

St. Catherine's Nursery School

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Monthly Note: Monday 6th February 2023

Check us out on our website: www.stcatherinesps.co.uk

School Money App is LIVE!!

This means that you will now have the facility to make payments for school expenses, such as trips, online with your debit or credit card. Initially, as this is a pilot at present, it has been set up to facilitate payments for **SCHOOL DINNERS and MILK MONEY only**. All being well, we will increase the facility to include payments for all events that occur in school.

You won't need to sign up to this system as this is done automatically through the school and as long as you have provided us with up to date contact details we will send you a password within the next few days. This password will give you access to your **SchoolMoney** account where you can pay for any items we have requested from you.

To log into **SchoolMoney**, visit the website www.eduspot.co.uk and click on the sign in button in the top right hand corner. In the drop down, select the **SchoolMoney Parent Login** option and this will send you through to a page where you need to enter your mobile number, email address, the password we have sent to you, and your child's first name.

If for any reason you are struggling to log in, it may be because you have not provided us with the correct contact details. Please let us know immediately if either your mobile number or email address changes. If you feel you would like more support with this feel free to contact any of the clerical staff on either the Junior or Senior School Site and they will be only too happy to help you get registered!

We appreciate your cooperation in the early stages of rolling this system out to you.



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Prayer of the Month
February : Family Prayer

Lord, we thank you for
our family
For the talents and good
things that you have given
each of us
Please guide us, protect us
and equip us
This day and every day
As we grow together in
Your love

Amen.

**PATHS Programme in
St. Catherine's**

(Promoting Alternative Thinking
Strategies)

PATHS Quote of the Month February

Remember to compliment yourself,
you are awesome. By being
yourself you put something
beautiful and unique into the
world.

Think of all your lovely qualities
and give yourself a compliment
today.

Family Prayer



Compliment Yourself!



Attention Year 7 Parents:

Year 7 Post Primary Applications

If you are the parent of a pupil in Year 7, you will be required to make an application for their new Post Primary School using an ONLINE system this year (just like the one that the parents of Nursery and Year 1 Pupils use). The Online Portal will open for applications on Tuesday 1st February 2022 at 12 Noon until Wednesday 23rd February. Further information on the process will be available from the EA Website in due course.

As we get more information in school we will share this with you.

If your child has a statement of Special Educational Needs you will go to school in the usual way to complete a Transfer Review and you do not have to apply online.

If any parent would like to meet with Principal / Year 7 Staff ahead of the Online admissions process please email Principal Mrs B Wilders at bwilders592@c2kni.net and an appointment can be arranged.



PATHS COMPLIMENTS

**For Valentine's day
this year we want
you to show kindness
and love to yourself
by designing a heart
that is full of all your
lovely qualities,
talents and positive
attributes.**



Traffic

We are aware of the ongoing Traffic Concerns and congestion that can occur at our two sites during drop off and collection times. We are actively liaising with agencies to undertake a traffic management review and to try to improve the issue. We appreciate your patience and support while this matter is ongoing. To that end, keeping the flow of traffic in Newtownkenedy Street and Barrack Street is crucial. We respectfully request that parents do not park on double yellow lines or double park in the road to cause congestion so that traffic flow can be sustained. We are fortunate to have School Crossing Patrol People at both sites who are actively doing their best to keep our little children safe however double parking can cause vision obstructions for our children who need to cross the road. We thank you once again for your patience, support, understanding and tolerance.



Family Club

(For pupils in Year 1 or 2 who have older siblings at our school)

Gentle Reminder:

Fee for Family Club is £2 per week to be made payable on the MONDAY of the week. Please send £2 in with your child in an envelope with their name and FAMILY CLUB clearly marked on it so that this can be passed to our Family Club Team. This very small fee is to cover costs of snacks in the club. School subsidizes the cost of staffing so that minimal expense is incurred to our parents.



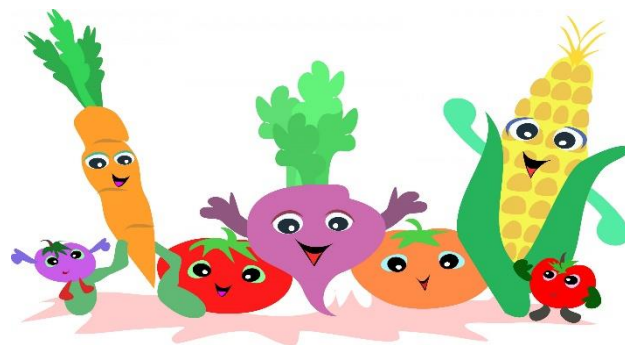
Promoting the importance and benefits of eating vegetables in our diet.

