

St. Louis Infant School

February 2020

Principal and Designated Liaison Person for Child Protection - Carmel McCarroll

Deputy Liaison Person for Child Protection - Clare McPhillips



February - Feabhra

Thanks to the Creative Club for the above display in the front entrance.

During this month the children will work on topics such as; Love, Valentine's Day, People who help us, Spring, and many more at various levels. You can help by talking to your child about seasonal changes.

Enrolment took place in January. It was very successful. Thank you for promoting our school. Please let your friends and families know that if their child is currently completing their 2nd year of preschool they are eligible to start school in September. Parents need to bring along a birth certificate and PPS number.

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LA GLAS

The children can wear Green Clothes on 13th March

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MID-TERM

School is closed on 20th and 21st February

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ST. PATRICK'S DAY

School is closed on 16th and 17th March

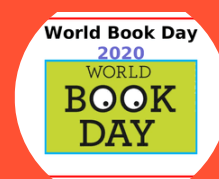


Happy Valentine's Day



**Easter Holidays
6th - 17th April
Inclusive.**

World Book Day



**The children can
dress up on 6th
March**



Attendance
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Tá gach lá scoile tábhachtach

Board of Management

A Board of Management meeting took place in January. The Board carried out an Annual Review of our Child Protection and Anti-Bullying procedures. The Data Protection Policy was ratified. An agreed report is located on the BoM noticeboard in the main entrance.

Parents' Association

All PE equipment has arrived. We thank Ms Fitzpatrick for her work ordering and storing all the equipment. We hope the children enjoy using it. Many thanks to all parents for their efforts to secure funding for all this equipment. This year's funds will purchase iPads.

World Book Day

To celebrate our love of books we will host book related activities. On Wednesday 4th and Thursday 5th March, the children will visit Easons. The boys from St. Mary's will read with us on Friday 6th March the children can dress up as their favourite book character on Friday also. Thanks to Ms Burns for organising these events.

Teacher Artist Partnership

Mary Farrelly a Choreographer will work with the Junior and Senior Infants this term

Morning Drop Off

We appreciate your instant response to dropping your child into the school entrance.

Nurse Irene

Nurse Irene will test the Junior Infants sight and hearing on 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th of March.

Food Dudes

Food Dudes returns on 30th March - 3rd April. The children will receive a piece of fruit and/or vegetable every day during that week. More details to follow closer to the time.

Seachtain na Gaeilge

As part of Seachtain na Gaeilge the children can wear green for Lá Glas on 13ú Márta.

Mighty Mouth

The Mighty Mouth Programme begins in Senior Infants in March. The children will receive information on teeth care.

School Self Evaluation (SSE)

This year the staff will focus on familiarising and implementing the new Primary Language Curriculum in both English and Irish. We are working through the 31 Learning Outcomes in both languages. Sustained support is offered to the teachers over the next 3 years.

This means that the school will close for training in the spring / summer term. A date will be circulated once agreed by the three schools.

Communication

If you changed your mobile or address please forward new information to the school.

Other Information

- The children need a warm coat and hat every day.
- Please wear PE uniforms on PE days.
- Office email; office@stlouisinfants.ie / 047-82913



