



NEWSLETTER

SCOIL NANO NAGLE

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7th September 2023

Message from Ms. Byrne, the new Principal of Scoil Nano Nagle

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome back to Nano Nagle, we are delighted to see so many happy children and families back to school after the summer break. A huge Thank You to all of you who have given me such a warm welcome as I start my journey as Principal of Nano Nagle JNS. The staff here have worked hard to create a happy, positive learning environment for your children. We want every child to feel welcome, cared for and to know that we will help them achieve their potential! By working together (parents, teachers and SNAs), we can make this happen! Thank you for your ongoing support!

Take Care!

Ms Byrne

Pupil Insurance 2023/24 Reminder!

Thank you for those who have insured their child already. If you haven't and would like to there is still time. If you wish to take-out 24hour Insurance (J F Dunne Insurances) at a cost of €5.61 for your child please email nanonagleparentsassociation@gmail.com giving your child's name and class teacher.

The link is live Online under your child's name on Aladdin, this is where you can pay online. This insurance covers any expenses arising from an injury that a child might have whether in or out of school. It includes cover if your child damages teeth or has a serious accident involving loss of limbs. A copy of what is and is not covered will be emailed to you, in due course. **Closing date for payment is Monday October 2nd.**

Early Start & Junior Infant School Times



Early Start

	Morning	Afternoon
Sept. 11-15	9.00 – 11.00	12.10 - 2.00
Sept. 18-24	9.00 – 11.30 a.m. (full day)	12.10 - 2.40 p.m. (full day)

Junior Infants

September onwards	9.00 – 1.40 p.m. (full day)
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School Lunch



We are very fortunate that each child has access to a free healthy snack and lunch everyday. We request that all pupils avail of this so that their will be less items coming into school. Lunch forms have been given to Junior Infant and Early Start pupils as well as new pupils to the school. We request that all pupils avail of the free healthy snack and lunch every day.

If you have cancelled school lunches in previous terms/years and wish to reinstate please email or see Edel Fassnidge for a new lunch form at hsclnanonagle@gmail.com.

Also, please be aware that you may have to notify Glanmore **OR** myself to request and cancel school lunches for your child.

Thank you for your understanding.



Back to School Reminders!

Drop off and Collection

We would like to remind you to please drop your child to his/her yard and to leave as soon as possible. There is no through way to Scoil Talbot from Scoil Nano Nagle.

We really appreciate your co-operation on this matter.

Label Clothes

Uniforms: Please ensure all jackets/jumpers/cardigans and coats and hats are labelled with your child's name to avoid any mix-ups during the year!

Punctuality: 'Start as you mean to go on'- bringing your child to school on time is so important-ensuring your child is lined up with the class outside means they are ready to start on time with their classmates.

Attendance: Please inform the school if you know in advance, that your child won't be in, by text or voice message (**please speak slowly and clearly when leaving a voice message**). Just a reminder that any calls/messages concerning attendance should be directed to the mobile number at the top of the newsletter

☎: 087 1755308 and not the school number.

If there is no answer please leave a message. We thank you for your co-operation.

Early Collections: Please try to organise appointments after school hours if possible. It is important that your child remains at school until the official school day ends as

he/she is missing out on valuable curriculum time and this impinges on their learning and overall success. We would ask for your co-operation in this matter.



Updated Contact Details

Please inform the school of any change of telephone number/address/email by filling out the **yellow** form available from Peggy at reception. This can be done at any stage during the year. It is very important that the school has correct contact details in case we need to contact you.

Illnesses

It is very important that the school be told if your child develops any form of serious illness during the year. This should be done as soon as possible in order to ensure that we can take the necessary steps to safeguard all pupils and staff. If your child is ill, he/she should be kept at home and follow medical advice.

Dogs

Dogs are strictly forbidden on the school grounds for hazardous and safety reasons.

We are informing you that dogs are not allowed inside the main school gate, on the school grounds at any time under any circumstances.

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding on this matter.



Scooters & Electric Bikes



While we endorse and commend walking, cycling and scooting to school daily, please be advised that electric scooters and electric bikes (e-scooters) are **strictly forbidden** on the school grounds at any time, under any circumstances for safety reasons. **If adults and children cycle/travel to school by this means please dismount from your bicycle/scooter inside the main gate.**

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding on this matter.

Disabled Parking Space and Zig-Zag lines

There is a designated disabled parking space outside the school gates. If you do not have a disabled cert, please park in any of the other spaces. Your cooperation on this matter is greatly appreciated by those who need to use the disabled parking space on a regular basis.



Also, parking on the yellow Zig-Zag lines must be avoided at all times.

Message from Ms. Fassnidge, the Home School Community Liaison Coordinator (HSCL)

My name is Edel Fassnidge and I am the Home School Community Liaison Coordinator at Scoil Nano Nagle. I may be contacted at **089 615 8480** or hsclnanonagle@gmail.com during school

hours. You may see me on the Junior infant yard regularly in the mornings and other yards at home times.

I am here as a support to parents/guardians in a private and confidential way. For confidentiality, I recommend that you make an appointment if you wish to have a more private conversation with me. I look forward to getting to know you all throughout the year. The Fortnightly Newsletter and Class Dojo is a great way to stay informed of school news, class news and activities. The newsletter will be emailed to you every other Thursday and there will be a limited number of paper copies available from Reception. It will also be up on the school website every other week.

Scoil Nano Nagle has a very active Parents' Association. You will be kept informed of any events organised by the Parents Association through the newsletter. We are always looking for parents to become more involved in our school. It is a great way for parents to connect with other parents and children love to see parents and neighbours helping out within the school. The staff in Scoil Nano Nagle wish all our pupils and parents a very happy and healthy year ahead.