Our school canteens will be promoting and encouraging our children to TRY vegetables as part of a healthy diet. We will be taking part in a programme called EAT THEM TO DEFEAT THEM. Canteen staff will have little fun activities for our little children to take part in. More details to follow. Below is a link to a short video promoting eating vegetables.

Please click on the link below



<https://vegpower.org.uk/eat-them-to-defeat-them/>



School Closure for Mid Term Break

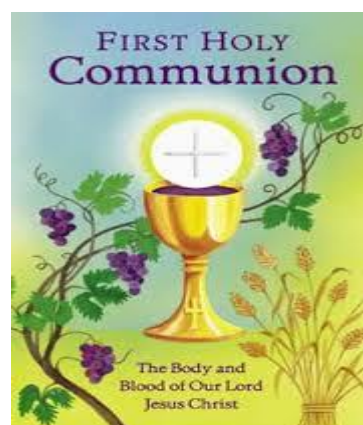
Gentle reminder: School will be closed from Monday 13th February to Friday 17th February inclusive for the Spring Mid Term Break. School will reopen as usual on Monday 20th February. Have a great Spring Break everyone.



Year 4 Online Holy Communion Preparation

In addition to the Do This in Memory Programme Year 4 pupils will have the opportunity to partake in ONLINE Holy Communion Preparation sessions with Derry Diocesan Team. These will take place during school time in school on Monday 27th and Tuesday 28th February.

Year 7 have engaged in these for their sacrament preparation and have found them very beneficial and enjoyable indeed. Now for Year 4 Pupils' turn!!



St Patricks Day

Gentle reminder: School will be closed on Friday 17th March for St. Patrick's Day. Happy St. Patrick's Day to everyone!



Year 7 Robotics

Our Year 7 Lego Robotics (STEM) Programme will begin on Thursday 23rd February and Friday 24th February. We are so excited to launch this very exciting programme for Year 7 in our school. Watch out for updates!!



Confirmation Dates

Fr Boland will celebrate Confirmation with our Year 7 Pupils this year. Dates are as follows:

Year 7 A (Mrs Deery's Class) : Saturday 11th March at 11am

Year 7 C (Miss Kerr's Class) : Saturday 11th March at 2pm

Year 7 B (Miss Keyes' Class) : Saturday 25th March at 11am

More details will follow closer to the time.



First Holy Communion Dates

Fr Boland will celebrate First Holy Communion with our Year 4 Pupils this year. Dates are as follows:

Year 4 A (Ms Carlin's Class) : Saturday 22nd April at 11am

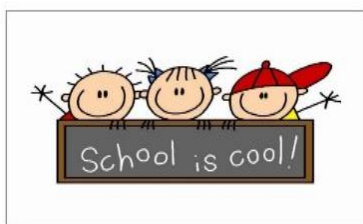
Year 4 B (Mrs Connolly's Class) : Saturday 22nd April at 2pm

More details will follow closer to the time.



Encouraging School Attendance!

We are delighted that we have no further challenges to our little children attending face to face teaching and learning in school like we suffered during Covid. To this end, we ask for parents support by encouraging school attendance every day. We understand that from time to time a child may be ill and if this happens please email the teacher or ring the school so that the correct absence code can be recorded for your child to explain the absence. Our school policy aims for at least 90% school attendance for every child. Help us to achieve this. To this end we will be giving out termly BREAKFAST CLUB VOUCHERS for any child who achieves 90% and more attendance. (Previously we gave for 100% but in order to support and encourage our children trying so hard we will give these vouchers now for any child who achieves between 90-100%). Thank you for your continued support!



Autism Award for Nursery!

Delighted to share that our Nursery Staff and pupils have achieved the

AUTISM NI IMPACT AWARD. This is in recognition of the commitment of our staff and pupils to understanding about Autism and how to support Autistic Pupils and Staff alike. We pride ourselves on being an inclusive school family with a confident staff team who provide an excellent educational service. Our award will be presented at a ceremony shortly....watch this space! Congratulations to all in Nursery ...fabulous achievement!





SUPERHERO WEEK

6TH - 10TH FEBRUARY 2023

Get your school's superheroes to assemble for Autism NI's **SUPERHERO WEEK** and help raise autism awareness in your school and at home!

Wow!

FUN

BAM!

POW!

BOOM!

cool!

- Each pupil will be given five superhero tasks to do at home.
- Once all pupils complete their superhero tasks, they will receive their Superhero Status from Autism NI and hold a dress up day.



