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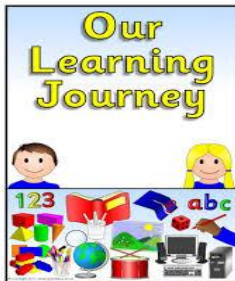


### Together at last!

When we welcome our P4 – P7 pupils back to school on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> March our school family will be complete. Our infant classes have been with us for three weeks and it has been an absolute joy! It is clear how hard our families have worked at home during this lockdown period and we are very grateful to you all for everything you have done. We are really looking forward to being together again.



### Planning next steps in learning



On returning to school our teachers will use a range of assessments to establish how well the children have retained the learning that had taken place before lockdown. They will also assess the children's understanding of new learning that was introduced remotely. They will then be able to plan experiences that take your child on the next steps of their learning journey. We will provide additional support where required to assist children to get on track with their learning once more.

### Parents' Evenings

Unfortunately we are still in the position where we cannot have face to face parents' evenings. Once again we will need give progress reports via the telephone. Mrs McGachy (P1), Miss Delaney (P2), Mrs Coughlan (P3A), Miss Donnelly (P3B) and Mrs McEnaney (P5) will make their calls to parents before the Easter holidays. Parents will receive their appointment time via text message. Each appointment will last 5 minutes. All other classes will have their appointments at the end of April/beginning of May.



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## World Book Day

Last week we celebrated World Book Day both at home and in school. Whilst we weren't able to have the same range of experiences as last year, we were still able to have a lot of fun developing a love of books. Thank you to all our teaching staff who were good sports in taking part in the Masked Reader event. Their identities will be revealed soon!



## Active Schools Challenge



For three weeks, Active Schools invited us to take part in a challenge that would get us all moving. Congratulations to everyone who took part. We managed to cover 1323.37km between us. It was great to see so many of our families and staff getting out and about.

## Stations of the Cross

We would like to thank Father Laurent for leading our school community in prayer as we reflected on the Stations of the Cross. Families can access the Service at home by following the link on YouTube [The Stations of the Cross - YouTube](#)



## Holidays

Please keep a note of the following dates

- Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> April – School closes for Easter holiday
- Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April – School reopens
- Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May – Holiday
- Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May – Holiday
- Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May – Holiday
- Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> June – In Service day for staff
- Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June – School closes for the summer holiday

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