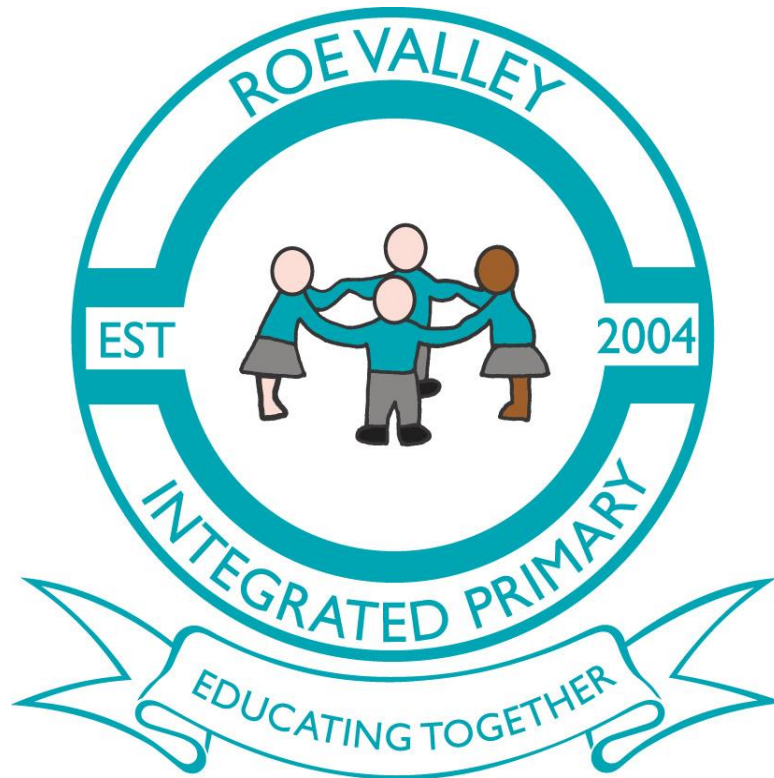


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**ANNUAL REPORT
and
SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS
of the
Board of Governors of
Roe Valley Integrated Primary School**

September 2019 - August 2020



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Dear Parents/Guardians,

On behalf of the Board of Governors I am proud to present to you our school's annual general report for the academic year 2019/2020.

I would like to extend my appreciation to our Principal Julie McDonagh and Vice-Principal Joanne O'Donnell for the excellent leadership they continue to provide to our school.

Our teachers and staff, from the front office, to the classrooms and into the specialist areas have all contributed to the creation of a caring, stable and stimulating environment in which our children continue to grow and develop. We are very fortunate to have such a dedicated and talented staff to educate and care for our children and I would like to thank each of them, on behalf of the Board of Governors, for their unreserved commitment.

I would also like to thank each member of the school's Board of Governors for the support and commitment they continue to give to the school by utilising their valuable time to ensure that our school goes from strength to strength.

Empowering our children to achieve their true potential is both the responsibility of the school and you the parent/guardian. We value your support and welcome your views and ideas on how best to develop our school.

I wish to conclude by thanking each of you for the support you have given to our school throughout the year and look forward to another successful year in 2020/2021.

I commend this report to you.

Yours sincerely

Ryan Brolly
Chairman, Board of Governors
Roe Valley Integrated Primary School



STAFF

Principal

Mrs Julie McDonagh

Teachers

Mrs Joanne O'Donnell, Vice Principal, Mathematics & Key Stage 2 Co-ordinator

Mrs Claire Boyd, SENCO

Miss Victoria McGinnis (Maternity Cover)

Mrs Jennifer Radcliffe

Miss Chloe McKinney (Maternity Cover)

Mrs Rhonda Ash, Music Co-ordinator

Mrs Jennifer McConway, Literacy Co-ordinator

Mrs Claire Miller

Mrs Laura Coulter

Mrs Leah Kerlin (Maternity Cover)

Miss Jayne Holmes, ICT Co-ordinator

Miss Katie Jamieson (Maternity Cover)

Classroom Assistants

Mrs Siobhan Hartop

Miss Tracey Steele

Mrs Kirsty McGurk

Ms Rhonda Kennedy

Mrs Bronagh Blair

Mrs Theresa Kelly

Miss Laura Parke

Mr Kristofor Mayell

Miss Shauna Wilson

Miss Jenni Reed

Miss Clare Moore

Support Staff

Mrs Lisa Campbell, Office Administration

Mrs Tryphiena Martin, Office Administration

Miss Linda Toner, Catering assistant & cleaner

Miss Julie Gibson, Lunchtime supervisor & cleaner

Mrs Samantha McMillan, Lunchtime supervisor & cleaner

Mrs Maretta Moran, Lunchtime supervisor

Miss Sharleen McDermott, Lunchtime supervisor

Mr Roy McMillan, Caretaker



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Highlights: Autumn Term **August/September 2019**

