



Scoil Oilibhéir Naofa



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Baile an Ridire Balrothery
Baile Brigín Balbriggan
Co. Átha Cliath Co. Dublin

Dear parents/ guardians,

School reopens on Thursday, the 1st of September. **The school gates will open at 9.10, school starts at 9.20. Children go straight to their classrooms. Parents cannot escort them to their rooms. Staff will be present to escort children to their classrooms. Please park away from the school to avoid congestion on the first day. We will continue to have a 10 minute window both morning and at the end of the school day to promote less traffic congestion. Please try to walk, cycle or scooter when possible. All infants will go home at 2pm.**

Digital learning is a developing aspect of school life. Hence the payment towards digital licences are now included on the booklist in lieu of some textbooks which will now be provided by the school.

- Please check your book list and take note of books under book rental scheme (only for those that have paid).
- **Book Grant:** If you have received a letter for the book grant, **do not pay** for book rental, this is included in the book grant allocation.
- Copies and stationery are not included in book rental.
- All payments should be done online. You will receive a request for payment in August via e-mail. This provides a link to your payment. Thank you.

School uniform

Tracksuit can be purchased in McFaddens.

You may purchase plain, navy sweatshirt, plain, light blue polo shirt and plain, navy tracksuit bottom in any department store.

Logos, brand names, stripes, hoodies and tops with zips are not allowed and I would ask for your full support in this matter.

School crests are available in McFaddens.

Remember to label all items. **We will continue to go out to play in all weathers so your child will need a coat with a hood each day.**

Please take the time to read our healthy eating policy available on our school website.

This year has been a challenging school year. Both staff and pupils have shown great strength and resilience through a difficult time.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your continued support. It is much appreciated. Let us now look forward to a more settled academic year in 2022/2023. Mr Callaghan is looking forward to taking over the helm and he will do a great job.

I wish you all a happy, sunny and safe summer holiday. See you all in September.

Regards,
Ms M Murphy