Superhero Week: 6th – 10th February 2023

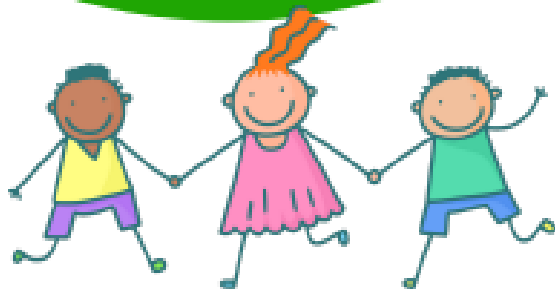
Help us join primary schools across Northern Ireland and get our school's Superheroes to assemble for Autism NI's Superhero Week running from 6th – 10th February 2023, to help raise awareness of Autism in school and at home and earn points for your House!

To take part, each pupil will be given five Superhero Tasks to do at home. Then, on day five, our school will hold a Superhero Dress-Up Day with each pupil coming to school dressed as their favourite Superhero! They will bring in £1.00 to donate to Autism NI.

They will earn 10 points for their TEAM Houses for each completed task!!

They can earn up to 50 House points by Friday!!!

Autism Social Café



Date: Friday 24 February 2023

Time: 10 am - 12 Noon

Venue: Melvin Sports Complex, Melvin Rd, Strabane BT82 9PP

We are inviting parents and carers of children of all ages, who have:

- an autism diagnosis
- are awaiting an assessment
- are displaying early indicators (Suggesting their child may be Neurodiverse)

To attend our next Autism Social Café with local support groups, information stalls and short informal workshops.

Booking is welcome but not essential!

**For further information contact or to book your place contact
Lisa.storey@westerntrust.hscni.net**

Community Support Notice

If your family or any family that you know needs any emergency help now in the New Year

Help can be sought by contacting the Society of St. Vincent De Paul.

The helpline number is 02871 384488.

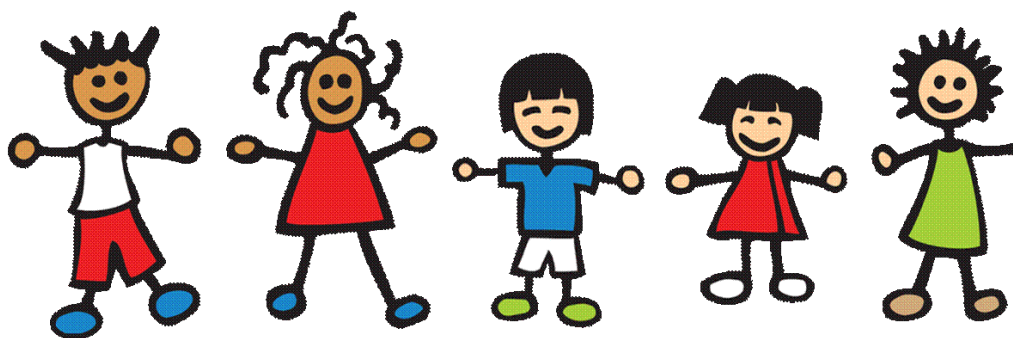
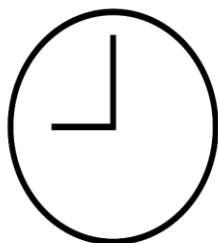
When the helpline number is rung; please leave the name, address and telephone number in a message seeking help and the type of assistance needed. (For example food vouchers, oil vouchers etc).



School Start Times and Collection Times

Year Group	Drop off / Collection Point	Start Time	Finish Time
Nursery Room 1	Nursery Room 1 External Door	9am-9.30am	1.30pm- 1.40pm
Nursery Room 2	Nursery Room 2 External Door	9am-9.30am	1.30pm- 1.40pm
Year 1A (Mrs Doherty)	Pupil Front door facing school gate	8.50am-9am	2.10pm
Year 1B (Miss Hutton)	Back Door opposite the Play Trail	8.50am-9am	2.10pm
Year 2 A (Mrs Mc Glynn)	Back Door opposite the Play Trail	8.50am-9am	2.15pm
Year 2 B (Ms Y Mc Gowan)	Pupil Front door facing school gate nearest to Mrs Doherty's classroom in Junior School Site	8.50am-9am	2.15pm
Learning Centre (Mrs Hamilton)	Middle Floor Door near mobile classroom at the back of the Junior School	8.50am-9am	2.10pm (Year 1) 2.15pm (Year 2) 3pm (Year 3 Pupils except Feel Good Friday)
Year 3 A (Mrs M Mc Brien/ Miss E Mc Kane)	Pedestrian Gate to the right of the Main Gate at the Junior School Site	8.50am-9am	Mon – Thursday 3.00pm (2.30pm On Feel Good Friday)
Year 3 B (Mrs S Vaughan)	Pedestrian Gate to the right of the Main Gate at the Junior School Site	8.50am-9am	Mon – Thursday 3.00pm (2.30pm On Feel Good Friday)
Year 4 A (Ms K Carlin)	Pedestrian Gate to the right of the Main Gate at the Junior School Site	8.50am-9am	Mon – Thursday 3.00pm (2.30pm On Feel Good Friday)
Year 4 B (Mrs Connolly)	Pedestrian Gate to the right of the Main Gate at the Junior School Site	8.50am-9am	Mon – Thursday 3.00pm (2.30pm On Feel Good Friday)
Year 5 A (Mrs C Gormley)	Enter Gate at the right hand side of the Senior School and line up at Year 5A Meeting Point where teacher will collect the class	8.50am-9am	Mon – Thursday 3.00pm (2.30pm On Feel Good Friday)
Year 5 B (Miss B Kelly)	Enter Gate at the right hand side of the Senior School and line up at Year 5B	8.50am-9am	Mon – Thursday 3.00pm (2.30pm On Feel Good Friday)