South Antrim Alarms review inconsistencies re school alarm and plan for remedial works to be carried out

Fire Safe Fire Protection Services carry out inspection of the school site

Mrs J McDonagh oversees the summer maintenance programme

Tuesday 27th August 2019 Staff Training Programme commences

Pauline Pinkerton, Visual Impairment Teacher carries out staff training

Annual PAT Testing takes place over 2 days

Stephen Marley from Capita reviews wireless internet at office area and advises on technical issues around the school

School Development Programme takes places including Safeguarding and Child Protection training takes place for all staff

31 Primary 1's begin school on Friday 30th August 2019

Primary 2 – Primary 7 pupils commence on Monday 2nd September 2019 with 8 new pupils enrolling (7 from the closure of Bellarena PS and 1 from Drumachose PS) and 2 pupils have moved to Liverpool and Ballykelly

Introduction of our new Sign In / Out system at reception & continuation of the development of the new school App through E-Printing

Transfer Homework Club commences for Primary 7

Jo McMichael, Diabetes Nurse meets with Mrs J McDonagh, Mrs J O'Donnell, Miss J Reed & Mrs B Blair

Mrs J McDonagh carries out a return to work interview with staff member

Alex McCubbin, Music Tutor from the Education Authority meets with Mrs J McDonagh and commences strings tuition with pupils from Primary 5 – Primary 7

Edwin Brown, from the Education Authority Musical Pathways meets with Mrs J McDonagh and commences with Primary 1 to Primary 4

Christina McGarvey from Bonjour Amigos commences Spanish lessons with all classes



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Mrs J O'Donnell attends Core Group Meeting at Limavady Health Centre

MAST Meeting takes place re a Primary 5 pupil

Baseline Assessments commence with Mrs C Boyd for Primary 1 children and parents

Shannon McGregor, a PGCE student from Queen's University, Belfast commences a 2-week placement observation

Skill School NI commence curriculum time PE sessions

Mrs J McDonagh attends Review Case Planning Meeting

Primary 7 School Safety Officers supported one-way collection system at 2pm & 3pm

Blaithin Hyndman, Assistant Educational Psychologist carries out assessments of 3 Primary 5 children

Ken Reay, photographer takes Primary 1 photograph for the local newspapers

Orla Dixon from Skill School Dance NI carries out dance taster sessions for all pupils

Swimming Programme commences for Primary 5 children

Parent & Toddler Group commences

MAST Meeting takes place re a Primary 7 pupil

Graham Cochrane, Class Consultancy in to work on school's accounts with J.McDonagh

Whole School Safeguarding Assembly takes place

Mrs J O'Donnell meets with the School Council

Pauline Pinkerton, Visual Impairment Teacher meets with 2 new QVTIs

Edwin Brown from the Education Authority continues Musical Pathways for Primary 1 to Primary 4

Baseline Assessments continue with Mrs C Boyd for Primary 1 children and parents

Paired Reading Programme launched by Mrs J McConway/Mrs J McDonagh for Primary 4 pupils/parents

Mrs J O'Donnell attends Family Support Case Planning Meeting



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Strings tuition continues with Mr Alex McCubbin, Music Tutor from the Education Authority

Mrs J O'Donnell/Miss J Holmes attends initial Shared Education Meeting at North West Teachers' Centre

Skill School Dance commence After School Club for Primary 2 – Primary 7 pupils

Kickstart Coaching commence After School football coaching for Primary 3 – Primary 7 pupils

Christina McGarvey from Bonjour Amigos continues Spanish lessons with all classes

Brian Fennel from the Middletown Centre for Autism meets with Mrs J McDonagh/Mrs J O'Donnell

Skills School NI commence After School Clubs for Primary 2 – Primary 7

Margaret Logan, School Counsellor meets with Mrs J McDonagh

Ryan George, Plumber carries out remedial repairs in the Primary 6 classroom following a water leak

Blaithin Hyndman meets with parents of Primary 5 children who will receive Literacy Support

New QVTI teachers commence 3-week placement covering Pauline Pinkerton

Primary 1 children stay in until 2pm

Mrs C Boyd & Mrs J Radcliffe attend Play Base Learning Training at St Matthew's Primary School, Drumsumn

