24/09/2020

Dear Parents,

It’s great to be able to say that we are heading towards the end of the fourth full week since we returned. Well done and thank you to all for the co-operation shown around new protocols and routines to keep us all safe here in school and in your homes.

A quick reminder that pupils will be admitted into the school from 9:20 and will go straight to their class through their designated entry door. Please do not bring/send your child before then as we are following the DES and HSE advice about avoiding gathering when coming to and going from school.

Please continue to follow all protocols and keep letting us know when pupils are unwell and as you have been doing consult with the school when your child is unwell. I am also sending home an information page we received from the Diocese and the HSE to help us all know the procedures if a positive case arises in our school.

Thank you to all who have paid their Book Rental and Insurance money and we are still taking money for this up to the end of September. Also thanks to those who have paid Art and Printing money in advance. We will be asking for this to be paid after the mid-term.

Please remember to send spare shoes for use on the field for pupils from 1st-6th.

Please also remember that our healthy eating policy has not changed and treats (a small bar or two biscuits or 4/5 small sweets- never crisps /fizzy drinks) are only for Wednesdays. Water bottles should be washed every evening in hot soapy water for use the next day.

This term we are having no coaches on the premises and all PE will be with the class teachers. The pupils are liking the three breaks and getting great movement breaks and fresh air.

As the song says – “We’re all in this together” and as long as we all keep playing our part we will get through to better times.

Stay safe,

Yours faithfully,

Marguerite White, Principal.