Joonbes Nacional School



Doonbeg,

Co. Clare.

11th September 2018

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

I hope you all had an enjoyable Summer and extend a warm welcome to all the children and their families for the new school year 2018/2019. I would also like to welcome our new staff member Miss. Claire Daly, who is joining us as Special Needs Assistant in the school. We hope that she will enjoy her time here with us.

The staffing schedule for the year is as follows:

- Mr. Neil Crowley Principal 4th, 5th and 6th Class
- Miss Aishling Horgan Deputy Principal 2nd and 3rd Class
- Miss Mary Murphy Mainstream Teacher Junior and Senior Infants and 1st Class
- Mr. Tom Ryan Special Education Teacher
- Miss Aisling Healy Special Needs Assistant
- Miss Claire Daly Special Needs Assistant
- Mrs. Lorraine Meaney Secretary
- Mrs. Maureen Mc Inerney Caretaker

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Please note that the school day commences at 9:20 a.m. and finishes at 3:00 p.m. The school accepts children at 9:10 a.m. each day. However, children are not to be at school before this time.

In the interests of safety, it would be appreciated if due care is taken upon entering and exiting the parking area. With this in mind, children should be accompanied by a Parent/Guardian from the school gate. Children in the infant classes are to be collected from the <u>school foyer</u> each day.

A full school uniform must be worn each day, with the exception of P.E. day. Friday is the only day in which P.E. clothes are to be worn, unless otherwise requested.

The school must also report any absences of 20 days or more to TUSLA (The Child and Family Agency). All absences <u>must</u> be explained by using the absence record notes.

A school diary is available at a cost of €3 and art and craft/photocopying expenses is €25 per child. Pupil insurance for extra-curricular activities is €8 per child.

Looking forward to your continued assistance throughout the coming year.

Yours sincerely,

Neil Crowley – Principal

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