Fred Corscadden, from Orienteering NI facilitates an orienteering session for Primary 6 pupils

Celine Ryan, Social Worker works with a Primary 7 pupil

KDM Hire deliver storage container

Mrs J McDonagh meets with all classroom assistants regarding hours and annualised pay calculation

Mrs J Guthrie from St. Mary's, Limavady visits Primary 7 with Enrolment Evening information

Student from North West Regional College commences work placement



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All classes celebrate European Language Day

School admin staff attend SIMS Census training course at North West Teachers' Centre

Diane Hibbert, School Nurse meets with Mrs J O'Donnell/Mrs McDonagh to review Care Plan for a Primary 7 pupil

Rosemary Devine from EA ASD Services works with a Primary 5 pupil

Primary 7 commence a 4-week Hockey programme at Limavady Grammar School

School admin staff attend SIMS Census training course at North West Teachers' Centre

School Development Day, children did not attend school

Coastal Core Ltd carry out First Aid Training for Teachers, Classroom Assistants and Lunchtime Staff

South Antrim Alarms carry out annual review of alarm and fire system

Leah Gilfillan, Stranmillis Student commences work placement

October 2019

A parent of a Primary 2 child visits the class to bath Baby Penny as part of their topic work

Gaelic Coaching commences for Primary 4, Primary 6 & Primary 7

Amy Doherty from "Take Me to the Stage" commences use of the school hall

The Dry Arch Centre facilitate a Grow Programme for Primary 3

RVIPS host Shared Education Meeting with St Colmcille's Primary School & Limavady Central Primary School

Brian Fennel from the Middletown Centre for Autism works with a Primary 7 pupil

Mrs J O'Donnell holds AQE Transfer meetings with Primary 7 parents

IFA Football League commences at the Scroggy Road Playing Fields

Mrs J O'Donnell and Mrs J McConway attend training at North West Teachers' Centre – High Quality Teaching & Learning



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Student from Limavady Grammar School commences work placement in Primary 7

Judith Sommerville, Occupational Therapist carries out assessment for a Primary 5 pupil

Student from Limavady High School commences work placement in Primary 1

A very successful Macmillan Cancer Coffee Morning is held

Primary 6 attend an Orienteering Event with local primary schools at Limavady Grammar School

Jennifer McNeill, Child Evangelism Fellowship of Ireland participates in School Assembly

Mrs L Coulter & Mrs C Miller attend training at North West Teachers' Centre – Understanding and Supporting Social, Behavioural, Emotional & Wellbeing (SBEW) in Primary Schools

Ms L Parke attends a course at Ulster University – Supporting Pupils with Visual Impairment

Primary 7 children visit RADAR, Belfast

All classes participate in Active Numeracy Day

Brian Fennel from the Middletown Centre for Autism works with a Primary 7 pupil

QVTI teachers work with a Primary 5 pupil

Edwin Brown from the Education Authority continues Musical Pathways for Primary 1 to Primary 4

Gaelic Coaching continues for Primary 4, Primary 6 & Primary 7

Blaithin Hyndman from the Reading Centre provides Literacy Support with children from Primary 5 & Primary 6

4 students from St Mary's, Limavady commence work placement

Primary 3 continue with The Grow Programme facilitated by The Dry Arch Centre

Rosemary Devine from EA ASD Services works with a Primary 5 pupil

Strings tuition continues with Mr Alex McCubbin, Music Tutor from the Education Authority

Mrs J McDonagh, Mr R Brolly & Miss G McIvor meet with Brenda Chivers & Caoimhe Archibald regarding the new school build



Shared Education - Shared Future

Primary 5 swimming programme continues

IFA Football League continues at the Scroggy Road Playing Fields

Project Board meeting (22) takes place

All classes participate in activities for World Mental Health Day

Christina McGarvey from Bonjour Amigos continues Spanish lessons with all classes

Ronan O'Donnell from the Irish Football Association continues PE skills with Primary 4, Primary 6 & Primary 7 pupils

Mrs C Miller facilitates the Christmas Shoebox Appeal Assembly – Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child

Skill School NI continue with PE sessions

Stephen Clarke, Clinical Psychologist with CAMHS (Child & Adolescent Mental Health Services) observes a Primary 7 pupil

Classroom Assistant meeting takes place

Mrs C Boyd attends a 2-day Shared Education Training, 'Sharing Through Play'

