



## scoil BHLIAIN 2023/2024

A Thuismitheoirí, a chairde,

Bhéinn an-bhuíoch daoibh ach cúpla nóiméad a ghlacadh leis an nuachtlitir seo a léamh. Athoscloídh an scoil don scoilbhliain nua 2023/2024 ar an Déardaoin 31 Lúnasa ag 08:50am. Táimid ag súil go mór leis na páistí ar fad a fheiceáil ar ais ar scoil arís don scoilbhliain úr. Is fíor a rá go raibh samhradh an-dúshlanach againn agus muid ag iarraidh múinteoirí a earcú don scoil. Tá deacrachtaí móra earcaíochta in earnáil na múinteoireachta faoi láthair, go háirithe san ard-chathair agus 'sna Gaeiscoilleana agus cé go raibh an t-ádh linn le hard-chaighdeán a múinteoirí nua a d'fhostaíomar thar an Samhradh tá cúpla folúntas nár éirigh linn a líonadh go fóill. Ar an gcúis sin agus ar mhaithe leis an scoil mar iomlán tá an cinneadh glactha againn dhá rang naionáin shóisearacha a bheith ann i mbliaina seachas trí cinn.

Beidh na foirmeacha sonraí pearsanta, na foirmeacha leighis srl. á sheoladh abhaile againn leis na páistí (N2 go R6) ar an gcéad lá scoile (Déardaoin 31 Lúnasa). Sé'n obair bhaile a bheidh le déanamh agaibhse ar an lá sin, ná na foirmeacha a líonadh agus a sheoladh ar ais chun na scoile an lá dar gionn, Dé hAoine 1 Meán Fómhair! Tá pacáiste eolais/foirmeacha srl. á sheoladh sa phost chuig thuismitheoirí na naionáin shóisearacha & ba cheart go mbeadh sé libh gan mhoill.

As we approach the beginning of another school year I would appreciate it if you would take a few minutes to read over this newsletter. The school will re-open for the 2023/2024 school year on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> August. We look forward to welcoming all the pupils back for the new school year. It is fair to say that we had a challenging summer recruiting teachers for the school. As I am sure you are aware from media coverage there are major recruitment difficulties in the teaching sector at the moment, especially in the capital city. Although we are exceptionally lucky with the standard and quality of teachers we hired over the Summer we have a couple of vacancies that we have not yet managed to fill. For this reason and for the good of the school as a whole we have taken the decision to have two junior infant classes this year instead of three. Both classes will still be quite small, with 2 very experienced infant teachers at the helm. Doing this will ensure that we will have learning support teachers to support those class teachers and other pupils and classes throughout the school needing extra support.

The Pupil Personal Details Forms, Medical Forms etc. will be given to the pupils (N2 - R6) to bring home on the first day (Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> August). All parents are asked to fill out the forms that evening (a little bit of homework for you!) and return the completed forms to school on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> Sept. An information pack containing forms etc. is being posted to the parents of junior infants and they should receive it in the next few days.

Táimid ag súil go mór leis na páistí ar fad a fheiceáil ar ais ar scoil ar an Déardaoin 31 Lúnasa. Enjoy the remaining days of the school holidays

*Enna Ní Chonchubha*



Beidh an scoil ag ath-oscailt don scoilbhliain 2023/2024 ar an Déardaoin 31 Lúnasa 2023

The school will re-open for the 2023/2024 school year on

Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2023 at 8.50am.

## TEACHT ISTEACH AR MAIDIN – MORNING DROP OFF

Beidh cead isteach sa scoil ag na páistí óna 8:50am agus ní roimhe sin - Níl sé ceadaithe páistí a fhágáil ag an scoil nó ar láthair na scoile roimh 8:50am.

Children will be allowed into the school from 8:50am and not before - Children should not to be dropped off to school before 8.50am.

TEACHT ISTEACH AR MAIDIN: Coming into school in the morning 8:50am

**R1 go R6** le teacht isteach leo féin ó gheata na scoile. Iarrtar ar thuismitheoirí slán a fhágáil leo ag an ngeata nó níos fearr fós ligint dóibh a mbealach féin a dhéanamh go dtí an scoil de shiúl cois nó ar an rothar má tá sé sin indéanta. Siúlfaidh na páistí díreach isteach sa scoil agus suas go dtí an seomra ranga. Beidh cead isteach sa scoil ag na páistí óna 8:50am agus ní roimhe sin - Níl sé ceadaithe páistí a fhágáil ag an scoil nó ar láthair na scoile roimh 8:50am. Beidh múinteoirí ag na doirse le fáilte a chur roimh na páistí agus iad a threorú go dtí a seomraí ranga.

**R1 to R6** : R1 to R6 pupils to enter school grounds unaccompanied. Parents are asked to say goodbye to them at the gate or better yet allow them to make their own way to school on foot or by bicycle if possible. The children will walk straight into the school and up to their respective classrooms. Children will be allowed into the school **from 8:50am** and not before - Children should not to be dropped off to school before 8.50am. Teachers will be at the doors to welcome the children and guide them to their classrooms.

**Naíonáin Shinsearacha:** Beidh N2 ag bailiú ar chlós 1 – an Cúirt Cispheile ag 8:50am Beidh línte ranga á dhéanamh acu amuigh ar an gclós agus baileoidh na múinteoirí ranga iad ansin. Níor cheart na páistí a bheith ar an gclós roimh 8:50am. Beidh na páistí le bailiú in aice leis na ráillí idir an cúirt cispheile agus ionad páirceála na dtuismitheoirí ag am dul abhaile ag 1:30pm.

**Senior Infants:** N2 will gather on Yard 1 - Basketball Court at 8:50 am. They will stand in line in the yard and the class teachers will collect them there. Children and parents should not be on the yard before this time 8:50am. **The children will be collected next to the railings between the basketball courts and the parent's car park at the end of the day 1:30pm**

**Naíonáin Shóisearacha:** Beidh N1 ag bailiú ar an gclós os comhair na scoile ag 9.00am (don chéad 2 lá) agus ar chlós 1 – an Cúirt Cispheile ag 8:50am le N2 ina dhiaidh sin. Beidh línte ranga á dhéanamh acu amuigh ar an gclós agus baileoidh na múinteoirí ranga iad ansin. Iarrtar oraibh gan a bheith ar an gclós roimh a 9:00am don chéad dá lá ionas gur féidir leis na daltaí ó R1 go R6 a mbealach a dhéanamh isteach sa scoil sula dtagann na naíonáin & a gcuid tuistí ar láthair na scoile. Beidh na páistí le bailiú ar an gclós os comhair na scoile ag am dul abhaile 1:30pm (12:00 don chéad coicís).

