St. Patrick's Catholic Primary School

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Peace, Love & Understanding

Be the Best that You Can Be

We have been looking at the rights of the child and teaching the children about how important it is that children have a voice and have the confidence to speak up against injustice.

<u>School Bookmarks</u> - Every child will come home with a bookmark on Monday. This is a gift from the school to every child. The bookmark shares our mission, vision, values and our Golden Rules.

<u>Reading</u> – Our new phonics scheme is called Read Write Inc. If, your child is given a Read Write Inc Storybook to take home and read during the week, please can they be returned to school <u>every Monday</u> as children will be reading their storybooks during their daily phonics sessions. It is important that these books are returned to school so they can continue to be used during our phonics lessons.

<u>Attendance</u> - If your child is going to be absent, please notify the school as soon as possible to let us know on 0151 709 1062. We have been working with the Educational Welfare Officer as she has been looking into our attendance and ways to support. Some families will be receiving letters letting them know their child's attendance. It is so important that your child is in on time, and in school every single day; a missed school day is a missed opportunity to learn, and can severely impact your child's life chances.

<u>Safeguarding</u> - Throughout the school we teach the children about being safe online. Please look at these helpful hints to support your child using YouTube. Please, please, please talk to your https://parentinfo.org/system/files/attachments/Thinkuknow%20Parent%27s%20Guide%20to%20YouTube.pd

<u>Breakfast Club</u> - Breakfast club runs from 8:00 - to school time. We have managed to source funding from Greggs this year and are able to run breakfast club **FREE OF CHARGE**. If you would like your child to attend, please bring your child to the bottom gate by the church. We will not allow any children into breakfast club after 8:15.

<u>COVID</u> - Children who are attending school when a member of their household is positive should be advised to do the following:

- Inform school a member of the household is positive
- Take a PCR test (if negative, continue to attend school). Test should be taken around 3 days after household member develops symptoms or tests positive.
- Conduct daily Lateral Flow Tests (if negative, continue to attend school). Parents can use home testing kits to test primary age children if they feel confident to do so

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CHILDREN MUST WEAR THEIR SCHOOL TRACKSUIT	
Y1 - Tuesday & Thursday	Y4 - Tuesday & Thursday
Y2- Monday & Wednesday	Y5 - Monday & Wednesday
Y3 - Monday & Thursday	Y6 - Tuesday & Thursday