Shared Education Day 1 takes place for Primary 6 at Roe Valley Leisure Centre

Celine Ryan, Social Worker works with a Primary 7 pupil

Primary 7 attend a Hockey Programme at Limavady Grammar School

Harvest Assembly Practice takes place at Christ Church for Primary 4, Primary 5 & the school choir

Parents & Friends of RVIPS meet

Mrs J McDonagh holds meetings with parents regarding their child's attendance

Our wonderful Harvest Celebration takes place at Christ Church, Limavady

Fruit baskets were presented to the elderly and local community groups

Ken Reay, School Photographer visits

Primary 7 attend a Hockey Blitz at Limavady Grammar School along with other local primary schools



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LCDI in conjunction with Stendhal & The Community Arts Team carry out Halloween Lantern workshops for all classes

Emma Lougheed, Guide Dogs UK works with a Primary 5 pupil

Bairbre Ni Churraín, Educational Psychologist meets with Mrs C Boyd

Mrs J McDonagh meets with Mr R Totten, Governor

Lorna Kearney, EWO meets with Mrs J McDonagh

Primary 7 parent meets with Mrs J McDonagh

Primary 7 Confirmation children attend their Service of Light at St Mary's Chapel

Krystle Thompson, Cedar Foundation commences Art Therapy Programme with Primary 7 pupil

Parent Teacher meetings take place between 2pm and 9pm

Margaret Logan, School Counsellor visits

Halloween fancy dress parties, activities and discos takes place

School closes for mid-term break on Friday 25th October 2019 and re-opens on Monday 4th November 2019

November 2019

Mrs J McDonagh commences maternity leave and Mrs J O'Donnell assumes role of Acting Principal

Ms L McGrenaghan commences as Primary 7 teacher on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays with Mrs C Miller continuing in Primary 7 on Thursdays and Fridays

Primary 6 sell Poppies and other Royal British Legion merchandise in aid of The Poppy Appeal

Shared Education Day 2 takes place for Primary 6

Seesaw Workshop launched by Miss J Holmes for Primary 1 to Primary 4 parents

Educational Psychologist, Barbare Ni Curran observes Primary 7 pupil



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Mrs C Boyd hosts Shared Education Play Cluster meeting

Bairbre Ni Churraín, Educational Psychologist meets with parents of a Primary 5 child

On Remembrance Sunday, Mrs J O'Donnell, Mrs C Harkin and two pupils place a Poppy Wreath at the War Memorial during the service at Limavady Services Club on behalf of RVIPS. Also 2 RVIPS Primary 7 pupils lead readings at the service.

Anti-Bullying Week takes place

Graham Cochrane from Class Consultancy works on the school's accounts

Primary 6 lead a Remembrance Assembly for pupils, staff and parents

Christmas Shoe Boxes collected by the Samaritan's Purse

Primary 3's last session of The Grow Programme facilitated by The Dry Arch Centre takes place

Brian Fennel from the Middletown Centre for Autism continues work with a Primary 7 pupil

QVTI teachers work with a Primary 5 pupil

Edwin Brown from the Education Authority continues Musical Pathways for Primary 1 to Primary 4

Gaelic Coaching continues for Primary 4, Primary 6 & Primary 7

Shared Education Day 2 takes place for Primary 6

School Library Van visits

Strings tuition continues with Mr Alex McCubbin, Music Tutor from the Education Authority

Nancy Hegarty, Lloyds Bank talks to Primary 3 regarding 'Money Matters'

Primary 5 swimming programme continues

Parent and Toddler Group continues every Thursday morning

Ronan O'Donnell from the Irish Football Association continues PE skills with Primary 4, Primary 6 & Primary 7 pupils

Two PE students from Limavady Grammar School talk to Primary 5 regarding the forthcoming LGS Christmas Games Event



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Annual Christmas Craft Fair takes place and visit from Santa

Jennifer McNeill, Child Evangelism Fellowship of Ireland participates in School Assembly

Primary 6 attend an Orienteering Event with local primary schools at the Blackburn Path, Limavady

Skill School NI continue with PE sessions

Student from Limavady High School commences 1-week work placement

Student from North West Regional College commences work experience for 3 days

Anti-Bullying Week - Internet Safety Workshops facilitated by Konflux Theatre take place for Primary 4 to Primary 7

Active ICT Day takes place

Shared Education Day 3 takes place for Primary 6 at The Diamond Centre, Claudy

Primary 3 & Primary 4 visit Roe Valley Arts & Cultural Centre to see Gnome & Juliet as part of the INTO Film Festival

Primary 2 pupils visit Marshall Howe Greengrocer & Florist, Limavady

Primary 4 First Holy Communion children attend their Service of Light at St Mary's Chapel