**Junior Infants:** N1 will gather in the Yard in front of the school at 9.00 am (for the first 2 days) and will gather on Yard 1 (Basketball Courts) with the senior infants at 8:50 am. thereafter. The children stand in line in the yard and the class teachers will collect them from there. Please do not gather in the yard before 9:00am on the first 2 days so that pupils from R1 to R6 can make their way into the school before the infants & their parents arrive on the school grounds. The children are to be collected from the yard at the front of the school at home time 1.30pm (12:00 for the first fortnight)

**Doirse Isteach & Amach:** Doras 1: N1 & R3, Doras 2: R4 & R5, Doras 3: R1, Doras 4: R2 & R6, Doras 5: N2 & N1

**Entrance & Exit Doors:** Door 1: N1 & R3, Door 2: R4 & R5, Door 3: R1, Door 4: R2 & R6, Door 5 N2 & N1 (see map)

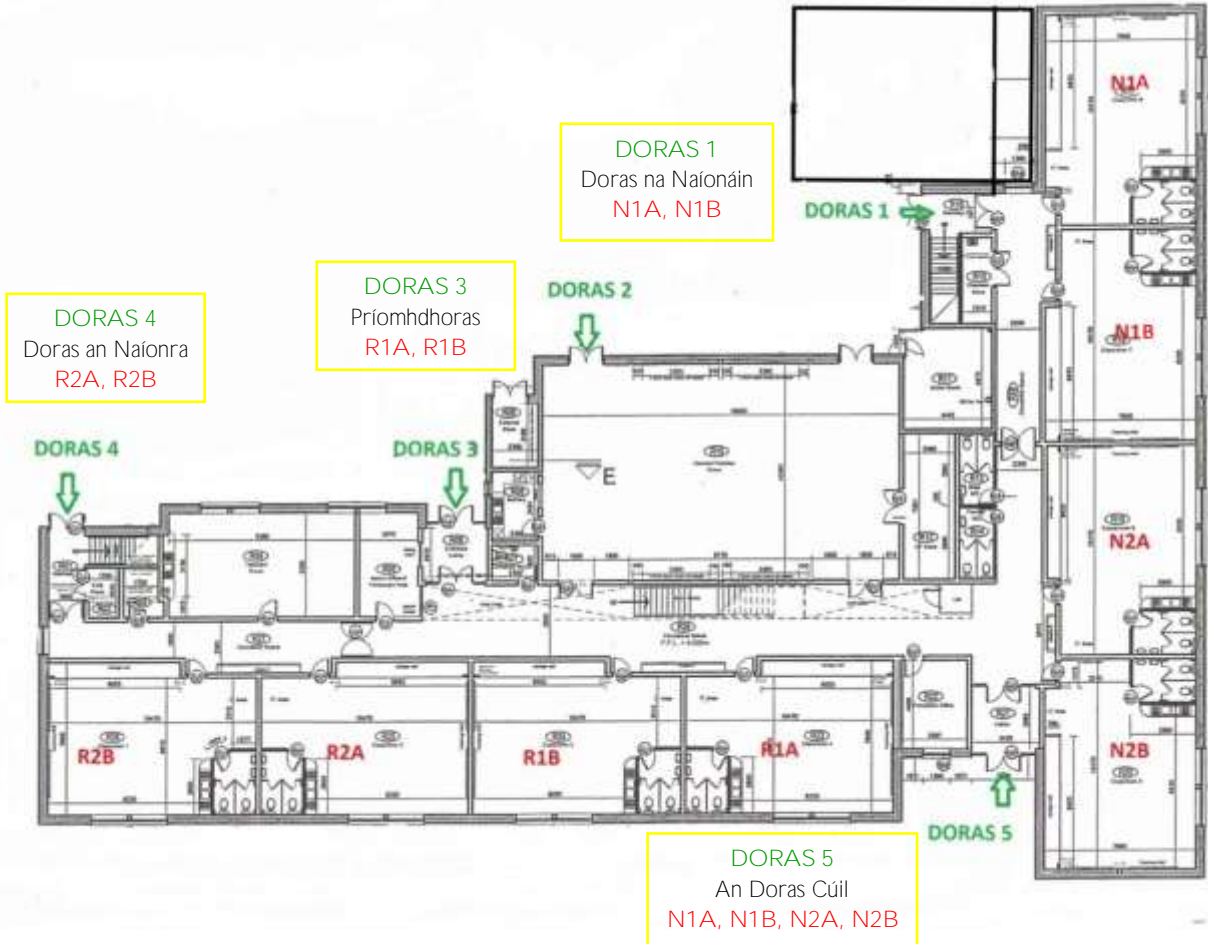
**Tuismitheoirí R1** Féadfaidh tuismitheoirí daltaí R1 siúl isteach lena bpáistí chomh fada leis an doras tosaigh don chéad 2 lá go dtí go mbíonn na páistí imithe i dtáithí ar an mbealach isteach nua seo. Rachaidh R1 isteach tríd an príomh dhoras - Doras 3.

**R1 Parents** may walk the pupils as far as the entrance door for the first 2 days so that the children are accustomed to the new entrance way. R1 will enter through Door 3 - the front door

