



# Roan St Patrick's Primary School

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Dear Parents,

## **Mathletics**

We will begin another focussed Mathletics Boost over the next 6 weeks and teachers will select a 'Mathlete of the Week' every Friday. Mathletics is a great resource to help support numeracy – check out the 'Using Mathletics at Home' video posted by our Numeracy Coordinator, Mrs McKeown, available on the school website home page.

## **Upcoming Trips**

A number of World Around Us class fieldtrips are still to be completed – permission for your child to attend and payment details will be made available for you via the School Gateway app in advance of the trips (P1 Dyan Mill Farm trip (16<sup>th</sup> May) / P2 Under the Sea trip (date TBC) / P3 Dyan Mill Farm trip this week - Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> April (full uniform & warm coat needed – children will be back for dinner) / P7 Belfast Zoo trip (14<sup>th</sup> May). I will send out further information on the end of year school trips later this month.

## **French / Music**

Primary 2, 3 & 4 children will receive French Tuition this term at a cost of £6 per child for the term. Primary 4-7 children will receive music tuition at a cost of £5 for the term. All payments can be made via the School Gateway app.

## **School Nurse Team – P1 Parents**

The School Nurse Team will visit the school for P1 appraisals from Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April to Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May.

## **High-5 Friday**

Our next High-5 Friday will take place on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May.

## **First Holy Communion**

First Holy Communion will take place on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> May @ 11am in the chapel. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the Parochial Hall. We are still trying to secure a photographer for the occasion (more details to follow).

## **Meeting with Teachers**

Should you have any queries or concerns about your child or should you require an update on how your child is progressing in school, please contact your child's teacher to arrange a meeting at any time. All parents will receive a full written report in June with standardised test results (PTM / PTE) on P4-7 reports.

## **Run for Roan / Disco Dash Fundraiser**

We have raised over £2000 via our Just Giving page so far for our upcoming Disco Dash & Run for Roan fundraisers. 7 of my 26 miles have already been sponsored and announced on our Friends of Roan Facebook page – please encourage local businesses to consider sponsoring a mile or to contribute to our Just Giving page. I will resend the link via our text service for you to share via your socials. We hope to make a big push towards the upcoming events over the next 3-4 weeks and our Friends of Roan group will meet this week to finalise preparations.

## **School Closures**

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May – Bank Holiday.

Yours sincerely,

S Mone

Principal

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