

# TOREAGH PRIMARY SCHOOL

## **Child Protection/Safeguarding Team**

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Our first week of school meals has seen a great turnout! Thank you for your support. Our favourites so far are pizza and burger.



Our football team took part in the local Larne Tournament on Thursday, playing 6 matches. All of the boys gave 100% and I was very proud of their attitude and effort. Well done! Thank you to the parents who helped with transport and gave encouragement.

### **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April**

After School Circuits last day.

### **Multi Sports**

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> April, 12<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> May.

### **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April**

After School Board Games last day.

### **After school Club MAX CODING**

Wednesday 13 May, 27 May, 17 June and 24 June.

P1-3 2pm -3pm

P4 -7 3pm – 4pm

### **Hockey Practice (girls and boys)**

P5, P6 & P7

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April. 7<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> May 3.00pm – 4.00pm

Children should bring tracksuit bottoms and trainers. You must have shin guards and a gum shield. A coat will be necessary, as all sessions will take place outside. We hope to attend the local girls' tournament on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May. The girls going have been given a note today.

For those children attending hockey, there will be 4 further weeks of coaching organised by Ulster Hockey starting on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May. Please note, no member of staff will be in attendance. We will however be in school during this time.

### **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May – Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2026 (inclusive)**

Bank Holiday & Staff Development Days, no children to attend.

### **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

P1- P4 Aspire Peaceplus Project (Shared Education)

**We will need some parents to help us on this trip. Please let Mrs Wilson know if you would be available.** As part of our Aspire Peaceplus Project, P1 - P4 will be visiting St John's Primary School, Carnlough. Children will leave Toreagh at 9.10am and depart from St John's at 1.00pm. Transport will be provided by Travel Time Coaches Ltd .

Children, including those who receive a free school meal, will be required to bring a packed lunch on this day. Lunches, should be brought in a named, disposable bag. Please do not send in a lunchbox. No glass bottles or fizzy drinks. A named water bottle can be brought as usual. Girls may also wear suitable trousers/leggings on this day to help keep warm and facilitate play.

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

P1- P4 Aspire Peaceplus Project (Shared Education)  
Children from St John's Primary School will be visiting Toreagh.

**Thursday 21st May 2026**

P1- P4 Aspire Peaceplus Project (Shared Education)  
Children from St John's Primary School in Carnlough will be visiting Toreagh.

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

Bank Holiday & Staff Development Day, no children to attend.

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2026**

Open morning 9.30 – 10.30am for P1 Intake September 2026.

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2026**

Sports Day – Larne Leisure Centre, details to follow.




**Friends of Toreagh**

Friends of Toreagh will be meeting on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2026 2.00 – 3.00pm. Everyone is welcome to come along and get involved. Please see details below of Spring Planter Workshop.

C L Morrow  
Principal

24.04.2026

# SPRING PLANTER WORKSHOP

 *Pick a hanging basket/planter and arrange it with your choice of beautiful spring and summer blooms.*

**THURS 21ST MAY**

**@ Toreagh Primary School, 8pm**

**Refreshments provided. Spaces Limited. £30 per person. Contact 07966086747 to secure your spot.**



**ANTRIM OFFICE**



**EA Music is delighted to offer your primary school child the opportunity to learn a musical instrument from September 2026.**

If you would like your child to be considered for instrumental tuition with an EA Music tutor please scan the QR code to access the form.

Please note: spaces are limited and will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis, in order of application date and time. To ensure each child has the best opportunity to fulfil their potential, tutors will assess suitability for specific instruments, with allocation made on tutor recommendation only.

**YOU CAN REGISTER YOUR INTEREST FROM  
9am on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April**

Register via online form at <https://tinyurl.com/EAAntrimtuition>  
OR BY USING THE QR CODE

**REGISTER YOUR INTEREST  
HERE**

-  Places may be limited so register early.
-  Instruments will be allocated subject to availability.
-  Completion of this Expression of Interest Form does not guarantee selection.



If you do not have online access  
please telephone 02864 482212 to register



**For more information and regional contact information:**  
<https://musicservice.eani.org.uk/about-us/find-your-local-music-centre>



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April 2026

Dear Parent/Carer

**RE: Common Entrance Assessments by the Schools' Entrance Assessment Group**

The Board of Governors of Ballyclare High School plans to use the Schools' Entrance Assessment Group tests next year as part of the admissions criteria for entry to Ballyclare High School for the academic year beginning September 2027.

Registration for the tests opened on 18<sup>th</sup> May 2026 and closes on 18<sup>th</sup> September 2026. Application forms can be completed online via SEAG website ([www.seagni.co.uk](http://www.seagni.co.uk)).

There are two stages to this process:

Stage 1: You (as a parent/carer of your child) register yourself on the SEAG website.

Stage 2: Having completed a Parent/Carer Registration for yourself you will then be able to make a Pupil Application, on the website, to register your child to sit the Entrance Assessment.

We will accommodate 300 pupils to sit the tests at Ballyclare High School on 14<sup>th</sup> November and 21<sup>st</sup> November. There will also be an optional Familiarisation Day on 7<sup>th</sup> November 2026 to allow your child to visit the school before the actual assessment Saturdays and avail of some guidance regarding logistics etc in advance of the 'real' thing. Places at this centre will be allocated on a first come first served basis as part of the online registration process.

The School will also hold an information event for P6 parents/carers on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2026 from 6.30 – 7.00pm. There will be a short power-point presentation and senior staff will be on hand to answer any specific questions you may have. I look forward to the opportunity of seeing you at that.

- 18<sup>th</sup> May 2026 Registration opens
- 18<sup>th</sup> Sept 2026 Registration closes
- 7<sup>th</sup> Nov 2026 Familiarisation Day
- 14<sup>th</sup> Nov 2026 1st Assessment
- 21<sup>st</sup> Nov 2026 2nd Assessment
- Jan 2027 Results

Yours sincerely

Dr M Rainey  
Principal



Principal: Dr Michele M Rainey BSc (Hons) PhD PGCE PQH (NI)