

Weekly Update - 26.11.21



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Dear Parents,

Please find below reminders of some important notices for you all:



Our annual school Christmas dinner will take place on **Wednesday 15th December**. All pupils can wear their Christmas jumpers on this day. Dismissal for pupils will be **1.00p.m.**

As part of Christmas festivities, we are holding a Christmas Movie Day on Friday 17th December. **We ask each pupil to please donate £3.00 for the movie day and Christmas jumper. Payment can be made via parentpay.** All proceeds will go towards our fundraising for Interactive Whiteboards.

Can we please request pupils to provide kitchen roll and wipes, as we continue to conduct daily cleansing of all surfaces throughout our school day as part of our ongoing Covid daily procedures.



Parents, can we please ask for your assistance. Do you have friends who would be interested in their children attending our school? If so, can you please ask them to

get in touch, as we are trying to compile projections for enrolment over the next three years. Can they email Mrs Morrow, lmorrow846@c2kni.net and provide the date of birth of their child(ren).



On behalf of the Board of Governors of our school, we are delighted to inform you that **Mr Jake Magill** has joined our Board of Governors as an EANI representative and is the Designated Governor for Child Protection. We welcome Mr Magill to our team of governors who work diligently behind the scenes in support of our school.



On **Tuesday 30.11.21** we will be posting via Seesaw, one piece of Literacy and one piece of Numeracy work completed by your child(ren) this term.

Due to the evident increase in Covid cases of late, we have decided this is the safest way to celebrate and share a sample of your child(ren's) work.

We encourage you to discuss the samples of work posted with your child and we welcome feedback you may have in relation to your child's work. Please confirm receipt of your child's work to their class teacher in the first instance. If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact myself via email on

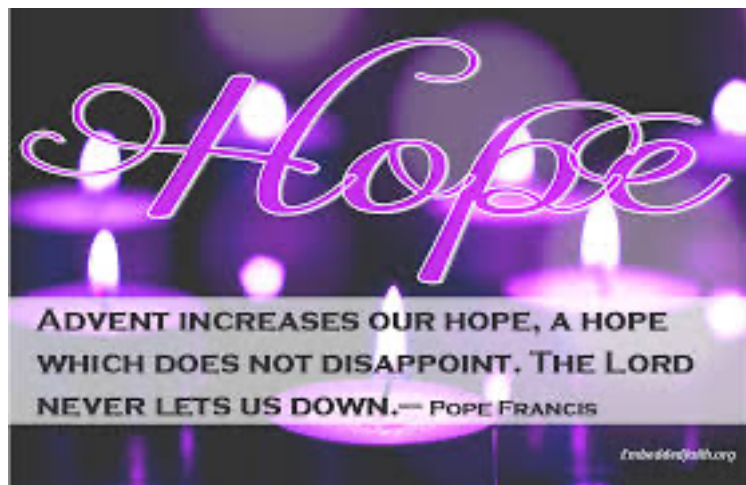
cwadsworth679@c2kni.net

We look forward to hearing from you.



The Minister of Education recently launched the 'Happy Healthy Mind' programme. This programme's main aim is to support those pupils who may require access to Therapeutic and Counselling services which each school will aim to source. Can we please request if you would like your child to avail of such a service, to please email cwadsworth679@c2kni.net

As we enter the season of Advent we are reminded of the significance this weekend holds as we light the first purple candle on our advent wreath, also known as "The Prophecy Candle", symbolising hope.



Yours in continued partnership

C. Wadsworth and all the staff of St. Joseph and St. James's