

OUR MONTHLY VALUE IS HELP

St. Louis Infant School

Deireadh Fómhair 2023

Principal and Designated Liaison Person for Child Protection - Carmel McCarroll

Deputy Principal and Deputy Designated Liaison Person for Child Protection - Brenda McCarey



October - Deireadh Fómhair

The staff are delighted with the children's engagement and motivation with their class work since we returned nearly 7 weeks ago. Well done everyone! Now that the children have settled into school they engage with many early interventions in reading, literacy and numeracy daily.

The children can dress up on Friday, 27th of October to celebrate the Halloween break. The costume doesn't have to be scary. Please donate preloved costumes to the school.

HALLOWEEN COSTUME DRIVE

We are collecting all
your new, unwanted,
and gently used
children's costumes.

Drop into school
before 27th October.

**HALLOWEEN DRESS
UP DAY, FRIDAY 27TH
OCTOBER**

HALLOWEEN

The school is closed
from 30th October to
3rd November
inclusive.



BOOK FAIR

Thanks for supporting the Book Fair. The school received almost €1300 worth of books as a result of your purchases. Many thanks to Ms Burns for co-ordinating the week.

PLEASE LABEL

Please label all the children's clothing. Uniforms, jumpers, coats and bags

MATHS WEEK

Beginning on Monday, 16th October we have many playful learning opportunities planned. Many thanks to Ms Fitzpatrick for organising fun mathematical events.

Fresh Today Lunches

Fresh Today notified us that some parents have not ordered lunches or changed their child's lunch order. If you haven't done so, log into the Fresh Today website or app. www.freshtoday.ie. The children have sampled different hot lunches and know what they like to eat. If you need help, you can contact Fresh Today at 043-3347568

The children need a healthy snack and drink every day.

Maths Week

We look forward to mathematical events during October. Senior Infant parents are invited into school over the next two weeks. Dates for each class were circulated.

Parent Teacher Meetings

Face-to-face Parent Teacher Meetings will be held in November. Teachers will contact you to arrange times and dates after the Halloween Holidays.

Home School Community Liaison (HSCL)

Niamh is visiting or making contact with all Junior Infants and new families. Niamh, will monitor attendance, and is available to parents who need support. Niamh only works with parents. Please follow normal procedures if you have a message for class or SET teachers.

Niamh's contact email is niamh@stlouisinfants.ie or mobile number is 0876910988

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We continue to work on the three-year plan focusing on 6 areas: Literacy, Numeracy, Attendance, Parents, Transitions and Retention. We have set 1-2 targets for each area. We will review the Parental Involvement and Uniform Policy in the coming months.

Board of Management Parent Election

Thanks to the parents who put themselves forward for election. Letter three will be circulated in the coming days. Each parent has a vote. Please check your child's Blue Folder for this ballot paper.

Junior infants Eye and Ear Tests

The HSE Nurses will complete hearing and sight tests from Monday to Thursday next week. Please return the consent forms.

Road Safety

On these dark and wet days, please be extra careful crossing the roads. Remind and show the children how to cross the busy road safely. The Lollipop men and women are at the crossings every morning and afternoon to help us.



Be Road Safe

Other Information .

- Art, photocopying, folder and stationary bills are due €20 per child.
- Office email; office@stlouisinfants.ie / 047-82913.
- Website address - www.stlouisinfants.ie

Instagram / Digital Learning

The Instagram account continues to grow. It is a great platform to see videos and pictures of the children at work and play. It is also a great way to promote our school.

[@stlouisinfants](https://www.instagram.com/stlouisinfants)

