

Monday News 12th February 2024

Dates for your diary

Mon 12th - Fri 16th Feb: Mid Term Break

Thurs 15th - Sun 25th Feb: NI Science Festival

Tues 20th Feb: Credit Union Savings Day
P7 Swimming Lessons - City Baths

Thurs 22nd Feb: P5 - P7 Healthy Snack Day - snack provided by Canteen
Admission applications for Post Primary close at 12 Noon.

Fri 23rd Feb: Nursery - P4 Healthy Snack Day - snack provided by Canteen

Fri 23rd Feb: P7 Leaver hoodies order closing date.

Thurs 7th March: World Book Day



Sacrament of Confirmation

Congratulations to our Primary 7 pupils who received the Sacrament of Confirmation.

It was such a beautiful, reverent ceremony. Special thanks to Bishop McKeown, Fr Mc Devitt, and all our staff who supported the pupils. Thank you to our beautiful choir and all who made this a very special celebration.



Post Primary Applications

Applications for a post primary place for September 2024 are now open via the EA Connect portal! Applications close at **12 Noon on Thursday 22nd February**.

✓ Visit <https://ow.ly/5n3B50QoaVi> to submit an application.

All schools require a birth certificate to be submitted with your application.

✓ Please ensure you read the published admissions criteria for each school you are considering to confirm what supporting documentation is required.

👉 EA have lots of helpful resources on our website to assist with completing an application; visit <https://ow.ly/uSRM50QoaVi>

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A blue poster with white and yellow text. At the top left is a search bar with the text 'www.eani.org.uk/admissions'. At the top right is a white box with the text 'APPLICATIONS CLOSE 22 FEBRUARY 2024'. In the center is a line-art illustration of a birth certificate with a baby's face and a ribbon seal, and a document with horizontal lines. To the right of the illustration, the text reads 'Birth Certificates are required by all schools when applying for Post Primary'. Below this, it says 'Read the admissions criteria for each school you are considering to confirm the required supporting documents.' At the bottom left is the EA logo (Education Authority) and at the bottom right is the 'eacconnect' logo.

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Primary 4 Do this in Memory dates - Everyone Welcome to attend

Sunday 3 March 2024: 3rd Sunday of Lent

Sunday 24 March 2024: Passion (Palm) Sunday

Sunday 14 April 2024: 3rd Sunday of Easter

Sunday, 2 June 2024: Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)



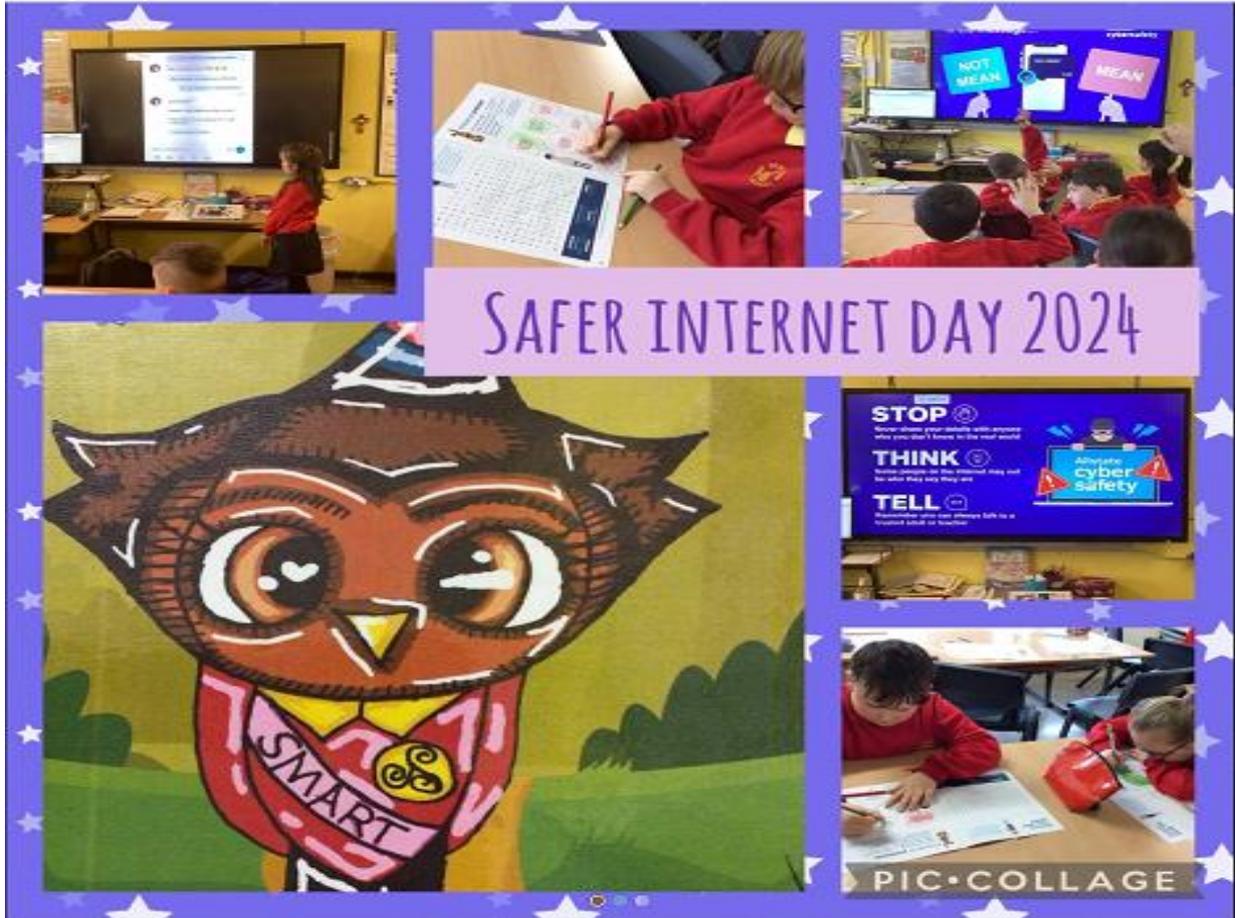
Dress to Impress Day:

Children dressed to impress on Friday 9th February to show support for Autism NI Superhero Week. Check out the photographs on our school website. Well done boys and girls.

Safer Internet Day

Steelstown P.S celebrated Safer Internet Day on Tuesday 6th February. Primary 5 children had a visit from Allstate and each class enjoyed a variety of informative activities.

Remember - Olive Owl teaches us to stay SMART!
Can you spot Olive Owl around our school?



World Book Day

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Steelstown P.S & Nursery Unit will celebrate World Book Day on **Thursday 7th March**. We would like all children to come to school dressed as their favourite Book Character.

We do not want this day to be an added expense so look for costumes that you already have and recycle them or do a swap with friends.

If you have any unwanted costumes which may be suitable, we would be delighted to have them to share with others.

P7 Hoodies & Trip Information

All P7 pupils have received their Leaver Hoodie order form & a letter regarding their upcoming Trip to Carlingford.

Orders for hoodies are to be placed no later than Fri 23rd February. Sample of sizes are available to view each morning from 8.45-9.00am & 3.00-3.15pm.

Good Food Fund

We have secured more funding from the Good Food Fund to provide all our children with a Healthy Snack once a week. On Thursdays P5 - P7 are provided with a snack from the canteen, and on Friday's Nursery to P4 receive their snack from the Canteen. Children do not need to bring a snack on designated days.



Thank you to Collette and our Canteen Staff for providing this each week.



Miss Lynch's P3 Superheroes enjoying their delicious Friday snack from Canteen as part of our Good Food Fund.