Primary 6 visit the NI War Memorial, Belfast

Bairbre Ni Churraín, Educational Psychologist carries out Primary 7 reviews

Christina McGarvey from Bonjour Amigos continues Spanish lessons with all classes

Non-uniform day in aid of the Salvation Army & St Vincent de Paul branches in Limavady

Margaret Logan, School Counsellor visits

Darryl McCready from DMC ICT carries out remedial repairs to school computers and whiteboards

Mrs J O'Donnell attends Child Protection Meeting at Limavady Health Centre

Shared Education Day 4 takes place for Primary 6

Primary 7 pupils visit Limavady Grammar School to see their production, 'Grease'



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Open Evening takes place for prospective parents

December 2019

Student from North West Regional College commences 1-week work placement

Mrs Katrina Crilly from Oakgrove Integrated College talks to Primary 6 & Primary 7

Celine Ryan, Social Worker works with a Primary 7 pupil

Welfare Meeting takes place with Mrs J O'Donnell & Mrs C Boyd

Student from St Mary's, Limavady commences 3-day work placement

Flu Vaccination Programme takes place

Mrs J O'Donnell attends Core Group meeting at Limavady Health Centre

RVIPS Football Team participate in a tournament with other local primary schools at Campsie Indoor Football

Mrs L Coulter & Mrs J McConway attend a training course – 'Dyslexia Strategies' at North West Teachers' Centre

Jennifer McNeill, Child Evangelism Fellowship of Ireland participates in School Assembly

Margaret Logan, School Counsellor visits

Primary 1 to Primary 3 perform their fantastic Christmas Nativity Play, 'The Midwives' Crisis' over two days

Primary 6 & Primary 7 pupils visit Limavady High School to see their production, 'Oliver'

Primary 5 pupils visit Limavady Grammar School to participate in a 'Christmas Games Event' with other local primary schools

Mrs J O'Donnell attends an Initial Case Planning meeting at Rosstown House, L'Derry

Sarah McConnell from RISE NI carries out an observation of a Primary 4 pupil

Christmas Dinner served to pupils

Primary 1 & Primary 2 visit LCDI for a Santa Experience

Mrs J O'Donnell meets with Lorna Kearney, EWO and a Primary 7 parent



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Primary 7 pupils visit the Green Lane Museum at the Roe Valley Country Park

Primary 7 pupils visit St Mary's, Limavady to see their production, 'Pop Idol'

The school choir sing at the Limavady Probus Club Lunch at The Drummond Hotel, Ballykelly

Our School's Christmas Carol Service takes place at St Mary's Chapel, Limavady

The school choir sings at Edenvale Care Home, Cornfield Nursing Home & Thackery Day Centre & Residential Home

Mr Darren Mornin from Limavady High School talks to Primary 6 & Primary 7

Primary 1 & Primary 2 walk to Coolessan Walk Post Office to post their letters to Santa

Parents & Friends of RVIPS host a 'Supper with Santa'

Christmas Jumper Day takes place in support of Save the Children

Draw takes place for the Christmas Food & Pamper Hampers & the Children's Raffle

Tommy Doyle from Fire Safe Fire Protection Services carries out annual fire risk assessment

School finishes for Christmas Holidays on Friday 20th December 2019 and re-opens on Monday 6th January 2020

Highlights: Spring Term **January 2020**

Miss Victoria McGinnis commences maternity leave covering Mrs Claire Boyd

Stranmillis student commences 1-week PGCE work placement in Primary 7

Mr Paul Creith, PSNI Neighbourhood Policing Liaison Officer delivers the 'Bee Safe' programme to all pupils

Mr Edwin Brown, Music Tutor from the Education Authority commences vocal tuition

Mrs J O'Donnell attends Family Support meeting at Limavady Health Centre

Jennifer McNeill, Child Evangelism Fellowship of Ireland participates in School Assembly



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Mrs J O'Donnell, Mr R Brolly & Mrs L Campbell review the internal audit tender responses

Mrs J Guthrie from St Mary's, Limavady talks to Primary 6 & Primary 7

Mr & Mrs O'Kane, grandparents of the school visit Primary 2 to explore toys from the past

Mrs J O'Donnell meets with Lorna Kearney, EWO

Uberhero's carry out workshops with Primary 7 pupils

Shared Education Day 5 takes place for Primary 6 at Roe Valley Leisure Centre

Primary 7 visit St Mary's, Limavady to participate in the Link Learning Day

Mrs J O'Donnell & Mrs B Blair attend Centralised Health Awareness Training

Capita replace capital points system

Primary 5 pupils commence a 4-week block of hockey lessons at Limavady Grammar School with a coach from Ulster Hockey

