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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you are safe and well and surviving this very difficult time.

Again, I want to thank you for all your outstanding effort in supporting the children with their online learning. The uptake with our online Distance Learning platform See-Saw is simply outstanding.

I know that many of you are possibly now back working or maybe never stopped working and yet the majority of children are engaging, very positively, in their scheduled online learning tasks. For this we are very grateful.

All staff are working exceptionally hard to do their best in the circumstances in which we all find ourselves and engage with children on a very regular basis.

I know that it is not easy on the children either, as I'm sure at this stage they are missing the whole social interaction with their classmates and adults in the school, the structure of a school day and the large amount of extra activities that we as a school offer.

The staff are really missing the children as well and we all wish that school was running as normal also.

Yesterday 21/05/20 Minister Weir reported that "there will be no overall reopening of schools during the remainder of this academic year."

I will keep you informed of all developments re: how 20-21 new school year will be structured as they are confirmed by Dept of Education. I am sure you can see from media that there is much debate around Education at the minute to say the least!

The children and you the parents are getting a well deserved break from online learning next week. In normal times the children would have been off 25th/26th/27th May from school. Teachers will not be available on See Saw during these dates.

Please do not hesitate to contact any of us during using the above **info** e mail address or via See Saw for anything we can help with.

School reports and a copy of holidays for next year will be sent out towards the end of June as usual.

Enjoy the break and stay safe and well,

God Bless,




'Live well, play together, learn forever.'



Many thanks,

Stay safe,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "O German". The signature is written in black ink and is underlined with a single horizontal stroke.

(Principal)