



ST COLMCILLE'S NURSERY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER www.stcolmcillesnurseryschool.com Christmas Newsletter December 2022

CURRICULUM: - OUR THEMES FOR THIS MONTH ARE Christmas and the Birth of baby Jesus Colours -gold and silver

Christmas holidays are from 23rd December to 8th January The school re-opens for pupils on Monday 9th January 2023.



The children will be having their Christmas Dinner in school on Thursday 8th December. School uniform is to be worn as usual.

The children will finish early on this day

Going home between 12.30pm to 12.40pm

Christmas Celebrations



The children will be dressing up and singing Christmas songs. This will be put on our school website, so remember to look out for it. We will decorate our Parents Room and make it into a very exciting Christmas/Winter Wonderland! Each child will be given a lovely Christmas Present to take home, as we do every year.

22nd December



Christmas jumper/own clothes and Party day - children finish at 10.30am

Charity Donations



Thank you to all who supported our Children in Need Non-Uniform Day. A total $\pounds 63.50$ was raised for this charitable cause. The Cash for Clobber collection raised $\pounds 120$. Thank you to all who donated.

*Each year the staff ask the parents not to bring Christmas gifts to them but instead to give a small donation to charity - the Macmillan Cancer Fund for Children. An envelope and information has been be sent home,

Parental Involvement

Thank you to Andrea Mc Menamin, mum of Kaliyah who made us a lovely Halloween balloon selfie ring for our Halloween party.

September 2023 Enrolment

We are holding two Open Mornings on 05-01-23 and 06-01-23 for those who wish to apply for a place in September 2023. Prospective parents are also asked to look at our website especially the section on A Day in the Life of St Colmcille's Nursery School and to read the section on Applying for Nursery School. This gives information about the online process for September 2023 enrolment.

*Don't forget that this is also the time for you to enrol your child in a primary school for Sept 2023. Look out for the local schools Open Days.

Getting Ready to Learn

Next term all the children will be getting a pack home, which has been funded by The Getting Ready to Learn initiative. We will be also sending home smaller packs each month working through the themes of Big Bedtime Read, Happy Healthy Kids and Education Works in Preschool, for you and your child to work on together at home.

Happy Birthday to our December Birthdays

Cormac 7 th	, Georgia Mc L 8 th	, Michael Mc C	14 th
Kaiden 14 th	Georgia C 17 th	Freya D 23 rd	

Reminder

- Please return any school sweatshirts/shoes/clothing you might have at home. We have no pants/trousers or leggings left in school.
- Due to banking, please ensure all monies for snacks/dinner are paid on Mondays.
- Please make sure that you send your child to school wearing trainers with Velcro fastening - no laces. Thank you.
- If your child has a temperature or is feeling unwell please do not send him/her to school.
- We are running very short of tissues. Please send in a box to help with those runny noses.

The staff of St Colmcille's Nursery School wish you all a safe, happy, holy and peaceful Christmas.

