

# NEWSLETTER

## SCOIL NANO NAGLE

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### School Closure for Mid-Term Break

Please note the school will be closed for the week from **Monday February 17<sup>th</sup> to Friday February 22<sup>nd</sup>** for mid-term break.

There is no half day on Friday February 14<sup>th</sup>. Pupils will go home at their normal time. School will re-open on **Monday February 24<sup>th</sup> at 9.00** a.m.

### Early Start & Junior Infant Enrolments

Anyone who wishes to enrol pupils in Scoil Nano Nagle for the academic year 2020-21 may do so any day from Monday to Friday at **1.00 p.m. to 1.30 p.m.** Please call to Mr. Burke or Ms Mac Mahon

### No application will be excepted without the following:

1. Evidence of PPS no. – it can be found on your child's medical card.
2. Evidence of age: Birth certificate or passport.
3. Recent utility bill as proof of address.

### Scoil Talbot Enrolment

Some 2nd class children have not yet enrolled for 3rd class in Scoil Talbot SNS for the school year 2020-21. A reminder letter has been sent home. Please contact Ms Ní Dhúill in Scoil Talbot.



### Library Visits For Classes and Parents/Guardians

Parents/Guardians are invited to join your child's class in Clondalkin library on the following dates. Your child would love to see you there too! We are very grateful to South Dublin County Council for funding the cost of buses to the library.

#### Early Start: Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February.

10.00 a.m. AM group

1.00 p.m. PM group

#### First Class: Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February.

10.00 a.m. Ms Finn's Class

11.10 a.m. Ms Allman's Class

#### First Class: Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February.

10.00 a.m. Ms Gaffney's Class

11.10 a.m. Mrs. Johnston's Class

Junior and Senior Infants enjoyed their trip to Clondalkin Library on Monastery Road. It was wonderful to see so many parents there. Of course it's not possible for everyone to join us on the day but Clondalkin Library is always there to visit! You could visit the library over the mid-term break as there are lots of activities going on for adults and children. Library information on events and activities and child library application forms will be sent home with your child in the near future.





### Story Time

**Where?** Clondalkin Library

**When?** Every Tuesday

**Time?** 3.30 pm for ages 3-6

All welcome. No booking required.

### Lego Afternoon

**Where?** Clondalkin Library

**When?** Every Monday

**Time?** 3.00 – 4.00 pm for ages 2-12

All welcome. No booking required.



### The Mobile Library is in Bawnogue on Thursdays :

Kilmahuddrick Crescent 3pm-4pm

Melrose Green 4pm-5pm

Bawnogue Road 6pm-7pm (opposite the church)

Cherrywood Crescent 7pm-8pm

Contact: 01 4593315

[www.southdublinlibraries.ie](http://www.southdublinlibraries.ie)

### Educational Websites

Here are some educational websites you may find useful

#### **English**

Abcya educational games

kizphonics.com/letter-sounds-videos

starfall.com (Junior & Senior Infants)

abc.interactive.com

oxfordowl.co.uk

#### **Maths**

primarygames.com

maths-games.org

primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/maths

#### **General Knowledge**

peepandthebigwideworld.com

kids.nationalgeographic.com

activityvillage.co.uk/games

### Places of Interest

During the mid-term break you might like to visit some places of interest with your child. Every year our 2<sup>nd</sup> classes visit IMMA- The Irish Museum of Modern Art in Kilmainham. They always enjoy the experience. If you go don't forget to check out the garden maze. IMMA is a few minutes walk from Heuston Station on the Luas line.

Collins Barracks has many interesting items on display too. This is also on the Luas line.

The Natural History Museum or "Dead Zoo" is always a fascinating place to visit for all ages. It is situated in Merrion Square in Dublin city centre. Next door is the National Gallery with many fantastic original paintings. The building is very impressive too. [nationalgallery.ie](http://nationalgallery.ie)

### All museums and galleries are free.

### Museums are closed on Mondays.

### Classes/Groups for Parents/Guardians

**Sewing: Mondays:** 9.00-11.00 in the Parents' Room in the pre-fabs

**Step and Chat Walking group: Tuesdays:** Meet at Bawnogue Church at 9.20 a.m.

**Computers: Wednesdays:** 9.10- 11.10 in Scoil Talbot computer room

**Knitting: Thursdays: :** 9.00-11.00 in the Parents' Room in the pre-fabs

*We wish all pupils and parents a happy, enjoyable, restful, healthy and safe mid-term break. See you on Monday February 24<sup>th</sup> at 9.00 a.m.*