

Newsletter January 2021

Dear Parents,

I hope that you are all keeping well during these difficult times. We did not expect at the start of December to be back doing remote teaching and learning in January. Hopefully we can get back to school as soon as possible. Thank you all for your engagement on Seesaw. We know this time can be challenging for everyone.

School Closure for SEN Pupils: Although a decision was made for the health and safety of all in our school to remain closed, we will continue to work closely with all our pupils to support you and them in any way we can.

ICT Devices: The school has purchased a set of new laptops that have been distributed to students for use during this time. If you are having difficulties getting access to Seesaw or do not have enough devices for your child/children please contact the school and we will try to assist you.

Sincere Sympathies: We extend our sincere sympathies to Ms. Leona Finn and her family on the recent passing of her father Paddy Finn. We also extend our sympathies to Ms. Tríóna Hanton, Ms. Kate Kneafsey and Ms. Miriam O'Shea on recent bereavements in their families. Ar dheis ar dheis de go raibh a anam dilis.

Enrolments 2021: Applications for enrolments for the 2021/2022 school year are now open. Please contact the school office by email at cushinstownns@gmail.com or 051 428612 to request a form or alternatively you can access the enrolment form on our website www.cushinstownns.com under Enrolment 2021. Please complete the Enrolment Form and return to our school.

Catholic Schools Week: Next week 24th to 31st January is Catholic Schools Week. The theme of Catholic Schools Week this year is Catholic Schools: Communities of Faith and Resilience. Mass to celebrate Catholic Schools Week will be streamed via the parish webcam at 9.30am on Thursday 28th January on the Facebook page Cushinstown Parish live.

Catholic Schools Week 2021 24 - 31 January 2021 COMMUNITIES OF: FAITH Learning LOVE Resilience HOPE

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Parent Teacher Meetings: Parent Teacher Meetings will take place by telephone from 8th-12th February 2021. A feedback form will be sent out shortly.