Mrs J O'Donnell attends Foyle Trust for Integrated Education meeting

Open Morning & Registration Day for prospective parents takes place

Mrs J O'Donnell meets with a Social Worker

Mr Paul Creith, PSNI Neighbourhood Policing Liaison Officer delivers a 'Drug & Alcohol Awareness' talk to Primary 6 & primary 7 pupils

Karen McAfee from RISE NI carries out an observation of a Primary 4 pupil

Paired Maths Programme launched for Primary 3 children and their parents

Shared Education Day 6 takes place for Primary 6

Mrs J O'Donnell attends a Transfer Information Session at Limavady Grammar School

Swimming Programme commences for Primary 7 for 7-weeks

Ryan George, plumber carries out remedial repairs to the heating in Primary 7

Mrs J O'Donnell & Mrs J McConway attend a Netball Umpiring Course at Broadbridge Primary School

Parents & Friends of RVIPS meet



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Mrs J O'Donnell carries out Primary 7 post primary meetings with parents

Jill Graham, Play Therapist commences work with a Primary 4 pupil

Margaret Logan, School Counsellor visits and meets with a Primary 7 parent

Mrs L Kerlin accompanies 4 pupils from Primary 7 to a Road Safety Quiz at The Lodge Hotel, Coleraine

MAST meeting takes place regarding a Primary 7 pupil

Reading Workshop for Primary 1 parents take place

Emma Lougheed, Guide Dogs UK works with a Primary 5 pupil

February 2020

Miss Chloe McKinney commences maternity leave covering Mrs Jennifer Radcliffe

Mrs J O'Donnell meets with parents regarding Educational Psychology referrals

Parent of a primary 4 child meets with Mrs J O'Donnell & Mrs J McConway

Library visits take place for Primary 4 and Primary 6

Shared Education Day 1 takes place for Primary 7 at Roe Valley Leisure Centre

Colette McDaid from RISE NI carries out an observation of a Primary 3 pupil

Aimee Doherty from "Take Me to the Stage" commences use of the school hall

Helena Lindsay from the Community Dental Service visits Primary 1 & Primary 2 for a 'Class Smiles Talk'

Mrs J O'Donnell meets with Lorna Kearney, EWO and a Primary 7 parent

Colleen Golding, Occupational Therapist observes a Primary 1 child

All children and staff take part in a 'Break the Rules' Fundraising Day organised by the School Council raising £362.50

Jennifer McNeill, Child Evangelism Fellowship of Ireland participates in School Assembly



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RVIPS Football Team play a friendly football match against Limavady Central Primary School

Stranmillis student commences a 7-week PGCE work placement in Primary 7

Blaithin Hyndman, Literacy Support Teacher carries out reviews with parents

Internet Safety Day takes place

Mrs J O'Donnell attends Integrated Principals' Cluster meeting

Shared Education Day 2 takes place for Primary 7

Representatives from Allstate facilitate a 'Cyber Safe' internet safety workshop with Primary 5

Eimear Murphy from REIM Training Solutions facilitates an Internet Safety Workshops for all pupils

Primary 5 hold a wonderful Special Assembly titled 'Awesome Egyptians'

Eimear Murphy from REIM Training Solutions facilitates an Internet Safety Workshops for parents and a Cinema Evening for children takes place

A student from Liverpool Hope University visits Primary 2 & Primary 3 to carry out research for her teaching dissertation

Emma Lougheed, Guide Dogs UK works with a Primary 5 pupil

Mrs J O'Donnell meets with parents of a Primary 5 child

Mrs J O'Donnell meets with parent of a Primary 5 & Primary 2 child

Two members of staff facilitate a Valentine's Disco in aid of Cancer Focus NI raising £217.36

Mrs J O'Donnell attends Retirement Event for Briege O'Neill, Principal of St Colmcille's Primary School, Claudy

School closes for mid-term break on Monday 17th & Tuesday 18th February 2020

Karen McAfee from RISE NI works with a Primary 4 pupil

SOL Property Maintenance inspect leaking roof of the Vice Principal Office and carry out remedial repairs

PSNI Intruder Alarm Inspection takes place



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Mrs J O'Donnell meets with Mr R Totten, Governor regarding Managing Staff Attendance

Mrs J O'Donnell & School Admin Staff meet with Mr Aaron McLoughlin from EPrinting UK regarding the School App