	Meeting Point where teacher will collect the class		
Year 6 A (Mrs S.O'Kane)	Enter Gate at the right hand side of the Senior School and line up at Year 6A Meeting Point where teacher will collect the class	8.50am-9am	Mon – Thursday 3.00pm (2.30pm On Feel Good Friday)
Year 6 B (Mrs B Daly)	Enter Gate at the right hand side of the Senior School and line up at Year 6B Meeting Point where teacher will collect the class	8.50am-9am	Mon – Thursday 3.00pm (2.30pm On Feel Good Friday)
Year 7 A (Mrs C Deery)	Enter Double Gate at front of Senior School site nearest to the Main Front Door and line up at Year 7A Meeting Point where teacher will collect the class	8.50am-9am	Mon – Thursday 3.00pm (2.30pm On Feel Good Friday)
Year 7 B (Miss E Keyes)	Enter Double Gate at front of Senior School site nearest to the Main Front Door and line up at Year 7B Meeting Point where teacher will collect the class	8.50am-9am	Mon – Thursday 3.00pm (2.30pm On Feel Good Friday)
Year 7 C (Mrs C Gillespie/ Miss A Kerr)	Enter Double Gate at front of Senior School site nearest to the Main Front Door and line up at Year 7C Meeting Point where teacher will collect the class	8.50am-9am	Mon – Thursday 3.00pm (2.30pm On Feel Good Friday)



Staff roles and Email addresses.

Staff Member	Class / Role	Email Address
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Ms Y Mc Gowan	Year 2 B	ymcgowan609@c2kni.net
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Mrs S Vaughan	Year 3 B	svaughan325@c2kni.net
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Mrs C. Connolly	Year 4 B	cconnolly309@c2kni.net
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Mrs B Daly	Year 6 B	bdaly611@c2kni.net
Mrs C. Deery	Year 7 A	cdeery318@c2kni.net
Miss E. Keyes	Year 7 B	ekeyes746@c2kni.net
Mrs C Gillespie/ Miss A Kerr	Year 7 C	akerr341@c2kni.net
Mrs. C. Hamilton	Learning Centre	chamilton290@c2kni.net



Do this in Memory First Holy Communion Programme 2022 2023 for Year 4 Pupils and their families.

Fr Boland warmly invites you all.....

DATES AND TIMES OF THE MASSES OF DO THIS IN MEMORY 2022 2023

*Enrolment Sunday
Sunday, 23 October at 10am*

Saturday, 26 November 2022 at 6.30pm

Sunday, 8 January 2023 at 12 Noon

Sunday, 29 January 2023 at 10am

Saturday , 25 February 2023 at 6.30pm

Sunday, 2 April 2023 at 12 Noon

*Saturday, 22 April at 11am (Year 4 A) & 2pm (Year 4 B)
First Holy Communion*

*Sunday, 21 May 2022
Feast of Ascension*

*Procession from Grotto to Church of the Immaculate Conception for 12 Noon Mass in Holy
Communion Outfits*



Confirmation Preparation Masses 2022 2023 for our Year 7 Pupils and their families.

Preparing children for the sacrament of Confirmation is a shared responsibility and we feel that it is vitally important that you are invited to become involved from the very beginning. Confirmation marks a time for children when they are preparing to move from one stage of their lives to the next. You as parents will have many fears and concerns about how your children will cope in the coming years with the choices they will have to make. Through your involvement in your child's Confirmation, you are being offered the chance to discuss with them their values, attitudes and beliefs. We want to reassure you of the important role you play in developing your child's faith.

