

SAFETY NOTICES:

SUPERVISION
STARTS AT
8:20AM

KEEP BUS BAY
CLEAR FOR BUSES

DRIVERS MUST
WATCH OUT FOR
CHILDREN WALK-
ING & CYCLING

NO PARENTS ON
SITE DURING
YARD BREAKS

ARRIVE NO
EARLIER THAN
1PM FOR 1:20PM
PICK-UP.

KEEP GARDEN
AREA CLEAR FOR
CLASSES

PARENTS ARE
NOT PERMITTED
TO PARK IN THE
STAFF CAR PARK

WE ARE A NUT-
FREE SCHOOL

ANY SAFETY OR
WELFARE
CONCERNS
CONTACT:

SHEELAGH MURPHY
(PRINCIPAL & DLP)

STEPHEN TERRY
(DEPUTY
PRINCIPAL & DDLP)



Advent Season

This week we are marking the first week of Advent and the lighting of the first purple candle—the candle of hope.



Confirmation Mass

Students preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation are asked to attend mass this Saturday night at 6:15pm in St. Michael's Church.



Christmas Plays & Carols

All classes are very busy practising for their Christmas performances. Please see the schedule attached. There is a slight change to the original timetable—Jun Infants B (Ms. Van Rijswijk's Class) will have their play on **Monday 15th December at 9:30am.** We are looking forward to welcoming everyone into the school for the plays.



Christmas Hampers

Reminder—we are putting together class hampers across the school for the St Vincent de Paul. Every student is asked to bring in a donation of one non-perishable food item before next Wednesday, the 10th December.



Parent Survey

The Primary School Survey continues to remain open for parents, school staff and Boards of Management to have their say. If you've yet to complete this quick survey, please do so before the deadline (16th December). Here is the link: — <https://www.gov.ie/en/department-of-education/campaigns/primary-school-survey/>

Our school patron has issued a short video about the survey: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2SCf2QqI4lo>



Road Safety

Following the recent RSA Road Safety Talks, please see attached the Going to School Guide.



Xmas Jumper Sale

We will have an Xmas Jumper Sale again this year, on **Thursday 11th December!** We are looking for donations of any old or outgrown Xmas Jumpers for the sale. Boys will then have the chance to buy a donated jumper for €2. Please bring in any donations by next **Wednesday 10/12/25.** Proceeds from the sale will be donated to the wonderful Irish charity Uisce for Gaza <https://www.idonate.ie/crowdfunder/UisceForGaza>



Christmas Jumper Week!

The boys are welcome to wear Christmas jumpers for the last week of term if they wish, from Monday 15th—Friday 19th December.



Badminton

Badminton has finished for now and will resume in January for 5th & 6th Class