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### **Coiste na dTuistí/ Parents' Association**

#### **Féilire Scoile:**

Tá roinnt cóipeanna d'fhéilire 2022 ar fáil fós. Má theastaíonn uait cóip a cheannach, déan teagmháil le hAisling.

#### **Margadh Leabhar:**

Tá áthas orainn a rá go mbeidh an margadh leabhar ar siúl i mbliana, cé go mbeidh athrú ar chonas a réachtálfar é. Ní bheidh tuismitheoirí in ann teacht chun an mhargaidh, áfach. Beidh deis ag gach rang cuairt a thabhairt ar an margadh ón Máirt - Déardaoin. Beidh daltaí in ann leabhar a roghnú ann. Tá dhá rogha ann do thuismitheoirí ó thaobh íocaíochta de.

- 1) Is féidir leat dearbhán a cheannach ar líne roimh thús an mhargaidh. Is féidir le do pháiste an dearbhán a thabhairt isteach ar scoil leis/lei agus é a chaitheamh mar is gnách. Tabhair faoi deara nach féidir linn aon sóinseáil a thabhairt ar luach an dearbháin. Féach ar na téarmaí agus coinníollacha a bhaineann leis na dearbháin anseo. <https://shop.scholastic.ie/gift-voucher-tandcs>
- 2) Is féidir leis an bpáiste leabhar a roghnú ag an margadh. Seolfar leathanach abhaile le costas an leabhair air. Beidh an tuismitheoir in ann dul ar líne <https://bookfairs.scholastic.ie/pay> agus an méid atá luaite ar an leathanach a íoc. Gheobhaidh tú admhál ó Scholastic. Tabharfaidh an páiste an admhál isteach leo Dé hAoine chun an leabhar a bhailiú.

**Ní bheimid ag glacadh le hairgead crua ag an margadh.** Ní theastaíonn uainn go mbeidh díomá ar aon pháiste. Mar sin, táimid ag impí oraibh gan airgead crua a sheoladh isteach le do pháiste.

Beidh roinnt cabhrach ag teastáil uainn ionas gur féidir linn an margadh a réachtáil go héifeachtach. Mar sin, má tá tú ar fáil maidin madin ar bith idir an 15 agus 18 Feabhra, cuir scéal chugainn. [gsbbcoiste@gmail.com](mailto:gsbbcoiste@gmail.com)



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### **Calendar:**

*There are still some 2022 calendars available. If you would like to buy a copy, please contact Aisling.*

### **Book Fair:**

*We are delighted to be able to run the book fair this year, although it will have to be run differently. Unfortunately, parents will not be able to attend the fair. Each class will get the opportunity to visit the fair from Tuesday- Thursday. Pupils will be able to select a book to purchase. There are two options available to parents for payment.*

- 1) You can purchase a gift voucher online in advance of the start date of the fair. Your child can then bring the printed voucher to school and spend it during their visit to the fair. Please note that no change can be given on the value of the voucher. The terms and conditions relating to vouchers can be found here.  
<https://shop.scholastic.ie/gift-voucher-tandcs>*
- 2) Your child can select a book or books to purchase during his/her visit to the fair. A page showing the amount due will be sent home with your child. You can then pay online at <https://bookfairs.scholastic.ie/pay>. You will be sent a receipt which your child can then bring to school on Friday to collect his/her book(s).*

**No cash will be accepted at the fair.** *We do not want to disappoint any child, therefore we would ask that you please do not send your child to school with cash as we cannot accept it.*

*We will need some help in order to run the fair efficiently and safely. If you are available to help any morning from 15th-18th February, please let us know [gsbbcoiste@gmail.com](mailto:gsbbcoiste@gmail.com).*



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### **Míolta Gruaige/ Head Lice**

*Táimid ag iarraidh ar ghach teaghlach na cinn a chíoradh arís an deireadh seachtaine seo. D'iarrfaimis oraibh teagmháil a dhéanamh linn os rud é go dtiocfadh tú ar aon rud agus leigheas a thabhairt más gá. Mura bhfuil an ceandúnas sínithe ar Aladdin, d'iarrfaimis oraibh é sin a dhéanamh chomh maith.*

*We would ask that all families check all heads again this weekend for head lice. Please inform the school if there are any found and to treat if necessary. If you have not already completed the permission on Aladdin, please do so after this weekend's check.*

### **Ceardlanna Meabhairsláinte/ Mental Health Workshops**

Beidh rang a 6 múinteoir Cillín ag glacadh páirte i gceardlann meabhairshláinte Dé hAoine na seachtaine seo. Beidh ceardlann eile á reáchtáil an tseachtain seo chugainn do rang a 6 múinteoir Tom. Rachaidh nóta eolais le cuir síos ar ábhar na ceardlainne amach ar Aladdin níos déanaí inniú.