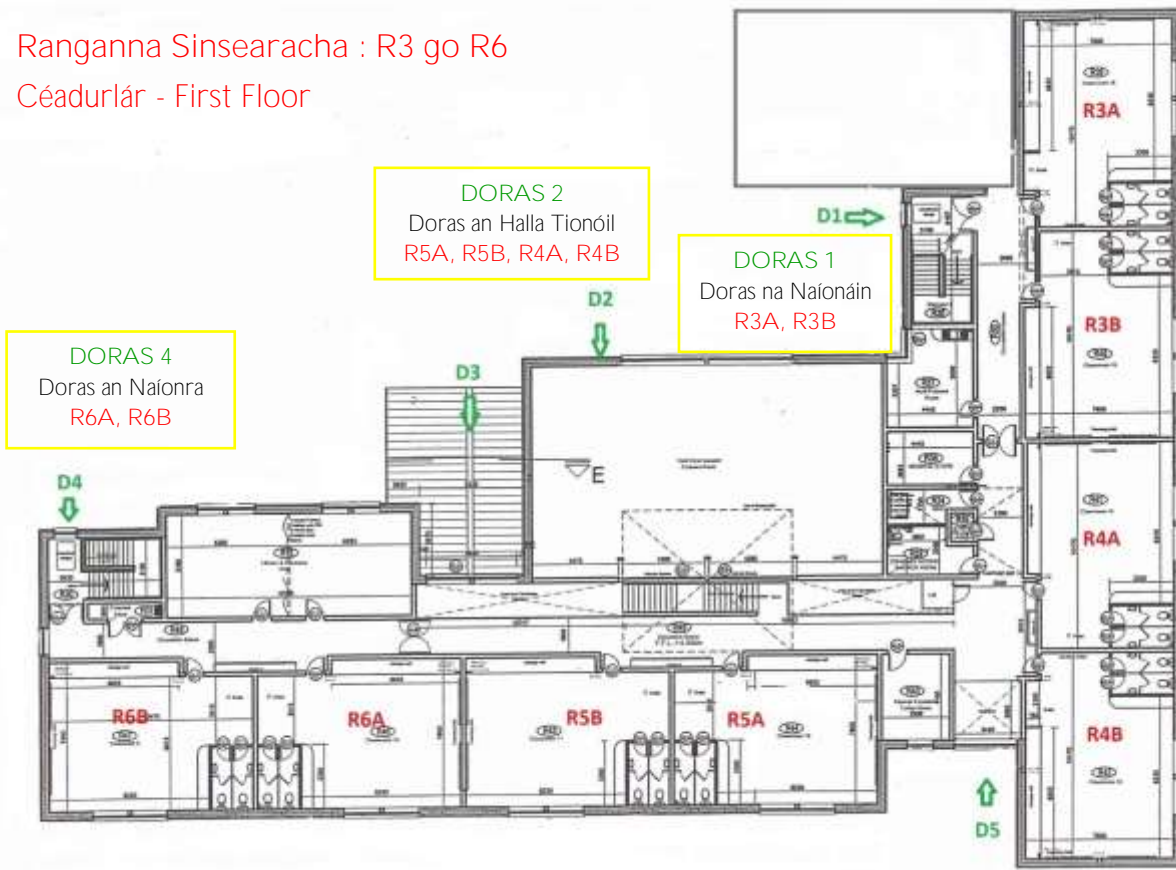
**N1 Céad Lá ar Scoil:** Déardaoin 31 Lúnasa - Tosóidh na Naíonáin Shóisearacha nua ag bailiú ar an gclós os comhair na scoile ag 9am (agus ní roimhe sin) le seans a thabhairt do na daltaí eile ar fad a bheith imithe isteach sa scoil agus suaimhneas & síochán a chinntiú do na naíonáin agus iad ag teacht isteach don chéad lá ar scoil. Iarraimid oraibh gan bailiú ar an gclós roimh an am tosaíthe sin le bhúr dtoil. Fanfaimid amuigh ar an gclós go mbíonn na páistí ar fad tagtha – ná bí buartha faoi sin.

Beidh na naíonáin shóisearacha ag dul abhaile ag 12.00pm ar feadh coicise – Déardaoin 31 Lúnasa go Céadaoin 13 Meán Fómhair agus ag 13.30pm ina dhiaidh sin.

**Junior Infants (N1) First Day at School:** Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> August -The Junior Infants will start to gather in the yard to the front of the school from 9am (and not before then) to ensure that all the other pupils will have entered the school and that **everything is peaceful & tranquil for the infants on their first day at 'big' school. Please do not gather in the yard before** that start time. We will remain in the yard until all the children have arrived – so don't worry about being late.



Ranganna Sinsearacha : R3 go R6  
Céadurlár - First Floor



Socráithe Praiticiúla ar lean – Practical Arrangements continued

**BAILIÚ UMTHRÁTHNÓNA – AFTERNOON COLLECTION**

Am Dul Abhaile : 1.30pm

N1 Siúlfar na naíonáin shóisearacha amach doras 1 go dtí an clós os comhair na scoile agus is ansin atá siad le bailiú ag a dtuismitheoirí/feighlithe.

N2 Siúlfar na naíonáin shinsearacha amach doras 5 go dtí na ráillí idir na cuairteanna cispheile agus clós páirceála na dtuismitheoirí agus is ansin a bheidh siad le bailiú ag na tuismitheoirí/feighlithe.

Home Time : 1.30pm

N1 At 1.30pm the junior infant classes will be brought out door 1 to yard at the front of the school and parents/minders are to collect them there.

N2 At 1.30pm the senior infant classes will be brought out the back door (doras 5) and walked to the railings between the **basketball courts and the parent's car park and parents/minders are to collect them there.**

Am Dul Abhaile : 2.30pm

R1 Siúlfar R1 amach an doras ag cúl na scoile (doras 5) go dtí na ráillí idir na cuairteanna cispheile & clós páirceála na dtuismitheoirí agus is ansin a bheidh siad le bailiú ag na tuismitheoirí/feighlithe.

R2 Siúlfar R2 amach chuig an clós uile-aimsire agus is ansin a bheidh siad le bailiú ag na tuismitheoirí/feighlithe.

R3 go R6 Siúlfar daltaí ranganna 3 go 6 amach go dtí an geata (amach) agus is ansin a bhaileoidh na tuistí nó feighlithe iad.

Home Time : 2.30pm

R1 will be walked out to the yard in front of the school and the parents/minders are to collect them there.

R2 will be walked out to the all-weather yard and the parents/minders are to collect them there.

R3 to R6 will be walked to the school gates where they will meet with their parents/minders a pre-arranged meeting point.

**PÁIRCEÁIL – PARKING**

Páirceáil: Ní bheidh cead páirceála ar thailte na scoile ach ag tuismitheoirí na Naíonáin (níl ach méid beag páirceála ar fáil) Beidh córas tuirlingthe i bhfeidhm os comhair ionaid páirceála na foirne. Níl cead ag éinne carr a fhágáil sa chrios tuirlingthe seo. Scaoil na páistí amach agus lean ar aghaidh.

Parking: Only parents with children in the Infant classes are allowed to park on school grounds (limited parking available). A Drop and Go system is in place in front of the staff car park. No one is allowed to leave a car unattended in the Drop and Go Zone.

**Páirceáil : Parking**



Ní bheidh cead páirceála ar fhearrann na scoile ach ag foireann na scoile (spásanna páirceála os comhair na scoile) agus tuistí na naíonáin. **Is d'fhoireann na scoile amháin na hionaid páirceála os comhair na scoile amach.**

Beidh córas tuirlingthe i bhfeidhm ionas gur féidir le tuistí nach bhfuil aon rogha acu ach na páistí a thiomáint ar scoil, tiomáint isteach ar láthair na scoile, daltaí a scaoileadh amach as an gcarr agus tiomáint ar aghaidh amach geata na scoile arís. Molaimid go mór dóibh siúd gur féidir leo é siúl nó rothaíocht chun na scoile. Más gá an carr a úsáid le páistí a thabairt ar scoil is ceart páirceáil píosa beag ón scoil agus siúl isteach go Gleanntán Beallairmín. Beifear ag súil go bhfágfar daltaí ó R1 go R6 ag geataí na scoile agus go ndéanfaidh siad a mbealach féin isteach ón ngeata go dtí an seomra ranga.