All children enjoy a Traditional Music Performance

Transfer Information Session for Primary 6 parents takes place

Melanie Agnew from Carnlea Consultancy works on the school's accounts and meets with Mr R Brolly & Mrs J O'Donnell

The Constitution Newspaper carry out a 'Small Talk' feature with Primary 5 regarding their topic 'Awesome Egyptians'

Mrs L Kerlin carries out Parent/Teacher meetings with some Primary 7 parents

Mrs Leah Kerlin (nee McGrenaghan) commences maternity cover for Mrs C Miller & Miss Katie Jamieson commences in Primary 7 (Monday, Tuesday and Wednesdays)

Margaret Logan, School Counsellor visits

Primary 4 visit Limavady Library

Mrs J O'Donnell attends Case Planning Meeting at Limavady Health Centre

Edwin Brown from the Education Authority continues Musical Pathways for Primary 1 to Primary 4 and Vocal Tuition for Primary 5

Mrs J O'Donnell attends Core Group Meeting at Limavady Health Centre

Primary 3 hold a wonderful Special Assembly titled 'High Flyers'

Mrs J O'Donnell and 6 pupils have a photoshoot at the new school site with Tony Carlin, Cinematic Sky

Father Paddy Baker gives Ashes to children, parents and staff on Ash Wednesday
Strings tuition continues with Mr Alex McCubbin, Music Tutor from the Education Authority

Primary 5 – Primary 7 enjoyed a musical story telling session on the theme of Robbie Burns

Parent Teacher Meetings take place over two afternoons with school closing at 2pm for all pupils

Parent and Toddler Group continues every Thursday morning



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Annette Devlin, Literacy Support Teacher works with a Primary 5 pupil

Primary 6 pupils visit Limavady Workhouse

March 2020

Mathletics March Challenge Week takes place

Skill School NI continue with PE sessions

Meeting facilitated by RVIPS for Sensory Service with Primary 5 parents, Mrs J O'Donnell, Wendy Martin (Head of Sensory Service) and QVTI teachers

Mrs J O'Donnell meets with Paul Rowan, Rahmqvist Stationery

Shared Education Day 3 takes place for Primary 7

Primary 4 hold a wonderful Special Assembly titled 'It's Good To Be Me'

Scholastic Book fair arrives in school

Mrs J O'Donnell attends Case Planning Meeting at Limavady Health Centre

Primary 7 swimming programme continues

Mrs J O'Donnell attends Confirmation Meeting at Termoncanice Primary School

Children are invited to come to school dressed as a character from their favourite book to celebrate World Book Day and take part in a book exchange

Andrew McCann, auditor from Miscampbell & Co carries out internal audit

Christina McGarvey from Bonjour Amigos continues Spanish lessons with all classes

Jennifer McNeill, Child Evangelism Fellowship of Ireland participates in School Assembly

Mrs J O'Donnell meets with parent of a Primary 5 pupil

Mrs J O'Donnell attends LAC Review at Limavady Health Centre

Representatives from Limavady Baptist Church visit school and carry out an assembly for children from Primary 3 to Primary 6

Shared Education Day 4 takes place for Primary 7 at The Diamond Centre, Claudy



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Stephen Lowry, Coleraine FC visits the school to show the children the Irish Cup

Samara Moore from CAHMS carries out observation on a Primary 5 pupil

Mrs J O'Donnell attends Governance Seminar at Dunsilly Hotel, Antrim

Stephen McAnee from H.A. Leslie meets with Mrs J O'Donnell regarding the school insurance review

Children come to school wearing something green to celebrate 'Green Day / Eco Day'

Mrs J O'Donnell meets with Grace McCloskey, EWO and Primary 5 parent

School closes for staff training day on Monday 16th March 2020

School closes for St. Patrick's Day on Tuesday 17th March 2020

School closes for pupils on Wednesday 18th March – Friday 20th March 2020 in order for staff to prepare home schooling packs

Melanie Agnew from Carnlea Consultancy works on the school's accounts

School closes on Monday 23rd March 2020 due to the COV-19 Pandemic

Highlights: Spring Term **April 2020**

School opens for key workers and vulnerable children on Monday 30th April 2020

Daily management of school and remote learning led by Mrs J O'Donnell

June 2020

Mrs J McDonagh returns from maternity leave on Monday 8th June 2020

Zoom meeting with staff, Integrated Principals and local principals takes place weekly

Microsoft Teams weekly meetings continue for colleague planning for visually impaired pupil