Here are some practical ways to get involved:

- Bring your child to Mass on a Saturday evening/Sunday morning with the rest of your family.
- Help your child to learn the prayers which are being taught in school and discuss the Confirmation work they are doing in class.
- As a family light a candle and say a prayer each day with your child in preparation for Confirmation.
- Read together the story of Pentecost and talk about how the Apostles felt before and after receiving the Holy Spirit.
- Talk about your child's Baptism and Holy Communion – when and where they took place, who was there etc.
- Attend Masses and any special liturgies which are organised in connection with Confirmation.
- Help your child choose a suitable Confirmation name. If he or she chooses the name of a saint or family member, talk about the person whose name they have taken.

Confirmation Liturgy Team



Enkindling the Spirit
Saturday 10 December 2022
6.30pm Mass

Moved by the Spirit
Sunday 15 January 2022
10.00am Mass

Called by Name
Sunday 5 February 2022
12.00 noon Mass

Confirmation Retreat
Wednesday 1 March 2022
9.30am – 12.00 noon

Confirmation Practice
Thursday 9 March 2022
(For Year 7 A and C Families)
7.00pm in Church

Thursday 23 March 2022
(For Year 7 B Families)
7.00pm in Church

Confirmation
Saturday 11 March 2022
(For Year 7 A @11am and Year 7 C @2pm)

Saturday 25 March 2022
(For Year 7 B @11am)



Site Leadership Rota

Junior School : Monday, Wednesday, Friday – Mrs Wilders

Tuesday, Thursday - Miss J Doherty

Senior School: Monday, Wednesday, Friday – Miss J Doherty

Tuesday, Thursday – Mrs Wilders

In the event that the Principal or Vice Principal are not available Senior Leaders or any of the Middle Leadership Team will become available for consultation.

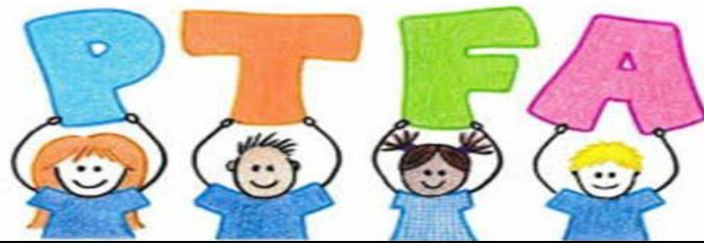


Staff Parking

There is a Car Park on each site for STAFF. Staff arrive at school from 8.20am approx. every morning right up to 9am. To this end, we respectfully request that the entrances to the STAFF Car Parks on each site are always kept clear so that staff can gain access to each site and get ready to start the day with our wee children!!

Parents/carers/ child minders/ taxi drivers etc may NOT enter the school car park for Health and Safety Reasons unless this has been prearranged with school management for a specific reason.





February 2023 Updates :



NEXT MEETING: Thursday 2nd March @6.30pm JS

If anyone would like to join our P.T.F.A. to give a little time to helping raise much needed funds for our little children in school, you are more than welcome....always happy to have more in the team!

Sincerely Yours in Community Spirit,

St. Catherine's Primary and Nursery School P.T.F.A.

Surestart Message of the Month

February 2023

Crawlers to walkers babblers
to talkers... talking is as important as
walking



Sing a rhyme anytime
Start your child learning
for a lifetime!

Promoting Internet Safety Awareness with Your Child

Although we appreciate that the Internet is a wonderful technological invention and a source of great knowledge for us all, we also appreciate that for our young people, internet and the world of social media can be a more dangerous place unless children are very aware of what is appropriate behaviour and what is safe for them. To support our parents we have included a Safety Help Poster for parents so that you, with us, can educate our little children better regarding safety on the internet and social media. Thank you for your continued support.

NOS National Online Safety

7 questions to help you start a conversation with your child about online safety

#WakeUpWednesday

1 Which apps/games are you using at the moment?

THIS WILL GIVE YOU A GOOD OVERVIEW OF THE TYPES OF THINGS YOUR CHILDREN ARE DOING ON THEIR DEVICES, ALONG WITH THEIR INTERESTS. REMEMBER THAT THEY MIGHT NOT TELL YOU EVERYTHING THEY ARE USING, SO IT IS A GOOD IDEA TO ASK THEM TO SHOW YOU THEIR DEVICE, BECAUSE NEW APPS AND GAMES ARE RELEASED REGULARLY, IT IS IMPORTANT TO HAVE THIS CONVERSATION OFTEN TO ENSURE YOU ARE UP TO DATE WITH WHAT THEY ARE DOING.