Parking places in the school grounds and in the vicinity of the school are extremely limited. Parking on school grounds is reserved for staff members (parking spaces to the front of the school) and the parents of children in the infant classes.

**Parking in the car parking spaces to the front of the school is reserved for school staff only.**

A Drop and Go system will be in place for those who have no option but to drive their children to school. Those parents may drive in through the school gates, stop momentarily to allow their children to alight the car and then they must continue on with their journey. We strongly recommend that those of you who can, walk or cycle to school. If you have to drive your child/children to school you should park a little bit away from the school and walk into Belarmine Vale. Pupils from R1 to R6 should be dropped off at the school gates and make their own way into their own classrooms.

## Múinteoirí : 2023/2024

N1A	An Múinteoir Lauryn Bhreathnach	R3A	An Múinteoir Ciara Ní Bháille
N1B	An Múinteoir Deirdre Ní Dhochartaigh	R3B	An Múinteoir Sarah-Jane Ní Choillte
N2A	An Múinteoir Bernie Ní Ruadaigh	R4A	An Múinteoir Maoilíosa Ó Dubhthaigh
N2B	An Múinteoir Ailbhe Ní Dhuibhginn	R4B	An Múinteoir Máire Mhic Gabhann & An Múinteoir Máirín Ní Dhubhthaigh
R1A	An Múinteoir Emma de Róiste	R5A	An Múinteoir Eavan Ní Mhuirgheasa & An Múinteoir Sadhbh Rosenstock
R1B	An Múinteoir Hannah Nic Uaid	R5B	An Múinteoir Bróna Ní Bhaoil
R2A	An Múinteoir Jack Ó Loinneacháin	R6A	An Múinteoir Sarah Ní Fhallaí
R2B	An Múinteoir Orla Ní Fhicheallaigh	R6B	An Múinteoir Colm Ó Coisdealbha
TF	An Múinteoir Caitríona Bairéad	PO	An Múinteoir Emer Nic Chonchradha
TF	An Múinteoir Niamh Ní Dhúill	LPO	An Múinteoir Niamh Ní Dhúill
TF	An Múinteoir Lonán Ó Lorgnáin		
TF	le ceapadh		



### Socráithe Fóirne : Staff Arrangements

*Fáilte: Ba mhaith liom fáilte ó chroí a chur roimh na múinteoirí ar fad ar ais ar scoil agus cuirim fáilte speisialta roimh na múinteoirí nua atá ag tosú linn i mbliana, Múinteoir Sarah-Jane Ní Choillte, Múinteoir Ailbhe Ní Dhuibhginn, Múinteoir Emma de Róiste (atá linn ón gCáisc), Múinteoir Lonán Ó Lorgnáin agus Múinteoir Hannah Nic Uaid. Tá an-áthas orainn fáiltiú rompu ar fhoireann na scoile agus guímid gach rath orthu agus ar mhúinteoirí uile na scoile don bhliain scoile amach romhainn.*

*Slán agus Buíochas: Móthóimid go mór uainn freisin an slua múinteoirí óga a ghlac an cinneadh an ard-chathair a fhágáil i mbliana le filleadh ar a mbailte dúchais - Is iad siúd Múinteoir Orla Bradshaw, Múinteoir Sinéad Ní Chuireáin, Múinteoir Aoife Ní Bheacháin, agus Múinteoirí Sinéad Nutley & Treasa Ní Argáin (a bhí ar shosanna gairme anuraidh). Guímid gach rath orthu agus iad scaipthe anois ar fud na tíre i gCorcaigh, i gCiarraí, i nGaillimh, i nDún na nGall agus i dTír Eoghain.*

*Post-Roinnt: Tabharfaidh sibh faoi ndeara go bhfuil dhá shocrú Post-Roinnte againn i mbliana (R4B & R5A) Eagrófar cruinniú eolais do thuismitheoirí na ranganna sin an chéad tseachtain iomlán ar ais ar scoil (data agus am le dearbhú)*

Welcome: I would like to extend a huge welcome back to school to all the teachers and especially to the new teachers who are joining us this year: Múinteoir Sarah-Jane Ní Choillte, Múinteoir Ailbhe Ní Dhuibhginn, Múinteoir Emma de Róiste (who is with us since Easter) Múinteoir Lonán Ó Lorgnáin and Múinteoir Hannah Nic Uaid. We are delighted to welcome them to our staff and wish them and all the teachers all the best for the coming school year.

Goodbye & Thank You: We will greatly miss our group of teachers who decided to leave the capital this year to return to their home towns - they are Múinteoir Orla Bradshaw, Múinteoir Sinéad Ní Chuireáin, Múinteoir Aoife Ní Bheacháin, and Múinteoirí Sinéad Nutley & Treasa Ní Argáin (who were on career breaks last year). We wish them every success in their new jobs in Cork, Kerry, Galway, Donegal and Tyrone.

Job-Sharing: You will notice that we have two Job-Sharing arrangements this year (R4B & R5A) An information meeting will be organised for the parents of those classes during the first full week back at school (date and time to be confirmed)



Cuirtear fáilte roimh thuismitheoirí teacht chun na scoile chun aon deacracht nó fadhb atá ag a bpáiste a phlé leis an múinteoir ranga. Iarrtar ort coinne a dhéanamh roimh ré, le go mbeidh an múinteoir agus tú féin in ann cúrsaí a phlé gan aon chur isteach. Go mí-ábharach ní bheidh sé ar chumas an mhúinteora labhairt leat nuair atá sé/sí i mbun ranga.

Parents are encouraged to discuss with the class teacher any difficulties or problems their child may be experiencing at school. However we ask you to make an appointment beforehand to ensure that the teacher and parent may meet in private, without interruption. Unfortunately the teacher will not be able to talk to you during class time.

## An Ghaeilge

Is í an Ghaeilge an teanga theagaisc agus an teanga chumarsáide i nGaelscoil Thaobh na Coille. Is teanga bheo í an Ghaeilge sa scoil laistigh agus lasmuigh de na ranganna, sa chlós agus i dtimpeallacht na scoile. Iarraimid ar thuismitheoirí agus gach duine eile a bhíonn bainteach leis an scoil cuidiú linn agus muid ag cruthú ‘Gaeltacht’ inár scoil agus inár dtimpeallacht. Má theastaíonn ó thuismitheoir / chaomhnóir labhairt leis an múinteoir ranga le linn ranga, iarrtar air/uirthi Gaeilge a labhairt.

Irish is the language of instruction and the language of communication in Gaelscoil Thaobh na Coille. Irish is a living language within the classroom and without, in the schoolyard, and in the vicinity of the school. We ask parents and everyone involved with the school to help us as **we strive to create our own ‘Gaeltacht’ in the school and in our locality.** If a parent / guardian wishes to speak with the class teacher during class time, they are asked to do so ‘as Gaeilge’.

