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News & Information for
St. Mochta's National School Community
27th May 2020

We hope you and your family can enjoy some of the nice weather. Monday 1st June is a Bank Holiday, so there will be no homework allocated on this day. Enjoy the long weekend!

Book Collections

Many thanks to our teachers for co-ordinating the collection of books over the last few days. Some parents/guardians did not get to collect the books at the allocated times. We will be in touch shortly once a future date and time can be organised.

Academic Year 2020/2021

The school will shortly be issuing information regarding book list, stationery supplies, book rental, insurance, art & craft fees, etc. for the Academic Year 2020 2021. In the meantime, we remind you that Book Haven is the preferred provider for St. Mochta's National School. Further details will follow soon.

Water Safety

Water Safety Ireland's PAWS (Primary Aquatics Water Safety) outlines the essential life-saving guidelines that every child needs to know. Every child can learn basic water safety skills at home. There are lessons for each class level, click on www.teachpaws.ie for further details.

Continuity of Schooling

The Department of Education and Skills have provided guidelines intended to support you while your child is at home. It outlines how the school and teachers will help your child at this time and give you some practical advice on how you can support your child's learning and keep your child safe. It also advises you of the supports that are available from the school and elsewhere to you as a parent or guardian at this time. Please click on this link for further details. [Continuity of Schooling - Guidelines for Parents](#)

Resources during Covid 19

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

GAA Drills

Thanks again to Declan, from Westmanstown Gaels, who has sent in some more videos of exercises for children. Enjoy!

Jl to 2nd class https://drive.google.com/file/d/1KrRMeW1P8Cf_KZ7QDnVOjZ_NAKWzvQB0/view?usp=drivesdk

3rd to 6th class https://drive.google.com/file/d/1KpDzbQ5fdlXRogpKhbHC6mS8tHjwdX_4/view?usp=drivesdk