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WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY 13th January 2020



Mon 13 th Jan.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning Assembly • A/S Skill School Club P1-7 (3-4:15pm) • A/S Dyslexia training School Staff
Tues 14 th Jan.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning Assembly • A/S Gaelic Club P3-4 (3-4pm)
Weds 15 th Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning Assembly • Gaelic coaching with Michaela P5-P7 (Morning) • A/S Traditional Music Club P4-7 (3-4:15pm)
Thurs 16 th Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning Assembly • Gaelic/Fundamental movement skills with Gavin (P1-4) • A/S Dance Club 2:30-3:30pm-P1-4 3:30-4:30pm-P5-7
Friday 17 th Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning Awards Assembly • Spanish lessons with Christina P1-P7

SACRAMENTAL DATES

Service Of Commitment P7	St. Patrick's Church, Dungiven Tues. 11 th Feb. @ 7:30pm
Confirmation P7	St. Patrick's Church, Dungiven Sat. 29 th Feb. @11am
First Holy Communion P4	St. Matthew's Church, Drumsum Sat. 16 th May @11am

Date for First Confessions will follow.

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CHILD PROTECTION

At St. Matthew's Primary School we would like to keep our parents, pupils and staff up to date with the arrangements we put in place to keep our pupils safe and secure at school.

Mrs Mc Gurk is our Designated Teacher and has undergone intensive training and is supported by Deputy Designated teacher Mrs Vail who has also undergone intensive training. Child protection and safeguarding policies have been updated and approved by the Board of Governors. These policies are available on our school website and copies can also be requested from the school office.



Parent Interviews

Parent interviews for children from **P2 to P6** will be held the week beginning **10th February**. Details of times will follow in due course. School will close at 1pm on Thursday 13th Feb and Friday 14th Feb that week for all pupils in order to facilitate parent interviews. **P7 parents** will also be contacted separately with regard to transfer and parent interviews, which will be held on week beginning **Monday 27th January**. Appointment times will be sent out next week. P1 parent meetings were held in November but if you would like to meet with the class teacher again please get in touch and Mrs vail will arrange another appointment for February.

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School Day



Please have your child in school to begin the day at 8:55am with morning assembly. Breakfast club begins at 8am until 8:40am. Only children attending Breakfast Club can come into school during this time. Children not attending early morning club can arrive in school from 8:45am!

Dates for your Diary

Book Fair	Weds 29 th -Tues 4 th Feb
Catholic Schools Week	26 th Jan-2 nd Feb
Grandparents Day	Tues 28 th Jan (more details to follow)
P6/P7 Swimming Programme	Begins Weds 22 nd Jan
Ditch the Stabilisers Day	Mon 20 th Jan
Midterm Break	Mon 17 th Feb-Frid 21 st Feb
St. Patrick's Day holidays	Mon 16 th & Tues 17 th March

Thank you for your continued support

Mrs AM Kealey

Principal

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