



Friday 12th January 2024

Earlybirds

Earlybird messages were sent out earlier in the week. Please check your messages to see if your child is due to attend earlybirds. Lessons start on Tuesday 16th January at 08.15am. Please ensure they attend at 08.15 PROMPT as any lateness disrupts the lesson enormously. Any children arriving after 8.30am will have to wait with parents until 8.50am and the school gates open.

Afterschool Clubs

Afterschool club letters are going to be sent home with children tonight. Once completed, children are to pass to their teacher who will record them on a first come first served basis. Please return by Tuesday 16th January. Please do not bring them to the office. If you have children in multiple years and you want them to attend clubs on the same day please make sure you factor this in when selecting 1st choices. You will be notified next week what clubs have been allocated for each child. Failure to pick up on time from clubs after 3 occasions will result in them losing their place.

Chester Zoo

Children in Years 2,3,4 and 5 are lucky enough to be going to Chester Zoo on Friday 19th January 2024. The coach will leave promptly at 9.15am and will return to school in time for normal

If your child usually has a school meal please select a sandwich option for them on myevolvehub NO LATER than Friday 12th January 2024.

Packed lunch please ensure that all items are disposable and can be thrown away so nothing goes missing.

SCHOOL UNIFORM AND WARM / WATERPROOF COATS TO BE WORN

Punctuality

We have noticed an increase in the number of children arriving late for school and parents collecting from school. Please can I remind you that the school doors open at 8.50 a.m. until 9.00 a.m. Children and parents/carers arriving after 9.00a.m. should sign in at the school office and would be marked on the register as late. Parents arriving 10minutes late for collection will need to go to the office and sign the late collection book with number of minutes late recorded.

Spring Half Term

Half Term break is Mon 19th Feb to Fri 23rd Feb.

Please note we are closed for teacher training day on **Friday 16th Feb 24.**

School Meals

Reminder to order school meals on Myevolvehub

Please order on a weekly basis to allow the kitchen time to order the correct quantities.

Swimming Year 4



Year 4 children go swimming every Friday.

Please ensure that they bring in their swimming costume, towel and swimming cap (if required) **EVERY FRIDAY.**

No swimming Fri 19th Jan as at Chester Zoo



Art Days

Wed 10th Jan - Year 5 Wed 31st Jan - Year 2

Wed 17th Jan - Year 4 Wed 7th Feb - Year 1

Wed 24th Jan - Year 3 Wed 14th Feb - Year 6

Mass

Reminder that Mass takes place every Saturday at 6.30pm and Sunday at 11am in St Malachy's Church. **All children making their Holy Communion it is important that you attend every week.**

There is a New Years Mass that parents are invited to attend on Wednesday 17th January at 9am.

Whole School Attendance: 94.3%

Key:

School Attendance target is set at 96% or above.

Well done to all classes who have achieved this.

ABOVE school target of 96%

BELOW school target of 96%

Nursery - 85.6%	Reception - 94.0%	Year 1 - 91.3%	Year 2 - 95.9%
Year 3 - 93.5%	Year 4 - 97.4%	Year 5 - 97.4%	Year 6 - 98.4%