## Eolas Scoile : School Information

### Foirm Sonraí Pearsanta /Leighis an Pháiste : Child’s Personal/Medical Details Form

Foirm Sonraí Pearsanta/Leighis an Pháiste - seol isteach chun na scoile iad ar an Aoine 1 Meán Fómhair le bhúr dtoil. Tá an fhoirm seo fíor-thábhachtach i gcás éagandála. Ba cheart do thuistí na naionáin shóisearacha na foirmeacha a thabhairt ar ais ar an Déardaoin 31 Lúnasa.

**Child’s Personal/Medical Details Form(s)** - please complete and return to the school on Friday 1st September. It is imperative that we have this form in case of an emergency etc. Junior Infants should return them on Thursday 31st August.

### Fóin Póca & Gléasanna Leictreonach : Mobile Phones & Electronic Devices

Níor cheart do dhaltai fón póca, uaireadóirí cliste nó gléas leictreonach ar bith a cheanglaíonn leis an idirlíon a thabhairt ar scoil nó a úsáid i rith am scoile, ar thuras scoile nó le linn ábhair bhreis-churaclam. Is féidir le daltaí gur gá dóibh teagmháil a dhéanamh leis an mbaile i rith am scoile nó tuismitheoir gur mhaith leis/leí teachtaireacht a thabhairt dá bpáiste é sin a dhéanamh tríd oifig an rúnaí ar an bhfón scoile 01-2950000.

Pupils should not bring mobile phones, smart watches or other networked devices with them to school, use them during school time, on school tours or during extra curricular activities. Children who need to contact home during school hours or indeed parents who need to communicate a message to their child may do so through the school secretary using the school landline phone 01-2950000 (see School Policy on Mobile Phones)

**Téascleabhair & Cóipleabhair Scoile : School Texts Books & Copybooks**

Mar is eol daoibh cuirfidh scéim na téascleabhair scoile, leabhair saothair agus cóipleabhair ar fad a bheidh ag teastáil ó na daltaí i rith na bliana ar fáil in aisce dóibh. Cuirfear iad seo ar fáil do na páistí tríd an scéim iasachta scoile nuair a fhillean siad ar an scoil i mí Meán Fómhair.

As you are aware the school textbook scheme will provide all the textbooks, workbooks and copybooks that the pupils will need during the year free of charge. The pupils will receive their schoolbooks through the schools free rental scheme when they return to school in September.

**Bille Scoile : School Bill**

Clúdaíonn an bille scoile nithe nach gclúdaíonn an deontas thuas ar nós fótachóipeáil, Ábhar Ealaíne & Ceardaíochta, Árachas Pearsanta, Dialann Obair Bhaile, Feadóg Stáin srl. Munar éirigh leat an bille seo a íoc roimh dheireadh na scoilbhliana deirneach ar mhiste leat socrú a dhéanamh leis an Rúnaí é a íoc gan mhoill. The school bill covers items not covered by the grant above like photocopying, Arts & Crafts Materials, Homework

**Diary. Pupil Personal Insurance, tin whistle etc. If you didn't manage to pay this bill before the end of the last school year we would be grateful if you could do so at your earliest convenience.**

**Árachas Timpiste : Personal Accident Insurance**

Tá clúdach árachais pearsanta timpiste 24 uair a chloig don scoilbhliain 2023/2024 san áireamh do gach páiste sa Bille Scoile.

24 hour personal accident insurance cover is included for each pupil in the 2023/2024 School Bill.

**Éide Scoile : School Uniform**

Is cóir an t-éide scoile iomlán a chaitheamh i gcónaí ach amháin nuair a bhíonn Corp Oideachas ar chlár ama an lae nuair a caithear an culaith spóirt. Dé Luan & Déardaoin N1 - R2, Dé Máirt & Dé hAoine R3 - R6. Tá sé ceadaithe an t-éide scoile samhraidh (brístí gearra dubhghorm & an geansaí spóirt) a chaitheamh i mí Meán Fómhair má bhíonn an aimsir ann chuige ach is gá an t-éide scoile iomlán a chaitheamh ó mhí Deireadh Fómhair ar aghaidh.

The full school uniform should be worn at all times except on the days when PE is timetabled and the children wear their tracksuits. Monday & Thursday N1 - R2, Tuesday & Friday R3 - R6. The children may wear the 'summer uniform' (navy shorts & sports sweatshirt) in September, weather permitting but the full uniform must be worn from October onwards.

**Bróga Scoile : School Shoes**

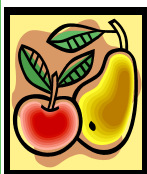
Cuirim i gcuimhne daoibh gur bróga dubh nó dubhghorm ba cheart a bheith á chaitheamh ag na páistí ar scoil. Níl bróga il-daite nó bróga reatha ceadaithe.

Please remember that only black or navy shoes are to be worn to school. Multi-coloured shoes or runners are not permitted as they are not part of the school uniform.

**Polasaí Bia Sláintiúil : Healthy Eating Polasaí**

Cuirfidh i gcuimhne daoibh go bhfuil polasaí Bia Sláintiúil i bhfeidhm sa scoil. Meallaimid na daltaí le bia sláintiúil ar nós torthaí & glasraí a ithe mar chuid den lón scoile. Iarrtar ar na daltaí torthaí nó glasraí amháin a ithe ag am lón beag agus an chuid eile den lón a ithe ag am lón mór. Iarraimid oraibh gan milseáin, seacláid, crispí, brioscaí nó deochanna milse a bheith ag na páistí ar scoil. Molaimid ceapairí, torthaí agus deoch a bheith acu mar lón. Ní ceadaithear cnónna/bia le cnónna mar chuid den lón mar go bhfuil ailléirge ag roinnt daltaí sa scoil le cnónna.

We would like to remind you that the school has a healthy eating policy. We encourage the children to eat healthy foods such as fruits and vegetables as part of their school lunch. We ask the children to eat fruit and vegetables at little break with the remaining lunch being eaten at big break! We would ask you to exclude **sweets, chocolate, crisps, biscuits and fizzy drinks from your child's lunchbox. We suggest a lunch consisting** of sandwiches, fruit and a drink. Nuts & foods containing nuts are not allowed in school & should not be sent in to school for lunch as several children in the school suffer from severe nut allergies.



**Am Dul Abhaile : Home Time**

Ag 1.30pm siúlfaí na naíonáin amach go dtí an clós is cóngaraí dá seomraí ranga agus is ansin a bhaileoidh na tuismitheoirí iad. Ag a 2.30pm baileofar R1 ar an gclós ag cúl na scoile & R2 ón gclós uile-aimsire. Siúlfaí daltaí ranganna 3 go 6 amach go dtí an geata agus is ansin a bhaileoidh na tuistí nó feidhlithe iad.

