

Scoil Tír Eiltín



Uimhir Rolla 13286S

Established 1887

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Some points of information regarding our school

1. School begins at **9.20 am**
It finishes at **2.00 pm** for **Junior and Senior Infants**
It finishes at **3.00 pm** for **all other pupils.**

However for the **first two weeks in September** all **Junior Infants** will go home at **12.30 pm.**

2. **Pupils are encouraged to bring healthy lunches.** Cans of drink, chewing gum or crisps of any kind are not allowed. **Monday is 'No Sweet Day' in our school.** (*See attached letter*)
3. Families are asked to contribute €10.00 a month to the School Renovation Fund. This money is not alone vital to the running of the school, but is also used to subsidise many school activities that would otherwise be outside the accessibility of the children.
4. Infants for 2017-2018 may come to school on **Friday, 23rd June up to 12.30 pm** if they so wish to familiarize themselves with their new surroundings, their new classmates, the school, etc. No uniform is required for this day.
5. We would also ask that **all Infants be collected at 2.00 pm** during the year.
6. The parents of Tírelton N.S. have voted a school uniform and specific School Tracksuit. Please see attached letter.
7. Please return the enrolment form as quickly as possible, either directly to the school or through a child presently attending the school before **Wednesday, 10th March, 2017.**

Yours sincerely,

Thomas Healy,
Principal.

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As part of the Revised Curriculum in Primary Schools a new subject called S.P.H.E is being introduced. Social, Personal and Health Education is the umbrella name for a lot of work that has been going on in the schools for years in the area of health, hygiene, personal management, civics, self-esteem to mention just a few. It is in the context of this subject that the area of school lunches falls into.

For years the school has encouraged the concept of healthy school lunches. As a staff, we would now like to try the concept of a 'No Sweet Day'. This would mean that on one specific day of the week sweets, chocolate, fizzy drinks, bars, biscuits, etc. would be completely absent from any pupils or staff members lunches. Instead sandwiches, brown bread, fruit, yogurt etc. would constitute the lunches. Milk, water or fruit juices could be used as beverages. The children in the senior classes felt Monday would be a good day as the weekend would give parents and pupils time to plan. Of course this does not mean that healthy lunches are not important for the other days of the week but it is the aim of the school to inculcate and develop a positive attitude to healthy eating. We would ask for your support and assistance in this project.

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

The uniform decided for our school is as follows:

Boys: Dark green v-necked jumper, plain dark green tie, grey shirt and grey trousers.

Girls: Dark green v-necked jumper or cardigan, dark green pinafore or skirt, grey shirt, plain dark green tie, dark green socks or tights.

Tracksuit: Our school has its own specific tracksuit which is worn on Mondays and Fridays every week. This is available to buy at O'Neills Sports Shop, Macroom. You must call to O'Neills Sports Shop (026) 42457 on or before **Saturday, 27th May** to have your child fitted for their tracksuit.

Some girls may choose to wear grey trousers, particularly during the cold weather. This is quite acceptable should you so wish.

The uniform can be bought in most shops.

It is vitally important that all jumpers, ties and tracksuits are marked with the individual child's name.

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ENROLMENT FORM 2017/2018

Child's Name		
Address		
Child's P.P.S. No.		
Date of Birth		
Nationality		
Place in Family		
Home Telephone Number & Mobile Numbers <i>(state names please)</i>	1. 3.	2. 4.
Alternative contact numbers in case of no reply at above <i>(state names please)</i>	1. 3.	2. 4.
Parents Names		
Mother's Maiden Surname		
Father's occupation		
Mother's occupation		
Previous school and class/playschool <i>(if applicable)</i>		
Does your child suffer from any allergies?		
Any health/medical problems of which school should be aware of?		
Name of Family Doctor		
Has school permission to remove the child directly to a doctor/hospital should an emergency arise?		
Has the child permission to partake in extra curricular activities?		
Mobile No. for 'Text a Parent'		
Birth Cert/Baptismal Cert <i>(will be returned to you)</i>		

<p>To which ethnic or cultural background group does your child belong (please tick one)? <i>(Categories based on the Census of Population)</i></p>	<p>White Irish <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Irish Traveller <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Roma <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Any other White Background <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Black or Black Irish - African <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Black or Black Irish - Any other Black Background <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Asian or Asian Irish - Chinese <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Asian or Asian Irish - Any other Asian background <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Other (inc. mixed background) <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Religion</p>	
<p>Is one of pupil's mother tongues (ie language spoken at home) Irish or English?</p>	
<p>Any further information</p>	

I consent for the sensitive personal data in the two questions above to be stored on the Primary Online Database (POD) and transferred to the Department of Education and Skills and any other primary schools my child may transfer to during the course of their time in primary school.

Signed: _____

Parent/Guardian

Date: _____