South Antrim Alarms visit to review security cameras on Tuesday 16th June 2020

Children are presented via Seesaw their individual Certificate of Achievement Award



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Parents/Guardians collect their child(ren)'s exercise books and belongings and return RVIPS materials

Primary 7 pupils and their families attend a Farewell 'Drive in' event

New Primary 1 pupils and their parent/guardian attend school at scheduled times for a short familiarisation session

Preschool liaison led by Mrs J McDonagh

School accountant visits

School closes for summer on Tuesday 30th June 2020



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Provision for Children with Additional Needs

The Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator (SENCO) facilitates the programme for children with additional needs at RVIPS. The school provides support for a wide range of needs. Children who require additional support are provided with an Education Plan and a Programme of Work specific to the needs of the child. The school also uses the Education Authority referral system to access advice from the Educational Psychology Department. The Educational Psychologists provides reports, advice and in some cases after a variety of diagnostic tests and consultation with other outside agencies, a Statement. This Statement enables a variety of interventions and support to be put in place. Statemented children are assigned a Classroom Assistant whose job is to assist the child with their specific needs and ensure they are included within all classroom activities.

Children's progress is regularly monitored and evaluated. Data is analysed and appropriate targets are set. The school also provides a wide range of Educational Computer Programmes and support to enable the child to succeed to the best of their ability. The school also supports pupils and families who have English as a second language and gifted and talented pupils. Roe Valley IPS is committed to providing all children with the best possible education, catering for the needs of every child and ensuring all children reach their full potential.

The Security of the Children and Staff of Roe Valley Integrated Primary School

RVIPS is a secure site at all times with all gates remaining closed/locked during the day. The only access is through the pedestrian gate nearest the office where visitors gain access via a buzzer system. All visitors must report to the school office and sign in and out. They must wear a visitor's badge for the duration of their visit.

Staff members wear the school uniform and school coat which makes them easily identifiable at all times.

There are 15 CCTV security cameras placed around the school premises. The monitor is situated in the school office and staff can easily see any intruder who may be prowling around the grounds during the day. The camera records all activity and is regularly checked to see if there has been any intrusion out of school hours. An intruder alarm is set every evening. Any illegal entry will immediately alert the local police station, the alarm company who manage the system and the key holders of the school.

The school regularly liaises with our local community police who provide advice on how to maintain the highest safety standards to ensure the safety of the children, staff and premises.



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Board of Governors

Chairperson	Mr Ryan Brolly	05 Nov 12 – Present
Co-opted Foundation Governor	Mr Colm Cavanagh	01 Sep 04 – Present
Foundation Governors	Mr Peter Miller Mrs Joanne Doherty Mrs Lorraine McCool Mrs Cathy Harkin	01 Feb 14 – Present 21 Oct 13 – Present 07 Nov 16 – Present 07 Nov 16 – 03 Feb 2020
DENI Governors	Mr Richard Totten	10 Mar 15 – Present
Principal	Mrs Julie McDonagh	01 Sep 15 – Present
Teacher Governor	Mrs Joanne O'Donnell	04 Mar 13 - Present
Parent Governors	Mrs Alice Lewis Mr Nigel Lindsay Miss Gayle McIvor Mr Aaron Mullan	07 Nov 16 – 06 Nov 2020 07 Nov 16 – 06 Nov 2020 07 Nov 16 – Present 07 Nov 16 – 06 Nov 2020

Board of Governor Meetings 2019 / 2020

16 September 2019
07 October 2019
11 November 2019
24 February 2020
11 May 2020 – cancelled due to COVID
22 June 2020

Holidays	Halloween	28 October 2019 – 01 November 2019
	Christmas	23 December 2019 – 03 January 2020
	Easter	09 April 2020 – 17 April 2020

School Attendance

94.7%

Enrolment 2019/ 2020

204 pupils



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ROE VALLEY INTEGRATED PRIMARY SCHOOL

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
	£	£
INCOMING RESOURCES		
Department of Education Grants	903,642	705,282
Income from other sources	24,841	44,859
TOTAL INCOMING RESOURCES	<u>928,483</u>	<u>750,141</u>
RESOURCES EXPENDED		
Direct Expenditure:		
Teaching staff costs	468,461	407,058
Non-teaching staff costs	245,651	217,815
Other operating costs	137,175	135,804
TOTAL RESOURCES EXPENDED	<u>851,287</u>	<u>760,677</u>
Net incoming resources	77,196	(10,536)
Balances brought forward	63,031	73,567
BALANCES CARRIED FORWARD	<u>140,227</u>	<u>63,031</u>

