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Winter Term, Week 1 (10.01.25)

Happy New Year!

We hope you all had a great Christmas break and that 2025 is filled with happiness for you and your family.



Breakfast Club



With the cold snap comes the need for a winter warmer. We are delighted to be able to offer breakfast club this term. Breakfast club will start from next week and will be open from 8.15am –

8.45am. A breakfast menu will be available each day and bookings will need to be made by lunchtime the day before to enable staff to stock up on the necessary shopping. Breakfast club will cost £2 per day and will include breakfast, fun, and fitness.

New Year, Fresh start –



It's been more than a 'fresh' start, it's been a freezing start to the year! At this time of year, please make sure that all children come to school with a warm coat and preferably a hat, scarf and gloves. Everyone needs a coat to be able to take part in outdoor activities.

Uniform reminder

Let's take this as a good time for a fresh start. To remind everyone; full school uniform should be worn on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays. This includes the red school jumper, white polo shirt and either grey skirt or grey school trousers. Trainers should not be worn on these days. Girls wearing skirts may also wear grey tights.

On Tuesdays and Thursdays, full school PE uniform should be worn. This is a navy tracksuit and either a white polo shirt or the red school aertex shirt.

Our branded uniform is available from The Signature Works, Bangor or David Crawford's or more affordable, plain items from Tesco, Asda or M&S.

Leggings are not part of the school uniform.

Children should not wear jewellery or make up to school.

Children who have had their ears pierced recently may wear plain stud earrings which must be covered for PE.

Homework consultation

Have Your Say



All mainstream parents should have received an email this week with a short questionnaire regarding homework. We would love to gather as many views as possible so that

we can make informed decisions about what works best for our families at home. Please spare some time over the weekend to share your thoughts about homework. The closing date to have your say is Monday at 3pm.

#together we can...

Seeking Volunteers

If you would be interested in volunteering in school and haven't yet submitted a volunteer form, please speak to Miss Anderson in the office. These need to be updated every year. This term we would be keen to find a volunteer who would come in for an hour a week to run the school library and for some volunteer readers.

School Council news – New Clubs

Last term the pupils worked on fundraising activities and this term, they will put that money to good use to improve our playground equipment. They also want to improve the selection of clubs on offer. They have been meeting in school today to discuss this and to gather the opinions of their classmates. A new club menu will go live next week.



	The Silver Trophy winner this week is:
	Tiernan
	Our Stars of the Week are:
	Rainbow Class - Tristan Red Class - Darcie Green Class - Essie Blue Class – Alexa Purple Class – Sienna
	<i>Birthdays this week:</i>
	Rio
	<i>Happy birthday!</i>
HOUSE TEAM SCORES	
	WATER.....244
	EARTH.....242
	SUNSHINE.....228
	FIRE.....228



- 16th / 17th January – Mrs Weir at Principal's conference
- 21st January – annual reviews
- 22nd January – Strangford college visit to P7
- 24th January – closing date for P1 applications
- 25th January – SEAG results day
- w/b 27th January – P7 transfer appointments available.
- 28th January – Post primary application portal opens.
- 29th January – P7 Fast Fashion workshop
- 30th January – P7 RISE programme