2 Which websites do you enjoy using and why?

AS IN THE TIP ABOVE, ASKING THIS QUESTION WILL ALLOW YOU TO FIND OUT WHAT YOUR CHILD IS DOING ONLINE, AND ENCOURAGE POSITIVE CONVERSATIONS ABOUT THEIR ONLINE ACTIVITY. ASK THEM HOW THEY USE THE WEBSITES, AND TAKE AN INTEREST IN HOW THEY CAN USE THEM IN A POSITIVE WAY, ALSO ASKING THEM TO SHOW YOU IF POSSIBLE.

3 How does this game/app work? Can I play?

PLAY AGAIN? YES NO

SHOW A GENUINE INTEREST IN WHAT THEY ARE DOING, WHILST YOU ARE PLAYING A GAME OR USING AN APP WITH THEM, IT MIGHT HIGHLIGHT SOMETHING THAT THEY DON'T NECESSARILY THINK IS A DANGER TO THEM, IF THEY ACT LIKE THEY DON'T WANT TO SHARE THEIR ACTIVITIES WITH YOU, QUESTION WHY.

4 Do you have any online friends?

CHILDREN CAN FORM POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS WITH PEOPLE ONLINE, AND THIS HAS BECOME MORE COMMON THANKS TO ONLINE MULTI-PLAYER OPTIONS, BUT THEY MAY NOT FULLY UNDERSTAND THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A FRIEND AND A STRANGER, YOU COULD MAKE THE QUESTION MORE SPECIFIC TO YOUR CHILD, FOR EXAMPLE: "HAVE YOU MET ANYONE ONLINE THAT YOU LIKE TO PLAY GAMES WITH?" THEY MAY NOT WANT TO SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH YOU, SO ENSURE YOU TEACH THEM ABOUT HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS.

5 Do you know where to go for help?

ALTHOUGH YOU MAY BE THE ADULT THEY TRUST THE MOST, SOME CHILDREN STRUGGLE TO TALK ABOUT WHAT HAPPENS ONLINE DUE TO CONFUSION OR EMBARRASSMENT, BECAUSE OF THIS THEY MAY STRUGGLE TO APPROACH THE NORMAL PEOPLE WHO WOULD HELP, SUCH AS YOURSELF OR A TEACHER, HAVE A CHAT TO YOUR CHILD ABOUT EXACTLY WHERE THEY CAN GO FOR HELP, AND HOW THEY CAN REPORT ANY ACTIVITY THAT THEY BELIEVE IS INAPPROPRIATE ONLINE.

6 Do you know what your personal information is?

YOUR CHILD MAY ALREADY KNOW WHAT THEIR PERSONAL INFORMATION IS BUT THEY MIGHT NOT THINK ABOUT HOW IT CAN BE SHARED, HAVE A CONVERSATION ABOUT WHAT PERSONAL INFORMATION IS AND HOW THIS CAN AFFECT THEM IF IT IS SHARED BEYOND THE INTENDED RECIPIENT, IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOUR CHILD UNDERSTANDS THE DANGERS OF SHARING CONTACT DETAILS OR PHOTOS, AS INFORMATION SUCH AS THIS CAN SPREAD QUICKLY ONLINE.

7 Do you know your limits?

CHILDREN MAY NOT UNDERSTAND THE NEGATIVE IMPACTS OF DEVICE OR GAME ADDICTION, TALK TO THEM OPENLY ABOUT HEALTHY HABITS AND ASK WHETHER OR NOT THEM SPENDING TIME ONLINE OR PLAYING A GAME IS AFFECTING THEIR SLEEP, PERFORMANCE AT SCHOOL OR IF THEY ARE GENERALLY LOSING INTEREST IN OTHER ACTIVITIES, YOU MAY LEAD ON TO ENCOURAGING ALTERNATIVE ACTIVITIES AND DISCUSSING THE INTRODUCTION OF TIME LIMITS WHEN AT HOME.

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<i>Foods that are not acceptable:</i>	<i>Reason Why:</i>
Nuts or any other products with a nut content / trace	We have children with a nut allergy
Crisps	High fat and salt content
Sweets	High sugar content
Chocolate Bars, chocolate yoghurts, chocolate Muller Corners, chocolate biscuits and chocolate chip cookies	High sugar content and many brands of chocolate contain traces of nuts
All cereal bars and Square Bars	High in sugar and fat content
Lunchables	High sugar content
Iced Buns	High sugar content
Pepperami	High fat content
Fruit Winders	High sugar content

