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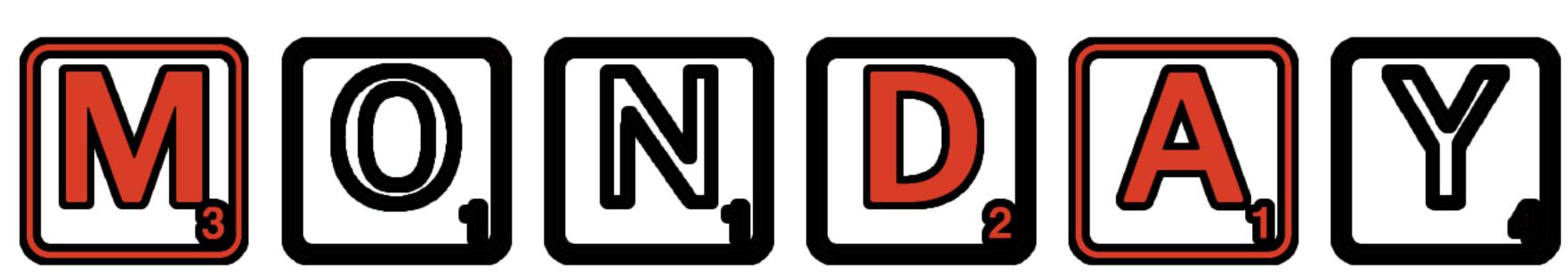
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28th September 2020

INTERNATIONAL WALK TO SCHOOL MONTH

Every October is International Walk to School Month – an opportunity for children to join virtually hundreds of thousands of 😽 pupils across the globe celebrating the walk to school.

CREDIT UNION ART COMPETITION

The Credit Union Art Competition 2020 has landed! This year's theme is "Imagine More", encouraging entrants to think past the current situation and imagine. Imagine More is influenced by the creative role art plays in Irish society and encourages participants to unlock their imagination and look at how art inspires us and our communities. Despite the current challenges, art has kept people from all walks of life connected and this year's theme encourages participants to express this connectivity on paper or canvass.

FIRST COMMUNION PHOTOGRAPHS

P5A/P5B First Communion Photographs are on the ParentPay system for purchase. £10 per print. Please pay via ParentPay for each photograph. Thank you in advance

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

28.09.20 - 02.10.20Bike to school Week International Walk to School Month October 09.10.20 Credit Union Art Competition Entries 29.10.20 - 02.11.20 Halloween Break 16.11.20 - 22.11.20Road Safety Week

Flu Vaccine Day

ROAD OF HOPE

Due to current circumstances it is not recommended that we collect shoe boxes this year. This is to ensure safety of all our children. It is suggested that families can make a small donation to help volunteers buy items **FILL THEM WITH** for the shoe boxes and help cover transport costs.

We will update you with We will update you with information closer to the time.

QUESTIONNAIRE PARENT SURVEY

Parent Questionnaire/Survey will be sent to all parents via the Private Message section of the School App. Please complete this asap so we can ensure we are providing the best provision for every child.

Survey will be sent

out next week.

BIKE TO SCHOOL WEEK

Bike to School Week is a weeklong event across the UK to showcase the many benefits of cycling to school. It takes place from 28 September to 2 October 2020. There's even an opportunity for one lucky pupil to win a fabulous prize.

ROAD SAFETY WEEK

This Road Safety Week (16–22 November) we are sharing the what, the why, and the where of speed, because whether Road you're walking to school, Safety riding on a country road or riding on a country road or driving for work, traffic can affect your safety.



CURRICULUM INFO SESSION FOR PARENTS

Your child's Teacher will inform you of the Curriculum Information session for each class.

Thank you to all of our children and parents for your co-operation in adhering to oneway systems at all gates and respecting the 2 metre social distancing at all times outside the school gates. When waiting for your child remember not to congregate in the zig- zag walkway area between Nursery and Primary 2 . Face masks are to be worn by all visitors when meeting a member of staff inside the school building if an appointment has been pre-arranged.