



Nuacht na Ríthe

Méan Fómhair 2018

Dátaí don Dialann Important Dates



Beidh an scoil dúnta ar an Luan 8^ú Deireadh Fómhair. The school will be closed on **Monday 8th October** to facilitate staff training.

Beidh an scoil dúnta ar an Aoine 26^ú Deireadh Fómhair mar go mbeidh an scoil in úsáid mar Ionad Vótála. The school will be closed on **Friday 26th October** as it will be in use as a Polling Station for the Presidential Election.

Maoirseacht supervision

Tá sé tugtha faoi deara go bhfuil páistí ar shuíomh na scoile an-luath ar maidin. I ndiadh dul i gcomhairle lenár gcomhlacht árachais ba mhaith linn ár ndualgais a léiriú maidir le seo. *It has come to our attention that some children are being dropped to school and left unsupervised very early in the morning. After seeking advice from our insurance company we would like to clarify our responsibility on this matter.*

- Osclaíonn an scoil do dhaltáí ag 8.50r.n., níor chóir ach go mbeadh na páistí go mbíonn orthu teacht ar scoil roimh an t-am sin de bharr cúrsaí bus scoile ar láthair na scoile roimhe sin. Níl an scoil freagrach as daltaí a thiocfaidh roimh an am sin. Níl foireann na scoile freagrach as aon rud a tharlaíonn roimh 8.50r.n. sa chlós (timpistí, drochiompar & rí). *The school opens to receive pupils at 8.50a.m. Only those children who arrive on official school buses should be on the school grounds/premises before this time. No responsibility is accepted for pupils arriving before that time. No pupil should arrive later than 9.10a.m. The school is not responsible for any incidents which may occur prior to 8.50a.m. (accidents, bad behaviour, rough play & etc).*
- Ba choir go n-úsáidfeadh tuismitheoirí agus cuairteoirí an príomhdhoras in aice le Oifig Teresa o gcónaí. *For security purposes all parents and visitors must use the main door beside Teresa's office and report to reception.*
- Críochnaíonn ranganna ag 2.30i.n (1.30i.n. do na ranganna naíonáin). Níl an scoil freagrach as na páistí i ndiadh an ama seo. *Classes end at 2.30p.m. (1.30p.m. for infant classes). The school cannot accept responsibility for children after this time.*
- Maidir le leanaí a úsáideann Bus Scoile, níl an scoil freagrach as na leanaí a thabhairt ón mbus go dtí an scoil ná ón scoil go dtí an bus. *In the case of children travelling on school busses, the school cannot accept responsibility for escorting them from the bus to the school or from the school to the bus.*

Éide Scoil School Uniform

Tá roinnt codanna éadaí scoile againn le tamall maith. Tá fáilte roimh thuismitheoirí teacht agus iad a bhreith leo. **Cuirgí ainm le gach ní gur leatsa!** *We have a number of school uniform parts with no names, unclaimed for some time. We invite parents to call to the school and take anything that belongs to their child. Going forward please label everything!*

Bealach Isteach Entry to the school

Tá cosc iomlán ar siúl isteach trí gheataí na gcarranna ag an scoil. Bainigí úsáid as na príomhghheataí amháin. *Entry to the school yard is by the gates in front of school office only. The gates close to County Council office are for staff cars and delivery vehicles only. Due to serious Health and Safety concerns no pedestrians (parents, grandparents, childminders or children) are to use these gates. We ask for your full co-operation as we wish to prevent accidents. Please spread the word.*

Tugaigí aire cóir agus sibh i mbun páirceála agus taisteal thart timpeall ceantar na scoile. Bíonn fadhbanna le páirceáil ag gach scoil agus deacair iad a réiteach agus an oiread sin daoine ag teacht agus ag imeacht ag an am céanna. De réir an dlí is gá ceantar na mbusanna a choinneáil saor ó chonstaic i gcónaí. Tá sábháilteacht na bpáistí níos tábhachtaí ná rud ar bith eile. *Parking at all schools is a difficult issue to solve as so many people are arriving and leaving at the same time. By law the bus bay must be kept clear as the safety of children is of utmost importance.*

Freastal Scoile School Attendance

De réir rialachán na Roinne Oideachais agus Scileanna agus Túsla, bíonn dualgas ar an scoil míniú a thabhairt i leith neamhláithreachta gach páiste. Chun cuidiú linn iarrtar ar thuismitheoirí fáth simplí na h-asláithreachta a chlárú ar an leathanach cuí “Nótaí Asláithreachta” ar chúl na Dialainne Scoile, m.s. Tinneas / Saoire / Socraid srl. Tá Ráiteas Straitéise faoi Fhreastal Scoile a Fhorbairt scríofa ag an scoil agus is féidir é a fheiceáil ar suíomh na scoile www.gaelscoilnarithe.ie *Under direction of Department of Education and Skills and Túsla, the school is obliged to give an explanation of every absence of a child. To assist the teacher we ask that parents use the last page of the School Diary, “Nótaí asláithreachta”, to give a short explanation on their child’s return to school, e.g. Illness / Holiday / Bereavement etc. Notification is sent to parents/guardians when a child has had 15 days absent, by law the school must notify Túsla of any child who has been absent from school 20 days or more. We have prepared a Statement of Strategy for School Attendance which can be accessed on our school website www.gaelscoilnarithe.ie*

Fadhb Gruaige Head Lice

Bíonn fadhb gruaige againn sa scoil go minic, iarrtar ar gach duine scrúdú ceart a dhéanamh ar a bpáistí agus a dhéanamh cinnte go mbeidh folt gruaige a bpáistí “glan”. *Unfortunately head lice are an on-going problem again this year. All parents are asked to check their child’s hair thoroughly with a fine comb and treat if necessary. Unless all parents take action at the same time the problem will continue to recur. Please make sure that girls tie up their hair. I have attached some useful links to help you check your child’s hair to know what to look for.*

Lámha Glana Clean Hands

Tá sé riachtanach go níonn agus go dtriomaíonn páistí a gcuid lámha sna seomraí folctha. Tá teacht ar Thriomaitheoirí Leictreacha ag na príomh cheantair leithris ach is gá go mbeadh tuáille beag láimhe, rolla cistine nó a leithéad le húsáid sna seomraí folctha ag na seomraí ranga ó Rang 3 ar aghaidh. Iarrtar ar thuistí a chinntiú go n-athraítear na túaillí go rialta freisin. *It is most important that children wash and dry their hands when in the school/class bathrooms. Electric hand dryers are provided in the main toilet areas but children in Rang 3, 4, 5 & 6 must have a small face cloth, a kitchen roll or any other drying item, for classroom toilet use. We ask that parents ensure that these towels are changed regularly etc.*