

5. Nuachtlitir

17/11/2021

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Enrolment for next school year

Our annual admission notice is available on our website www.sbrathcormac.ie . Online applications for admission are currently open until Wednesday 1st December 2021. Please inform neighbours / friends with school age children to check the website for details of the admission process.

Living with Covid

Covid is still very active in the community. Parents need to be very vigilant for symptoms. We appeal to parents not to send children to school if they are unwell for any reason. As announced yesterday, household close contacts, even those who are fully vaccinated and showing no symptoms, should now restrict their movements until they have 3 negative antigen test results within 5 days.

<https://www.gov.ie/en/publication/3361b-public-health-updates/?referrer=http://www.gov.ie/en/press-release/7894b-post-cabinet-statement-resilience-and-recovery-the-path-ahead/>

Parent-Teacher Meetings

Our annual Parent-Teacher meetings for Rang I to Rang VI will take place via phone on Tuesday November 30th from 2 p.m. - 5.30 p.m. and Thursday December 2nd from 3 p.m. - 5.30 p.m.

To facilitate the meetings on Tuesday, November 30th, hometime will be as follows:

1.15 p.m. Junior Infants and their siblings

1.20 p.m. Senior Infants and their siblings

1.25 p.m. Bus children

1.30 p.m. All other pupils

Hometime will be as normal on Thursday, December 2nd.

You will be able to book your preferred meeting time on the Aladdin app from tomorrow Thursday. You will receive a notification once bookings are open. The time allocated for each meeting is 10 minutes.

Parent-Teacher meetings for Infants will be held in January. If you have any concerns / questions you can contact class teachers by email or phone Anke in the office to request a phone call from the class teacher.

Science Week

Last week was Science Week and the pupils enjoyed the various Science activities completed in class. Well done to all who completed projects and experiments at home also. Parental support for these special teaching and learning opportunities is very much appreciated. “Ní neart go cur le chéile”

Road Safety

This week all classes had a workshop on Road Safety. Our thanks to Paul Stafford from The Road Safety Authority who provided these workshops.

Coats

As the weather is expected to change next week, please make sure that your child brings a coat and cap to school every day for yard time.

Reminder: Lunchbag

The Lunchbag Service will be launched next Wednesday, November 24th.

Heritage Council

A guest speaker from the Heritage Council will do a series of workshops on native Irish birds of prey and native Irish trees for Junior Infants to Rang IV next week.

Mairéad Uí Íomhair