



## Newsletter April 2021

### Dates for your Diary

**March 26th:** St Fiacc's closes at **12.00pm** for the Easter Holidays  
Jun Infants will be collected at **11:30**  
First & Third class will be collected at **11:40**  
Sen Infants, Second and 5th will be collected at **11:50**  
6th & 4th class will be collected at **12:00**

**April 12th:** St Fiacc's reopens after Easter Holidays.

**April 15th:** Meeting for parents of next year's Junior Infants through Zoom Webinar. Details to follow.

**May 3rd - May 7th:** St. Fiacc's is closed for 1 week.

### Child Protection Updates

The Annual Board of Management Review of the Child Safeguarding Statement took place on 18/03/2021. The notification of the review can be found on our school website.

The Designated Liaison Person (DLP) is Mr John Brennan and the Deputy Designated Liaison Person (DDL) is Miss Mary Fleming.

The Stay Safe Programme is being taught this Term and will continue next Term. Teachers will teach the Relationships and Sexuality in Education (RSE) Programme will begin after completion of the Stay Safe Programme.

A brief survey will be conducted next term for feedback on our Child Safeguarding Policy among pupils and parents from Fourth Class next Term.

### Standardised Attainment Tests.

Standardised Attainment Testing will take place in May in English and Irish for pupils from 1st - 6th. The English Test will take place on May 11th and Maths will take place May 18th - 19th. These dates are provisional.

### Family Contribution

Payment to our family contribution is payable over Aladdin Connect. Our April contribution is now due. Otherwise a family contribution envelope is available from Reception. Thank you to all the families that have been making their payments online.



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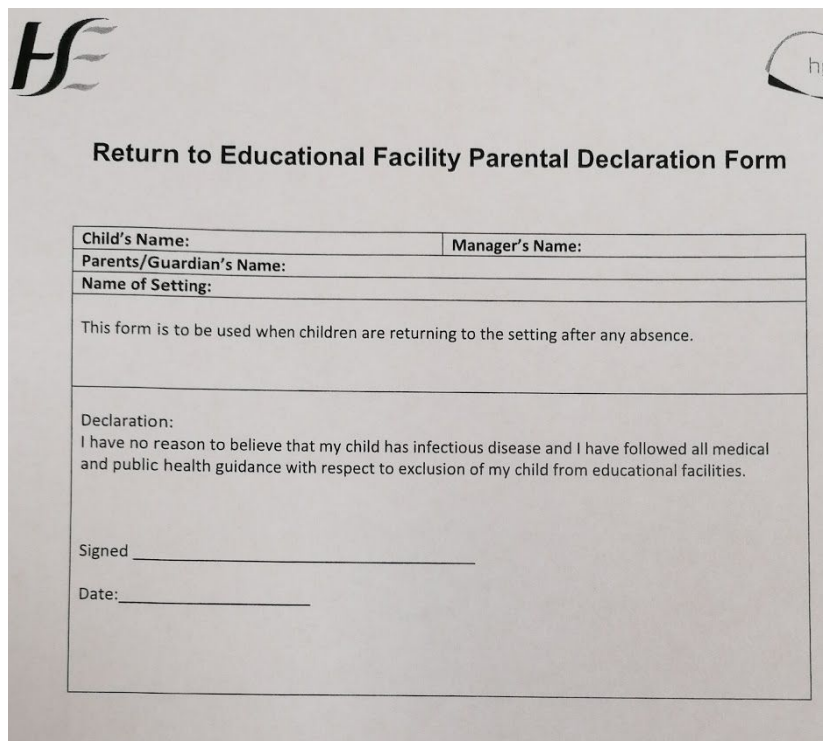
**Lá Glas (March 16th)**

Our La Glas raised over €500. Thank you for your generosity.



**Return to Educational Facility Parental Declaration Form (pictured below).**

Everytime your child returns to school after being sick you must sign a declaration that your child is infection free. This can be completed on Aladdin Connect. If you forget, your child will bring the form home for you to sign. This also applies if your child has had to leave school during the school day if they were feeling unwell. The Department of Education has advised schools to use this form. Your cooperation, as always is appreciated. If anything it means that pupils will not be sent to school sick.



**Return to Educational Facility Parental Declaration Form**

Child's Name:	Manager's Name:
Parents/Guardian's Name:	
Name of Setting:	

This form is to be used when children are returning to the setting after any absence.

Declaration:  
I have no reason to believe that my child has infectious disease and I have followed all medical and public health guidance with respect to exclusion of my child from educational facilities.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_