*Múinteoir Cillín's 6th class will be taking part in a Mental Health Workshop this Friday. Múinteoir Tom's workshop will take place next week. An information note will go out to all parents later today via Aladdin which explains the content of the workshop.*

### **Tinreamh/Attendance**

Tuigeanm muid go bhfuil tinreamh na ndaltaí níos isle i mbliana le hais blianta eile toisc cúrsaí Covid. Aithnímid é sin agus tuigimid go bhfuil buairteanna ar chuile dhuine mar gheall air seo. Tuigimid freisin go bhfuil buairt ar dhaoine nuair atá gar do 20 lá nó os a cionn sin cailte ag daoine. Tuigimid mar scoil nach bhfuil aon neart air nuair a chailtear na laethanta seo. Tá litreacha á seoladh amach ach iarraidimid oraibh gan a bheith ag déanamh imní má tá os cionn 20 lá cailte ag do pháiste de bharr tinnis. Aithnímid go maith nach bhfuil aon neart air sin. Iarraidimid ar gach duine a chinntiú go lionann sibh isteach ar Aladdin cúiseanna na n-asláthreachtaí nó scéal a chur chun na scoile. Muna bhfuil cúis curtha ar aladdin/tugtha don scoil, cláraítear é ansin mar "gan chúis".



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We would like to take this opportunity to say that we understand that a huge majority of the students' attendance is reduced this year as a result of Covid. We understand this and we know that you, as parents, are worried about this. We understand that people are also concerned about any possible implications when 20 days are missed. We would like to reassure you that these absences are not a cause of concern and that we understand it. We would ask everyone to remember to fill in the reasons for absences on Aladdin or alternatively let the school know. If there is no reason given it is recorded as unexplained.



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**COVID- 19 Cathain le fanacht sa bhaile ón scoil/COVID-19 When to stay home from school**

Níl cead ag do pháiste teacht ar scoil ar feadh 7 lá sna cásanna thíos:

- Má tá COVID-19 ar do pháiste (PCR nó antigéin dearfach)
- Má tá COVID-19 ar aon duine eile sa theaghlach (páistí 0-12)
- Má tá COVID-19 ar aon duine eile sa theaghlach agus nach bhfuil an booster faighte agat (13+)
- Má tá aon chomharthaí COVID-19 ar do pháiste

Tabhair faoi deara, más rud é go mbeadh coladh thar oíche ag do pháiste le duine agus go bhfaigheann an duine sin toradh dearfach, d'aithneofaí do pháiste mar dhlúth-theagmhálaí theaghlaigh.

*Your child cannot attend school in the following circumstances:*

- *If your child has COVID-19 (Positive PCR or antigen)*
- *If anyone else in the household has COVID-19 (children 0-12years)*
- *If anyone else in the household has COVID-19 and your child is not boosted (13+years)*
- *If your child has any symptoms of COVID-19.*

*Please note that having a sleepover with someone who has tested positive, will result in your child being classed as a household contact.*



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# How to use face coverings: A guide for parents and children 3rd to 6th class



Coronavirus  
COVID-19  
National  
Programme

Children in 3rd to 6th class are required to wear masks in primary school



You should arrive at school with your own face covering



Always clean your hands before and after wearing a face covering

## Check your fit



Make sure mask fabric covering is comfortable for you to wear

Make sure it is easy to fit and covers your nose and mouth

Ensure the face covering fits under your chin

Tighten the loops so it's snug around your face, without gaps

Don't touch or fidget with the face covering while it's on

## You should not



Wear your face covering below the nose

Leave your chin exposed

Wear it loosely with gaps on the sides

Push it under your chin to rest on your nose

## Always follow these steps



Wash your hands before and after handling your face covering

Change your face covering if it is dirty, wet or damaged

Carry unused face coverings in a sealable clean waterproof bag, like a ziplock

Carry a second bag to put used face coverings in

Wash cloth face coverings on the highest temperature for cloth

## Safe removal and disposing of mask



Use the ties or ear loops to take the face coverings off

Do not touch the front when you take it off

Don't forget to clean your hands and keep social distance

Always dispose of single-use masks properly in a bin



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## Coróinvíreas COVID-19



### Cuidiú leis an gcoróinvíreas a chosc



Nigh do  
chuid lámh



Clúdaigh do bhéal má  
bhíonn tú ag casacht nó  
ag sraothartach



Ná leag do lámh  
ar d'aghaidh



Coinnigh  
dromchlaí glan



Ná croith lámha nó  
nach tabhair barróga  
do dhaoine



Fan achar  
sábháilte amach  
ó dhaoine

Scaiptear an víreas trí sraoth agus trí bhraoiníní ó chasacht, mar sin má dhéantar na bearta thuas cuideoidh sé leis an seans go scaiptear é a laghdú.

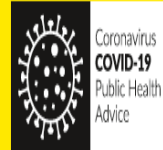
### Tabhair cuairt ar [HSE.ie](https://www.hse.ie)

chun an fhaisnéis agus an chomhairle fhíorasach is déanaí a fháil  
Nó cuir scairt ar 1850 24 1850

Cosaint ar an gcoróinvíreas.  
Is fúinn féin atá sé.



## Coronavirus COVID-19



### Help prevent coronavirus



Wash your  
hands



Cover mouth if  
coughing or sneezing



Avoid touching  
your face



Keep surfaces  
clean



Stop shaking  
hands and hugging



Keep a safe  
distance

The virus spreads in sneeze and cough droplets, so regularly taking the above measures helps reduce the chance of it spreading.

### Visit [HSE.ie](https://www.hse.ie)

For updated factual information and advice  
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