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Sacrament of Confirmation

Dear Parent/Carer,

I just wanted to give you some information on the proposed plans for your child to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, should the easing of restrictions in due course permit this. Due to the number of children receiving the sacrament we will have the sacrament over 4 dates, 22 and 23rd May and 19th and 20th of June at 12pm. Once we have the final numbers of children making the sacrament we will be in contact with you to let you know which date your child will receive the Sacrament.

On the day of the Confirmation there will be two people allowed to accompany the child. One of these must be the child's sponsor. There is special dispensation in the current circumstances that a parent of the child may act as the child's sponsor.

Next week your child will be given a Confirmation Workbook to assist them in their preparation for the sacrament. They will complete this at home and class teacher will direct the children as to which activities to complete and when. There will be activities to complete during the school day but there will also be activities to complete with the family in the evening.

During their preparation the children will be studying the lives of saints after which they will be asked to choose a Confirmation name. They should choose the name of a saint whom they admire based on the qualities that saint showed during their life.

Fr Denny will be in touch by letter in due course to explain the sacrament in more detail.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you require further information.

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