



Firoda National School December Newsletter 2025



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CHRISTMAS SHOW

Our **Christmas Funky Kids Show** will be held on **Thursday, 11th December at 7pm**. There is a huge effort being put in by all pupils to make this a very special night so please invite your family and friends to come along and join us. There will be no admission fee on the night. Pupils are to be dropped to their classrooms for 6:30pm at the latest.

Please remember the following on the night:

- All the girls in the school will need any coloured leggings for the show.
- All the boys in the school are to wear a jeans or trousers of any colour. No tracksuits if you can avoid it, please.
- All children to wear socks and runner's or flat shoes.
- All girls to have hair tied up please.
- Please don't send any of the above items into school. Your child will wear them with their costume on the night of the show.

There will be a raffle on the night and if anyone would like to donate prizes i.e. biscuits, sweets, wine, beauty gifts, vouchers etc, it would be much appreciated, as the raffle prizes will be mostly hampers. These items can be left to the school any day **before Monday 8th December**.

FESTIVE FRIDAYS

Our "Festive Fridays" were a huge success last year, so we have decided to run with them again this year. Each of these Fridays will have a different theme and they are as follows:

- Friday 5th December** - Christmas Crafts Day
- Friday 12th Dec.** - Hot Chocolate & Movie Day
- Friday 19th Dec.** - Christmas Party Day!

*****Christmas Jumpers may be worn on each of the Festive Fridays.**

NO HOMEWORK

We are conscious that in the run up to Christmas, everyone is very busy. Therefore, pupils will be on reduced homework from Monday, December 1st and there will be no homework from 8th December.

WEE IRELAND BATTERY COLLECTION

Our Student Council are taking part in the **WEEE Ireland School Battery Recycling Competition** and we really need your help! The more batteries we collect the better chance we have of winning. We are asking for your support. This will run until March 2026 so keep sending in all used batteries. Thank you to those who have already sent in batteries. Your co-operation is really appreciated.

VIOLIN LESSONS

Violin Lessons will recommence in Term 2 for those interested in learning to play the violin. These lessons are under the tutelage of Mrs. Dunne. The fee per term will be €60 with violin rental included in the fee.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

School will close at 12 noon on **Friday 19th December** for Christmas Holidays. The school will reopen on **Monday 5th, January 2026**.

PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT

We are trying to involve parents in various aspects of the school. This would be a chance for you to have your say and support us in fundraising, events etc. If you think you can help, please contact the school.

PARENT TEACHER MEETINGS

Our Parent Teacher Meetings were held in November. If you did not have a chance to attend, please contact the school to arrange a meeting.

Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a very Happy & Peaceful New Year!