Healthy
Habits



St. Catherine's Nursery & Primary School

February 2023




Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29. 10am P4 Do This in Memory Mass in Church of the Immaculate Conception.	30. Catholic Schools Week Theme: Walking Together in Faith and Love.	31.	1. Year 7 Parents note: EA Online Admissions Portal for Post Primary opens at 12 noon Nursery Programme: GRTL Happy Healthy Kids 1pm Draw and Talk Therapy Junior School 10am Young Enterprise Year 6B	2. Draw and Talk Therapy Senior School	3.	4. Results AQE & GL
5. 12pm P7 Confirmation Preparation Mass Called by Name Mass in Church of the Immaculate Conception.	6. AutismNI Superhero Week Children's Mental Health Week	7. AutismNI Superhero Week Children's Mental Health Week Safer Internet Day:	8. AutismNI Superhero Week Children's Mental Health Week Draw and Talk Therapy Junior School	9. AutismNI Superhero Week Children's Mental Health Week Draw and Talk Therapy Senior School	10. AutismNI Superhero Week Superhero Dress-Up Day Children's Mental Health Week	11.
12. Midterm Break	13. Midterm Break	14. Midterm Break	15. Midterm Break	16. Midterm Break	17. Midterm Break	18.. Midterm Break
19..	20. Chinese Activity Events Junior School	21.	22. Nursery Programme: GRTL Ages & Stages 1pm Draw and Talk Therapy Junior School	23. Year 7 Parents note: EA Online Admissions Portal for Post Primary closes at 12 noon Draw and Talk Therapy Senior School	24. P7A Robotics 9.30am - 11am P7C Robotics 11.15am – 1.30pm	25. 6.30pm P4 Do This in Memory Mass in Church of the Immaculate Conception.
26.	27. Chinese Activity Events Senior School Year 4 Online Holy Communion Preparation St Patrick's Day Parade workshops	28. Year 4 Online Holy Communion Preparation St Patrick's Day Parade workshops				

Happiness is being among friends.



School Dinner Menu – January 2023 onwards (Please note that soup/ sandwiches are also available daily upon request if pupils do not wish to avail of the hot food choices)

St Catherine's Nursery Dinner Menu						
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
WEEK 1 9 th Jan 6 th Feb 6 th Mar 3 rd April 1 st May 29 th May 26 th June	Breast of Chicken Curry with Boiled Rice & Naan Bread <i>or</i> Mashed Potatoes Gravy Tossed Salad & Coleslaw Garden Peas Chocolate & Pear Sponge with Custard	Margherita Pizza Potato Wedges Sweetcorn Potato Salad Raspberry Ripple Ice Cream & Watermelon	Roast Loin of Pork Traditional Stuffing/Gravy Carrot & Parsnip and Broccoli Florets Oven Dry Roast & Mashed Potato Cookies with Custard Fruit	Chicken Goujons Potatoes/Noodles Sweetcorn & Red Peppers Baked Beans/Gravy Frozen Smoothies & Fresh Fruit	Fish Fingers Tossed Salad Mixed Vegetables Chipped Potato/Baked Potato Fresh Fruit Selection & Yoghurts	<div>Breads Milk, Water A Choice of Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt Available Daily</div> <div>If you require any additional information on Allergens or Special Diets, please contact the school to complete a Special Diets Application Form</div> <div>Potatoes/Gravy/ Pasta Available Daily</div>
WEEK 2 16 th Jan 13 th Feb 13 th Mar 10 th April 8 th May 5 th June	Margherita Pizza Potato Wedges Garden Peas, Baked Potato Tossed Salad Apple Sponge & Custard	Breaded Fish Fillets Sweetcorn & Peas/Coleslaw Mashed Potato Pineapple Chunks Frozen Yoghurt	Roast Breast of Chicken Traditional Stuffing/Gravy Savoy Cabbage/Diced Carrots Oven Roast Dry & Mashed Potato Chocolate Brownie with Custard	Oven Baked Sausages Savoury Noodles Baked Beans/Tossed Salad Mashed Potatoes Arctic Roll with Sliced Peaches	Steak Burger & Bap Chipped/Baked Potato Tossed Salad Coleslaw Flake Meal Biscuit & Fruit & Custard	
WEEK 3 23 rd Jan 20 th Feb 20 th Mar 17 th April 15 th May 12 th June	Oven Baked Beef Burger Baby Boiled/Mashed Potatoes, Peas Rice or Pasta Salad Frozen Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit Selection	Fish Fingers Carrots/Sweetcorn Mashed Potato Tossed Salad Fruit Sponge & Custard	Roast Gammon Traditional Stuffing, Gravy Baton Carrots/Broccoli Oven Dry Roast & Mashed Potatoes Date Square & Custard	Breaded Chicken Goujons Pasta Salad Sweetcorn, Homemade Chilli Wedges Vanilla Ice Cream, Pears, & Chocolate Sauce	Hot Dog Baked Beans Tossed Salad Chips Baked Potato Shortbread Biscuits & Fresh Fruit	
WEEK 4 30 th Jan 27 th Feb 27 th Mar 24 th April 22 nd May 19 th June	Spaghetti Bolognaise Crusty Bread Wedges/Mashed Potatoes Gravy ½ Baked Potato with filling Sweetcorn Honey Dew Melon Wedges and Cookie	Breast of Chicken Curry with Boiled Rice & Naan Bread, <i>or</i> Fish Fingers Garden Peas Mashed Potato Fruit Sponge & Custard	Roast Turkey Traditional Stuffing/Gravy Cabbage Fresh Diced Carrots Oven Dry Roast & Mashed Potato Chocolate Brownie and Fresh Fruit	Oven Baked Sausages Broccoli Mashed Potatoes Vegetables & Gravy Fruit Muffin & Milkshake	HM Breaded Chicken Bites Baked Beans Chipped/Baked Potato Tossed Salad/Coleslaw Jelly, Ice Cream & Fresh Fruit	



