



A thuistí / Parents,

Seo thíos eolas tábhachtach don bhliain úr, léigh go cúramach é agus gabh i dteagmháil linn má tá ceist ar bith agaibh nó má tá eolas nó comhairle eile de dhíth.

Please see information below regarding the new school year, please read it carefully and don't hesitate to contact us if you have any further questions or need any more information.

I hope you find this helpful. We are really looking forward to welcoming all the children back to school and I hope that you have all had an enjoyable and restful summer so far.

Claire Donnelly  
(Príomhoide / Principal)

### 1. Ag toiseacht ar ais / starting back dates

- Thurs 26<sup>th</sup> & Fri 27<sup>th</sup> half day for Rang 2-Rang 7  
(\*Naíscóil and Rang 1 have their own settling in timetable)
- Monday 30<sup>th</sup> school closed for bank holiday
- Tuesday 31<sup>th</sup> full day.
- Teachers will greet child from 8.50am to 9am. If you are late please ring the office and wait at the drop off point until a teacher is available to greet your child
- Rang 3 - Rang 7 will finish at 3pm Monday-Thursday and 2pm on Friday.  
\*note no longer closing at 2pm Wednesday
- Rang 1 and 2 finish at 2pm everyday (note Rang 1 settling in period)
- School calendar for the remainder of the year can be found at <https://www.scoilandroichid.com/tuismitheoir/holiday-list/>
- amendment to school calendar >  
School will be closed Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021  
School will be open Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2022

### 2. Dinnéir agus bainne / school dinner and milk

- School dinners will start from 1<sup>st</sup> September; therefore, all pupils will need a packed lunch on Tues 31<sup>st</sup> Aug
- For those who pay for school meals the cost is £2.60 per meal (£2.50 for naíscóil)
- Please register with Parent Pay App to pay for school dinners, contact Sinéad in the office if you need registration details.

### 3. Cumann bricfeasta agus cumann bearna / Breakfast club and Gap Club

- Breakfast club will start from Monday 6<sup>th</sup> Sept and costs £1/day. Opens at 8am.
- Gap club will start in October; an update will be sent about this at a later date.
- Contact the school office to register your child for Breakfast and/or Gap.

### 4. Imeachtaí larscoile / Afterschool activities

- New after school activities will be planned for early in the first term and there will be an after-school timetable in place as soon as possible.
- thank you to those who responded to the parent questionnaire and shared their ideas for after school activities!

## 5. Scoil Úr / New School

- The school is excited to be moving towards appointing a construction company and begin the build of the new school at the former Ulidia site. School management sit on a monthly planning board with the Education Authority and we hope to have more detailed updates for the school community in Term 1.

## 6. Teagmháil / Contact

- please ensure that the school office has your most recent contact information including phone number, address and e-mail address.
- Please make sure that you are registered with your child's Seesaw account to access information and communicate with the class teacher.
- Senior Management can be contacted through the school office or on [info@scoilandroichid.com](mailto:info@scoilandroichid.com), please don't hesitate to contact us, the door is always open!

## 7. Leigheas / Medication

- If your child needs to have an inhaler, epi pen or any other medication at school please check that the medication currently held in school is in date and that you have signed a medical form stating dose given etc.
- Contact Sinéad in the office if you need to sign a medical form for your child.

## 8. Srianata Covid / Covid Restrictions

- Until we receive updated guidance from DE the measures which were in place in school before the summer will remain in place.
- Classes will operate in bubbles with split break and lunch times.
- Parents and visitors are asked not to come into the school office without an appointment, please phone beforehand on 02890313283.
- Parents are asked to use the ParentPay and Seesaw Apps to remain in contact with staff but to reduce footfall on site.
- Please do not send your child to school if they are showing any Covid symptoms.
- Please let the school know as soon as possible if you're child shows symptoms, returns a positive test or if they are considered as a close contact of a positive case at any time.
- Pupils are asked to use the following routes to enter and exit their classrooms as shown on the map below...

