of all pupils and staff.

Arrival and Departure times

Year 1:	8:45am - 1:45pm	Main entrance
Year 2	9:00am - 2:00pm	Main entrance
Year 3	8:50 am - 1:50pm	Playground
Year 4	9:00 am - 3:00pm	Playground
Year 5	8:50am - 2:50pm	Playground
Year 6	9:00am - 3:00pm	Playground
Year 7CE	8:55am - 2:55pm	Playground
Year 7B	8:55am - 2:55pm	Front door
Nursery	9:00am - 1:20pm	Nursery entrance

- Each class should only arrive at their allocated time;
- All adults should wear a face covering when waiting outside school;
- All adults should maintain the required PHYSICAL distance of 2m.

In order to reduce numbers you may leave when you see that your child is in their class line with a teacher.

The following measures have been put in place in school:
- Pupils will remain within their class bubbles at all times

- The playground will be divided into zones
- Break and lunch times will be staggered
- Hand washing and hand sanitising routines will be re-established.

Please do not send children to school if they are showing any signs of symptoms of Covid-19.

Breakfast Club



We are unable to run our Breakfast club due to current EA regulations.

School Dinners

School dinner will be available for everyone from Monday 22nd March. Only 4 days dinner money required as pupils finish school on THURSDAY.
(Dinners are available on Thursday).

Fruit Break

After Easter we will provide a healthy fruit break for all pupils. This will cost £2 per week.



Our school is now using the online maths learning programme 'Mathseeds' in P1-3. Thank you to all those who have paid the subscription of £5. You will receive your child's log in details shortly. **Please send in any outstanding money as soon as possible.**

Easter Activities



Wednesday 24th March will be an Easter Fun Day for the pupils within their class bubbles. This will be a **non-uniform** day. An Easter Egg hunt will take place in the playground and lots of other Easter activities! Please send £1.

PTF Easter Basket

£1 per ticket



Easter Holidays

School will close for pupils on Thursday 25th March at the following times:

P.1 and P.3 12:15pm
P.2 and P.4 12:20pm
P.5, P.6 and P.7 12:30pm

Friday 26th March is a staff training day.
School reopens after Easter on 12th April.

Should you wish to speak to me about any of the above or any other matter please contact Mrs Bishop who will be very happy to arrange a phonecall or email
apoots468@c2kni.net **A.Poots (Principal)**