St Catherine's Primary School Dinner Menu



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WEEK 1	Breast of Chicken Curry with Boiled Rice & Naan Bread or Chicken & Cheese Panini Mashed Potatoes Gravy Tossed Salad & Coleslaw Garden Peas Chocolate & Pear Sponge with Custard	Margherita Pizza or Spaghetti Bolognese Crusty bread Potato Wedges Sweetcorn Potato Salad Raspberry Ripple Ice Cream & Watermelon	Roast Loin of Pork or Salmon Fish Cake Traditional Stuffing/Gravy Carrot & Parsnip and Broccoli Florets Oven Dry Roast & Mashed Potato Cookies with Custard Fruit	Chicken Goujons or Chicken Stir Fry Potatoes/Noodles Sweetcorn & Red Peppers Baked Beans/Gravy Frozen Smoothies & Fresh Fruit	Fish Fingers or Cheese/Burger in a Bap Tossed Salad Mixed Vegetables Chipped Potato/Baked Potato Fresh Fruit Selection & Yoghurts
WEEK 2	Chicken Tikka with Boiled Rice & Naan Bread or Margherita Pizza Potato Wedges Garden Peas, Baked Potato Tossed Salad Apple Sponge & Custard	Breaded Fish Fillets or Lasagne & Crusty Bread Sweetcorn & Peas/Coleslaw Mashed Potato Pineapple Chunks Frozen Yoghurt	Roast Breast of Chicken or Fish Bites Traditional Stuffing/Gravy Savoy Cabbage/Diced Carrots Oven Roast Dry & Mashed Potato Chocolate Brownie with Custard	Oven Baked Sausages or Homemade Chilli Chicken Savoury Noodles Baked Beans/Tossed Salad Mashed Potatoes Arctic Roll with Sliced Peaches	Steak Burger & Bap or Chicken & Cheese Panini Chipped/Baked Potato Tossed Salad Coleslaw Flakemeal Biscuit & Fruit & Custard
WEEK 3	Breast of Chicken Curry & Rice, Naan Bread, or Oven Baked Beef Burger Baby Boiled/Mashed Potatoes, Peas Rice or Pasta Salad Frozen Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit Selection	Fish Fingers or Irish Stew & Wheaten Bread Carrots/Sweetcorn Mashed Potato Tossed Salad Fruit Sponge & Custard	Roast Gammon or Salmon Fish Cake Traditional Stuffing, Gravy Baton Carrots/Broccoli Oven Dry Roast & Mashed Potatoes Date Square & Custard	Breaded Chicken Goujons or Arabitata Chicken in a Warm Tortilla Wrap Pasta Salad Sweetcorn, Homemade Chilli Wedges Vanilla Ice Cream, Pears, & Chocolate Sauce	Hot Dog or Pasta Bake Baked Beans Tossed Salad Chips Baked Potato Shortbread Biscuits & Fresh Fruit
WEEK 4	Spaghetti Bolognese Crusty Bread or Cheese & Tomato Pizza Wedges/Mashed Potatoes Gravy ½ Baked Potato with filling Sweetcorn Honey Dew Melon Wedges and Cookie	Breast of Chicken Curry with Boiled Rice & Naan Bread, or Fish Fingers Garden Peas Mashed Potato Fruit Sponge & Custard	Roast Turkey or Soup & Sandwiches Traditional Stuffing/Gravy Cabbage Fresh Diced Carrots Oven Dry Roast & Mashed Potato Chocolate Brownie and Fresh Fruit	Oven Baked Sausages or Cottage Pie Broccoli Mashed Potatoes Vegetables & Gravy Fruit Muffin & Milkshake	HIM Breaded Chicken Bites or Chicken and Cheese Panini Baked Beans Chipped/Baked Potato Tossed Salad/Coleslaw Jelly, Ice Cream & Fresh Fruit

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