At 1.30pm the Infant classes will be brought to yard closest to their classrooms. Parents/minders will collect them there. At 2.30pm R1 are to be collected from the yard at the back of the school and R2 from the all-weather yard. The remaining classes (R3 to R6) will make their way to the school gates to meet with their parents/minders or to walk to a pre-arranged meeting point.

**Éadaí & Giúrléidí : Clothes & Belongings**

Bí cinnte go bhfuil ainm do pháiste ar a c(h)uid éadaí agus giúrléidí (geansaithe & cótaí ach go háirithe).

**Ensure that your child's name is on all his/her clothes and belongings** (especially jumpers & coats).

**Seomra Ranga Google : Google Classroom**

Leanfear de bheith ag baint úsáide as Google Classroom mar bhealach chun obair bhaile agus achmhainní a roinnt idir an scoil agus an baile. We will continue to use Google Classroom as a means of sharing homework and resources between school and the home.

Google Classroom

**Nótaí : Notes**

Seolfar nótaí ón scoil amach ar r-phost. Bí cinnte go léann tú na r-phoist sin! School notices will be sent out via e-mail. Please take the time to read any e-mails that are sent to you from the school.

**Tinreamh : Attendance**

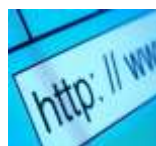
Iarrtar ar thuismitheoirí a chur in iúl don scoil i scríbhinn nuair a bhíonn dalta as láthair ón scoil de bharr tinnis nó eile. Má bhíonn dalta as láthair 20 lá sa scoil bhliain is gá don scoil é sin a chur in iúl don oifigeach Leas Pháistí.

Parents are asked to inform the school if their child is absent from school be it due to illness or other. The school is required to inform the Educational Welfare Officer if a pupil is absent from school for 20 days in any school year.

**Sonraí Teagmhála Scoile : School Contact Details**

Uimhir Gutháin Scoile  
School Phone Number  
01 2950000

Seoladh Ríomhphoist  
E-mail address  
gaelscoil@taobhnacoille.ie

**Suíomh Gréasáin : School Website [www.taobhnacoille.ie](http://www.taobhnacoille.ie)**

Ná déan dearmad gur féidir cuairt a thabhairt ar shuíomh gréasáin Ghaelscoil Thaobh na Coille ag [www.taobhnacoille.ie](http://www.taobhnacoille.ie). le heolas a fháil faoin scoil agus faoi imeachtaí reatha scoile. **Don't forget that you can visit our school's website at [www.taobhnacoille.ie](http://www.taobhnacoille.ie).** where you will find information about the school and details about school events.

**Cód Smachta : Code of Discipline**

Daltaí Nua : Ní mór do thuismitheoirí uile an cód smachta a léamh go cruinn. Sinigh an fhoirm atá ag cúl an leabhráin lena dheimhniú go bhfuil sé léite agat agus go nglacann tú leis thar cheann do pháiste/pháistí. Gearr amach an leathanach agus seol ar ais chun na scoile í.



New Pupils : It is imperative that all parents read this document carefully. Please sign the form on the last page as verification that you have read the Code of Discipline and that you accept it on behalf of your child/children. Cut out the page and return it to the school.

**Féilire Scoile : 2023/2024 : School Calendar**

Tá cóip d'fhéilire scoile na bliana seo sa phacáiste a gheobhaidh sibh ar an gcéad lá agus tá sé ar fáil freisin ar shuíomh ghréasáin na scoile ag [www.taobhnacoille.ie](http://www.taobhnacoille.ie) A copy of the school calendar is enclosed in the information pack you will receive on the first day and it can also be viewed on the school website at [www.taobhnacoille.ie](http://www.taobhnacoille.ie)



## Uaireanta Scoile

## School Hours



Tosóidh an scoil do na daltaí i N2 go R6 ag 8.50am. Ní bheidh cead isteach sa scoil ag na daltaí go dtí 8.50am (8.50am go 9.00am am tionóil, tosaíonn an obair ranga ag 9.00am) Nil cead ag páistí a bheith ar láthair na scoile roimh 8.50am. Tosóidh an scoil do na naíonáin shóisearacha ag 9.00am ar feadh an chéad 2 lá agus ag 8.50am uaidh sin amach.

Críochnóidh an lá scoile ag a 2.30pm ach i gcás na naíonáin a rachaidh abhaile ag a 1.30pm. Ba chóir do na tuismitheoirí socraithe a dhéanamh a bpáistí a bhailiú ag an áit bhailithe, agus an duine a bhéas á mbailiú a bheith lasmuigh den scoil ag a 2.30pm Ní ghlacfaidh an scoil freagracht as páiste ar bith i ndiaidh an ama sin.

School will start for the pupils of N2 to R6 at 8.50am. Students will not be allowed into the school until 8.50am (reception time is 8.50am to 9.00am, formal school work begins at 9.00am) Pupils should not enter the school grounds before 8.50am. The school day will begin for the junior infant classes at 9.00am. for the first 2 days and at 8.50am thereafter.

Classes will end each day at 2.30pm except in the case of the infant classes who will finish at 1.30pm. Parents should make arrangements to have their children met at the collection point and the person to escort them should be outside the school no later than 2.30pm The school cannot accept responsibility for the children after that time.

N2A	Múinteoir Bernie Ní Ruadaigh	N2B	Múinteoir Ailbhe Ní Dhuibhginn
Buachaillí		Buachaillí	
1	Ruairí Ó Beaglaioich	1	Jacob D'Altun
2	Louis Ó Dea	2	John Paul Ó Clúmháin
3	Oscar Ó Donnabháin	3	Rory Ó Conchubhair
4	Jacob Mac Donnacha	4	Ollie Mac Eoin Ó Murchú
5	Robin Ó Donnchadha	5	Bradán Mac Giolla Arraith
6	Luke Ó Duígin	6	Dylan Mac Giolla Bhríde
7	Hugo Mac Ionnrachtaigh Ó Maonaigh	7	Cathal Mac Íomhar
8	Finn Ó Maoilchiarán	8	Dylan Mac Óda
9	Simon Ó Tuathaigh	9	Jack Ó Riada
10	James Uygier	10	Joel Ó Seanachóir
		11	Luca Ó Seanachóir
Cailíní		Cailíní	
1	Éile Chambers	1	Ella Ní Ailín
2	Laoibhse Chambers	2	Bébhinn Ní Chaoimh
3	Emily Ní Chiabháin	3	Isla Ní Chuinn
4	Áine Ní Chorrágáin	4	Clíona Ní Dhéin
5	Emily Dáibhis	5	Moya Ní Dheoráin
6	Imogen Ní Dhúill	6	Emma Nic Einrí
7	Ellie Nic Gabhann	7	Riley Ní Ghliasáin
8	Bobbie Cnock Ní Bhroin	8	Emily Nic Giolla Bhríde
9	Hannah Ní Éineacháin	9	Neala Belle Hsu Caswell
10	Zoe Nic Eoin	10	Lara Nic Innéirí
11	Lauren Ní Fhaoláin	11	Eve Ní Laoire
12	Ali Ní Ghábháin	12	Chloe Ní Mhurchú
13	Caoimhe Nic Giolla Phádraig	13	Matilda Ní Ógáin
14	Sophia Ní Lia	14	Amelia Ní Phollaird
15	Maud Rosenstock	15	Clíodhna Nic Uidhir
16	Katie Ní Ruadháin		

