

# NEWSLETTER

## SCOIL NANO NAGLE

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13th October 2021

### School Closure Mid-Term Break

The school will be closed for Mid-term  
Hallowe'en holidays

### School Closed from Monday 25<sup>th</sup>- 29<sup>th</sup> October

### Re- opening Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November



*Halloween Dress Up*

*Friday 22nd October.*

*Each year we normally hold our Witches & Wizards Walk in October. Due to the current school restrictions, we will be unable to go ahead with the fundraiser this year. This is a real pity as we know the children enjoy it and the school usually raise much needed funds.*

*However, for the sake of the children, they will be allowed to come to school dressed up in their costumes. Costumes should be sensible and no accessories are allowed. Home-made outfits are best and families should feel no pressure to spend money on expensive costumes. We will take lots of photographs on the day and will post them to Class Dojo for parents to see.*

*As the school will not be fundraising this time around, we ask that families make a special effort to complete their book payments over the next few weeks.*



### Book Payments

Thank you all those who have paid book bills so promptly on line. There is a grant available for anyone who needs it. If you have a particular difficulty you can pay in instalments.

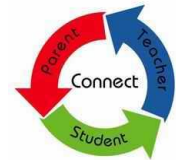
You may contact Ms Fassnidge at [hsclnanonagle@gmail.com](mailto:hsclnanonagle@gmail.com). No child can be given books until arrangements are made with the school.

### Calendar Photographs



Class Calendar Photographs will take place on **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October** in the hall. Please make sure your child comes to school wearing their full school uniform.

### Home School Support



If you are concerned about a family situation that may be affecting your child please let us know. There is help available in our school and we can let you know of services that are available in the community.

The Home School Community Liaison Co-ordinator (HSCL), Ms Fassnidge is here to support you in a private and confidential way, during school hours.

**089 4126918** or at [hsclnanonagle@gmail.com](mailto:hsclnanonagle@gmail.com) during school hours.



### Healthy Eating Policy

In line with Scoil Nano Nagle's healthy eating policy we request that crisps, bars, biscuits etc. are not sent in to school. Please be mindful of the fact that some pupils have a severe allergy to nuts and nut products by not sending in food which "may contain nut traces". Milk and water are the only drinks options that are encouraged due to the very high sugar content in fruit juices. Glanmore Foods offer a variety of healthy lunches from an extensive menu of nourishing foods to all pupils.

## Junior Infant Vaccination Forms

If you haven't already done so, please return the **Junior Infant Vaccination Form** to class teacher as soon as possible.

### Drop off and Collections

A huge thank you for your co-operation in dropping your child off in the school yard in the mornings and then leaving as soon as possible. This ensures the health and safety of all our pupils, other parents, school staff and the wider community during this Covid 19 pandemic. It is important that we all continue to follow the guidelines and stay 2 metres apart. Wearing masks helps to stop the spread of the virus. We ask that you dispose of your mask responsibly.

### Reminders!



**Punctuality:** 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 your child won't be in. Any calls and text messages **concerning attendance** should be directed to the mobile number at the top of the newsletter ☎: **087 1755308** and **NOT** the school number or email address. If there is no answer please leave a message leaving child's full name and a brief reason for absence. Suzanne listens to and reads messages but is unable to reply. We thank you for your co-operation.

**Early Collections:** Please try to organise appointments **after** school hours if possible. We would ask for your co-operation in this matter. If your child needs to be collected early please go to the main door at reception and ring the bell. Your child will be collected from the classroom by a member of staff and brought to you. Thank you for respecting our request not to collect your child during the times of **1.20- 1.40 p.m. and 2.20-2.40 p.m.**



### Change of school email address

To contact the principal please use [principal@scoilnanonagle.com](mailto:principal@scoilnanonagle.com)

The previous email address which was [nanonagleinfo2@gmail.com](mailto:nanonagleinfo2@gmail.com) will also still be in use for a little longer.

### Illnesses

Please inform the school by text 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 or presenting with Covid19 symptoms, he/she should be kept at home and follow GP medical advice.



### Healthy Food Made Easy!

6 week ONLINE HSE programme designed to help people develop skills, knowledge and confidence to eat well and improve their eating. **FREE!!** Where: **ZOOM:** Lucan Library, Parent and Teens (over 12) course, Wed 20<sup>th</sup> Oct from 5pm-6.45pm Tel:01. 6216422.

Where: **ZOOM:** Clondalkin Library: Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> 10am – 11.45am Tel: 01. 4593315.

Where: **ZOOM:** North Clondalkin Library: HFME Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> from 10am – 11.45am Tel: 01.4149269

### Parking of cars at drop off and collection times.

We understand that the main road outside the school gates can be very busy at drop off and collection times. Please be mindful of home owners in the area by not blocking driveways and gates.



### Updated Contact Details

It is very important that the school has correct contact details. Please contact the school if you have changed number, email or home address.

**In case of emergency it is extremely important that the school has your correct details.**

