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Dear Parents,

I hope that you and your families are all keeping safe and well in these challenging times. It is so hard to believe that we are now in the month of June...where did that time go? It has been surreal to have had to adapt to Home Learning for you and your child(ren) and for teachers to be preparing resources for the Home Learning Area of the website. This has been a very new and different way of working for us all. We miss our little children so much and actively seek some sort of a return to a new normal in September, God willing.

In the meantime, because it is the month of June, we are working hard to prepare for the end of one academic year and the start of another in September.

Some children at the start of the lockdown took various books home with them,

1. Oxford Reading Tree Reading Books (Years 1-7)
2. C.J. Fallon Reading Books (Years 6-7 Pupils)
3. Accelerated Reading Books (Years 3-7)
4. Various English/ Maths Text Books

It is to be noted that workbooks / work sheets need not be returned to school, children can keep these!



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Sadly our school budget dictates that we cannot permit that our little pupils keep these books, we do need them back again so that they can be used next year for the classes coming up.

Each teacher has also written an end of year report for your child as we do every year.

We are requesting that parents have a good search at home and gather up the relevant books that your child may have had at home. We are asking that you bring these to school and place them in an allocated box in your child's classroom.

When you are there, you will be given your child's end of year report and accompanying letter which explains the report and also informs you as to who your child's teacher will be next year (Except Year 7 of course).

If your child attended Learning Support Classes with Mrs. J. Mc Laughlin (Learning Support Withdrawal Teacher), a separate little report has been prepared from her too. This will be given out with the class teacher's report.

In order to ensure everyone's safety, we will allocate different days/ times for report collection and return of books (At the end of this letter). This is to ensure that there is adequate social distancing and not too many people accessing the school sites at the same time! We respectfully ask that you **do adhere to the time slot given** as this helps us to ensure that there are not too many people accessing the sites at the same time also. If you have a child in more than one Year Group we advise that you visit school on the report collection day which is the **latest one** so that you will be able to collect all reports and leave all books back on the same day.

For example if you had a child in Year 7 A and one in Year 5 A, you could leave book return and report collection until Wednesday 17th June when both reports will be made available for you! Alternatively you can visit school twice if you prefer! If you have any further queries about this please do not hesitate to email your child's teacher or email Miss J Doherty (Vice Principal) jdoherty742@c2kni.net or email Mrs.B. Wilders (Principal) bwilders592@c2kni.net

May we take this opportunity to thank you most sincerely for your ongoing support for your child(ren) and for our school. You are in our thoughts and prayers and we cannot wait to seek the new normal in September,

God bless, stay safe

Mrs. Bridget Wilders
Principal



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Please consult the table below for Report Collection / Book Return Times for each Class:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Report Collection/ Book Return Day / Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Collection Point</u>
Nursery Room 1	Mrs. B. Porter	Monday 15 th June	10am-11.30am	NR1 Classroom Door
Nursery Room 2	Mrs. T. Mc Corkell	Thursday 18 th June	10am-11.30am	NR2 Classroom Door
Year 1 A	Mrs. D. Doherty	Thursday 11 th June	10am-11.30am	Year 1 A Classroom
Year 1 B	Miss C. Hutton	Thursday 11 th June	11.30am-1pm	Year 1 B Classroom
Year 2 A	Mrs. A. M. Mc Glynn	Wednesday 17 th June	10am-11.30am	Year 2 A Classroom
Year 2 B	Mrs. C. Hamilton	Tuesday 16 th June	10am-11.30am	Year 2 B Classroom
Year 3 A	Mrs. M. Mc Brien	Monday 22 nd June	10am-11.30am	Year 3 A Classroom
Year 3 B	Ms. Y. Mc Gowan	Monday 22 nd June	11.30am-1pm	Year 3 B Classroom
Year 4 A	Mrs. S. Vaughan	Friday 19 th June	10am-11.30am	Year 4 A Classroom
Year 4 B	Miss B. Kelly	Tuesday 16 th June	11.30am-1pm	Year 4 B Classroom
Year 4 C	Mrs. P. Kelly	Friday 19 th June	11.30am-1pm	Year 4 C Classroom
Year 5 A	Mrs. C. Gormley	Tuesday 16 th June	10am-11.30am	Year 5 A Classroom
Year 5 B	Mrs. C. Connolly	Tuesday 16 th June	11.30am-1pm	Year 5 B Classroom
Year 6 A	Mr. A. Mc Guigan	Friday 19 th June	10am-11.30am	Assembly Hall beside Year 6 A Classroom
Year 6 B	Mrs. C. Deery	Monday 15 th June	10am-11.30am	Year 6 B Classroom
Year 6 C	Miss E. Keyes	Monday 15 th June	11.30am-1pm	Year 6 C Classroom
Year 7 A	Miss C. Mc Granaghan	Wednesday 17 th June	10am-11.30am	Year 7 A Classroom
Year 7 B	Mrs. B. Daly	Friday 19 th June	11.30am-1pm	Year 7 B Classroom
Year 7 C	Mrs. S. O'Kane	Wednesday 17 th June	11.30am-1pm	Year 7 C Classroom



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