Teagmháil le Tuistí  
Communication with Parents

Le teagmháil éifeachtach, shoiléir a chinntiú & le heolas contráilte & mí-thuiscintí a sheachaint baintear úsáid as na modhanna cumarsáide seo a leanas le heolas maidir le 'Cúrsaí/Gnó Scoile' a scaipeadh ar thuismitheoirí:

In order to ensure effective communication and to avoid confusion and misinformation please note that information **pertaining to all 'School Business' will be communicated to the parents via one of the following methods:**

- Nóta seolta abhaile i mála scoile na ndaltaí  
Hard copy notice sent home in school bags
- Téacs seolta ón Scoil ag na tuistí tríd Text-a-Parent  
A text sent out by the School via Text-a-Parent

- R-phost ón Scoil trí chóras bhunachar sonraí na scoile  
E-mail from school via school's database system

- Nuachtlitir Scoile School Newsletter

- Suíomh Gréasáin na scoile School's Website [www.taobhnacoille.ie](http://www.taobhnacoille.ie)

**Ní bhaineann an Scoil úsáid as 'What's App'** le teachtaireachtaí maidir le cúrsaí scoile a scaipeadh ar thuismitheoirí.

**The School DOES NOT use 'What's App'** to communicate information regarding school business with the parents.

Any parent needing clarification on any issue arising out of any of these communications or any issue relating to school business should contact the school office directly for same.

Guthán Phone: 01 2950000  
r-phost e-mail: gaelscoil@taobhnacoille.ie

## Ranganna N1 2023/2024

## 2 Rang Naíonáin

## N1A Lauryl Bhreathnach

## N1B Deirdre Ní Dhochartaigh

## Buachaillí

1	Breandán de Barra
2	PJ Ó Briain
3	Thomas Ó Bróithe
4	Áedán Ó Cathláin
5	Charlie Ó Diomsaigh
6	Scott Ó Dúill
7	Finn Ó Duineacha
8	Finn Ó Greacháin
9	Ceol Ó Laigneanáin
10	Harry Ó Lionaird
11	Dara Ó Loinsigh
12	Andrew Ó Mochóir
13	Jacob Moiféid

## Buachaillí

1	Aiden Barri Ó Muirí
2	Ben Ó Cearmada
3	Ronan Charmant
4	Cillian Ó Conchubhair
5	Evan Ó Dálaigh
6	Rory Mac Giolla Bhríde
7	Dara Mac Giolla Bhríde
8	Ted Mac Giolla Chaoin
9	Luke de Grás
10	Sam Ó Loinsigh
11	Zach Szmaj
12	Scott Mac Uilic

## Cailíní

1	Matilda Ní Bhrádaigh
2	Jessica Ní Bhriain
3	Nóra Ní Chathasaigh
4	Lilimae Ní Cheanbháin
5	Isabel Ní Earchaí
6	Emily Gadden
7	Aoibheann Lehmann
8	Eva Ní Mhaoileoin
9	Faye Masún
10	Éabha Ní Mheára
11	Amelia Ní Mhordha
12	Juno de Poire
13	Emma Nic Seincín

## Cailíní

1	Avelia Annett
2	Giolla Nic Aogáin
3	Chloe Ní Bhroin
4	Chloe Ní Chiardubháin
5	Eve Nic Conmara
6	Molly Ní Chorráin
7	Juliette Ní Feabhail
8	Shae Ní Loinsigh
9	Nina Ní Mhaoldomhnaigh
10	Fiadha Ní Mhóráin
11	Sadhbh Ní Raoghaill Bradáin
12	Joni Rosenstock
13	Alice Nic Stiofáin
14	Cora Ní Uaine

**CRÍOCH LUATH** : Beidh na Naíonáin shóisearacha ag dul abhaile ag a 12.00pm ar feadh coice - Déardaoin 31 Lúnasa go Céadaoin 13 Meán Fómhair



**EARLY FINISH** : The junior infants will be finishing at 12.00 o'clock for the first fortnight - Thursday 31st August until Wednesday 13th September

Tá 2 rang na naíonáin shóisearacha á roinnt i ndá rang againn i mbliana. Beidh an dá rang go deas beag (26 dalta sa rang) agus beidh an Múinteoir Lauryl Bhreathnach & An Múinteoir Deirdre Ní Dhochartaigh, beirt mhúinteoir a bhfuil an-taithí acu ar na naíonáin, i mbun an dá rang sin.

## 2 Infant Classes

Our junior infants will be split into two classes this year. Both classes will be relatively small (only 26 pupils) and will have 2 very experienced infant teachers at the helm - An Múinteoir Lauryl Bhreathnach & An Múinteoir Deirdre Ní Dhochartaigh.

**An OÍCHE ROIMH RÉ** : Féach go bhfuil gach rud - éide scoile, mála, lón, réidh don mhaidin. Féach chuige seo ar bhealach deas réidh - ná biodh an leanbh róchorraithe nó inníoch ag dul a chodladh dó/di.

**The NIGHT BEFORE**: Check that all items - uniform, bag, lunch - are ready for the morning. Do this in a calm fashion - **don't have your child over**-excited or anxious going to bed.

