

# Scéalta 31

News & Information for  
St. Mochta's National School Community  
6<sup>th</sup> May 2020

## **School Closure**

St. Mochta's N.S. will remain closed for the remainder of this academic year. Distance learning will continue during this time. Please see letter from Ms. Farrell posted on the Aladdin noticeboard yesterday morning. We will continue to issue a scéalta each week and provide any additional resources that we feel may be useful for you during this time. It's important to keep in touch with your child's teacher and return some work when you get the opportunity. We wish all of our families well in the weeks ahead and hope you are all able to enjoy a new normality as the restrictions are gradually eased.

## **Resources during Covid 19**

- A message from CAMHS (Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service) is attached for your information. It includes local contact numbers, how to talk to your children about COVID-19 and provides advice on mental health and wellbeing in the home.
- Department of Education and Skills- general updates - [Link to the DES updates on COVID-19](#),
- Department of Education and Skills – where English may not be your first language [COVID 19 Translated Resources](#)
- [Fingal CYPSC Children and Young People's Covid-19 Wellbeing Resources](#)

## **Community Updates**

If your child is interested in art, they might be interested in entering the 'Draw your Hero' art competition. Please click on the following link for details [Draw Your Hero](#). Remember heroes come in many forms and this competition us a way to share the children's creative flair while also acknowledging their hero.

## **Roadmap from Government**

Following the announcement by our Taoiseach last Friday, the following documents may be of interest to you.

- [Roadmap for Reopening Society and Business](#)
- [Overview of Reopening Phases commencing May 18th](#)