



NEWSLETTER

SCOIL NANO NAGLE

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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.



Reminders!



Mid-term Break School Closure

Monday 13th - 17th February

Re - Opening Monday 20th February

School Half - Day Closure

Wednesday March 1st

Pupils will go home at **12.00 noon on Wednesday 1st March** for Primary Language Curriculum staff training. Glanmore will provide a light snack for children who avail of Glanmore lunches. For children who do not avail of Glanmore lunches please send in a light healthy snack for your child.

Junior Infant/Early Start 2023-2024

Enrolments

Applications for Junior Infants and Early Start are currently being accepted until **18th February** next. Application forms can be downloaded from the school website www.scoilnanonagle.com under Enrolment section. Hard copies of the forms are available at the school also. Completed forms with required documents are now being accepted at the school. The school's updated Admissions Policy is available at <https://www.scoilnanonagle.com/admission-information-for-parents.html> The Admissions Notice 2023/2024 is now on the website.



Walking Group – Step & Chat

Enjoy a walk, meet new people, stay fit and healthy! The walking group – **Step & Chat** will continue next **Tuesday, 21st of February**, meeting at Bawnogue Church Car Park at **9.20am**. HSCL coordinators from

Scoil Nano Nagle, Scoil Talbot and other local schools will meet-up and walk together when possible.

C.L.O.V.E.R. Project - Junior Infants

Children Learn on Very Early Reading.

Aoife our librarian from the North Clondalkin Library (NLC) is coming into Nano Nagle after-half term to visit the Junior Infant classes on **Wednesday, 22nd February at 9a.m.** Aoife will read a story to each class, talk about the **C.L.O.V.E.R. Project** and the library.

This project is supported and funded by the South Dublin Library. **C.L.O.V.E.R. Project** and we are very grateful to them for their gift of free books to our Junior Infants every year. We hope you will enjoy many happy moments of reading and re-reading these books with your child.

“The greatest gift you can give your child is a love for books”.

Adult Knitting & Sewing Group



The Knitting & Sewing group will take place **Thursday, 23rd February** until further notice, 9.15a.m. to 11.30a.m. in the Parents' Room (Pre-Fabs). No experience required. All welcome. This is a drop-in session.

Attendance

Telephone Number **087 175 5308**

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: **087 175 5308** and not the school number. If there is no answer please leave a message.

We thank you for your co-operation.

Early Collections and Punctuality

Thank you for observing good school attendance when your child is well and healthy, as per HSE guidance.

‘**Every School Day Counts**’ in the learning journey of children. Likewise, every minute of every day counts. Consequently, we are re-emphasising the importance of punctuality in the mornings and the avoidance of unnecessary early collections throughout the day. Obviously, there will be exceptions when children have scheduled appointments. Otherwise, if children are consistently late/collected early, the accumulated loss of learning time is significant and impacts on their learning.

We appreciate your support with this and thank you for your co-operation as always.



Updated Contact Details

Please make Peggy (secretary) aware of any change of telephone number/address/email by filling out the **yellow** form available at reception. This can be done at any stage during the year. It is very important that the school has correct contact details.

School Website

Please check the school website regularly for recent updates and school information.

www.scoilnanonagle.com