**An LÁ MÓR** : Baileoidh na naíonáin shóisearacha nua agus a dtuismitheoirí ar an gclós os comhair na scoile idir 9.00am agus 9.15am (larrtar oraibh gan a bheith ansin go dtí i ndiaidh 9am ar an gcéad lá le seans a thabhairt do na páistí ó na ranganna eile dul isteach sa scoil ar dtús nuair a bhuaileann an clog ag 8.50am). Beidh ainm ghreamaitheoir le cur ar gach páiste. Beidh áit ar leith marcáilte don dá rang N1A & N1B. Déanfaidh na páistí linte ranga ansin. Fágfaidh na tuismitheoirí slán ag na páistí amuigh ar an gclós agus imeoidh siad agus siúlfaidh an múinteoir na páistí isteach sa seomra ranga. **(B'fhearr linn nach rachadh na tuismitheoirí isteach sa seomra ranga mar go mbionn na páistí i bhfad níos socair nuair a déantar ar an mbealach sin é). Mhá bhraitheann tú féin ábhairín trí chéile, ná taispeáin é, fág do pháiste leis an múinteoir, agus abair leis/leí go mbeidh tú ar ais ag an am cuí chun é/i a bhailiú. Mhá tá do leanbh suaite, biodh muinín agat as an múinteoir. Tá taithí mhaith ag an múinteoir agus tuigeann sí conas páiste inníoch a chur ar a c(h)ompord.**

**The BIG DAY** : The new junior infants and their parents will gather in the yard to the front of the school between 9.00am and 9.15am **(We ask that you don't arrive until after 9:00am on the first morning in order to allow the other children go into school when the bell rings at 8.50am)**. A name badge will be provided for each child and they will be asked to stand in their class line. A specific place will be marked for both classes N1A & N1B. The children will make a line and parents will be asked to say goodbye to their children, the children will be brought into the school by the teachers and the parents are asked to LEAVE without delay!!! **(We have found that the children settle a lot quicker when it is done this way). If you are feeling upset, don't show it, leave your child with the teacher, and tell him/her you will be back at the appropriate time to collect him/her. If your child is upset, trust the teacher. the teacher is very experienced and knows how to comfort an anxious child.**

## Polasaí Éide Scoile School Uniform Policy

*Is gá do na páistí ar fad ó rang a 1 go rang a 6 an t-éide scoile iomlán, atá luaite thíos, a chaitheamh. Caithear an culaith spóirt 2 lá sa tseachtain i.e. na laethanta go ndéantar corp oideachas. Tá sé de rogha ag na naíonáin an culaith spóirt nó an t-éide scoile a chaitheamh. Molaimid go gcaitheadh na naíonáin ar fad an culaith spóirt.*

All pupils from first to sixth class must wear the school uniform specified below. The school tracksuit is worn twice a week i.e. on P.E. days only. The infants have the option of wearing the tracksuit or the uniform. We strongly recommend that all infants wear tracksuits.

### Éide Scoile

Pirilín breacán (dúghorm, gorm, glas) nó  
filleadh beag (R5/R6) nó treabhsar dúghorm  
Cairdeagan nó geansaí dúghorm (le suaitheantas na scoile)  
Blús bhán, léine bhán nó léine póló bhán  
Carbhat breacán (roghnach)  
Bróga leathair/bróga reatha dubh nó dúghorm  
Stocáí/riteoga dúghorm

### Culaith Spóirt

Culaith Spóirt dúghorm (le suaitheantas na scoile)  
Léine póló bhán  
Bróga Reatha (dath amháin - dubh, dúghorm nó bán)

### Éide Scoile Samhraidh

Ceadaítear brístí gearra dúghorm agus léine póló bhán a chaitheamh i mí Bealtaine, Meitheamh agus Meán Fómhair nuair a bhíonn aimsir oiriúnach chuige.

### Bróga Rince

Molann an múinteoir rince go mbeadh bróga ag na páistí don rince (plimsoles dubh).

Éide Scoile agus Culaith Spóirt ar fail ó:

#### The Schoolwear House

Unit D, Eastáit Tionscail Chrois Baile an Mhóta,  
Baile an Mhóta,  
B.Á.C. 24.  
T: (01) 4604371  
E-mail: [www.schoolwearhouse.ie](http://www.schoolwearhouse.ie)

### School Uniform

Tartan pinafore (navy, blue, green in colour) or  
kilt (5<sup>th</sup> /6<sup>th</sup> class) or navy trousers  
Navy cardigan or jumper (with school crest)  
White blouse, white shirt or white polo shirt  
Tartan tie (optional)  
Navy or black leather shoes/runners  
Navy socks/tights

### P.E. Uniform

Navy tracksuit (with school crest)  
White polo shirt  
Runners (plain - black, navy or white)

### Summer Uniform

Navy shorts and white polo shirt may be worn during the months of May, June and September when the weather is fitting.

### Dance Shoes

Our dance teacher recommends that the pupils have soft shoes for dancing (black plimsoles).

School Uniform and Tracksuit available from:

#### The Schoolwear House

Unit D7, Ballymount Cross Industrial Estate,  
Ballymount,  
Dublin 24.  
T: (01) 4604371  
E-mail: [www.schoolwearhouse.ie](http://www.schoolwearhouse.ie)



# Gaelscoil Thaobh na Coille

# 2023-2024

Féilire Scoile : School Calendar

Gaelscoil  
Thaobh na Coille



24/08/2023

Iúil 2023						
L	M	C	D	A	S	D
28	27	26	25	24	23	22
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

Meán Fómhair 2023						
L	M	C	D	A	S	D
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	1

Eanáir 2024						
L	M	C	D	A	S	D
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Bealtaine 2024						
L	M	C	D	A	S	D
28	29	30	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Deireadh Fómhair 2023						
L	M	C	D	A	S	D
25	26	27	28	29	30	1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

Feabhra 2024						
L	M	C	D	A	S	D
29	30	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29				

Míthheamh 2024						
L	M	C	D	A	S	D
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

Lúnasa 2023						
L	M	C	D	A	S	D
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Nollaig 2023						
L	M	C	D	A	S	D
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Aibreán 2024						
L	M	C	D	A	S	D
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

Lúnasa 2024						
L	M	C	D	A	S	D
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	1

## Laethanta Saoire

T1

### Lá Oisceilte : First Day

Déardaoin 31 Lúnasa

Thursday 31 August

### Briseadh Meán Téarma T1

Mid-term Break Term 1

30/10/23 - 03/11/23

Saoire na Nollag

Dúnadh Aoine 22/12/23

Ath-oscailt Luan 08/01/24

Christmas Holidays

Close Friday 22/12/2023

Re-open Monday 01/2024

T2

Saoire Poiblí : Public Holiday

Luan 05/02/2024

### Briseadh Meán Téarma T2

Mid-term Break Term 2

15/02/2024 - 16/02/2024

Saoire Poiblí : Public Holiday

Luan 18 (17) Márta/March

Saoire na Cásca

Dúnadh Aoine 22 Márta

Ath-oscailt Luan 08 Aibreán

Easter Holidays

Close Friday 22 March

Re-open Monday 08 April

T3

### Saoire Poiblí + 4 Lá

Seachtain Saoire: 1 Week Break

Luan 06 - Aoine 10 Bealt/ May

Saoire Poiblí : Public Holiday

Luan 03 Meith/June

Saoire an tSamhraidh

Dúnadh Aoine 28 Meith

Summer Holidays

Close Friday 28 June

Lá Saoire : Holiday

Saoire Poiblí : Public Holiday