



# Steelstown Primary School & Nursery Unit

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## M O N D A Y N E W S

14th June 2021

### First Communion:

P4A Mr McLaughlin - Saturday 12th June 12noon  
P4B Miss O'Doherty - Saturday 12th June 2pm

Please access the School App for further information regarding First Communion wear, Photographs & organisation for the day.

Photographs in school grounds afterwards

### Confirmation:

P7A Miss Barrett Monday 14th June 5pm  
P7B Mr Feeney Tuesday 15th June 5pm  
Photographs in school grounds afterwards

### Sunflowers

Sunflowers symbolise hope and cheer. We in Steelstown are using the sunflower theme to show positivity and hope. "Together we will grow flowers of hope."



### P1 & P7 Class Photographs

The Derry Journal will publish class photographs on the following dates;  
P1 Tues 15<sup>th</sup> June  
P7 Fri 18<sup>th</sup> June



### Breakfast Club

Breakfast club is ongoing each day from 08:15am.



### P1 and P2 Afterschool Club

Year 1-2 after-school club continues daily for Year 1 and 2 children.

### P6 Literacy and Numeracy Club

Primary 6 after-school club is on each day Mon- Thurs from 3-4 pm to offer the Primary 6 children support in Literacy and Numeracy.

### Homework Club

Homework Clubs are ongoing each day Monday – Thursday until 4pm for P4 -P7

### Masks

All parents/visitors are recommended to wear a mask where possible in all school areas. Thank you for your cooperation.



### Dates for your Diary

**Mon 14<sup>th</sup> June:** P5 Sports Day

P7B Mr Feeney's Class School Trip: Leave @9am return 3.30pm

**Tues 15<sup>th</sup> June:** P7A Miss Barrett's Class School Trip: Leave @9am return 3.30pm

P2A Miss McElhinney's Class Sports Day

**Wed 16<sup>th</sup> June:** P4A & P4B Class Sports Day

Nursery Induction via Zoom @ 3.30pm

**Thur 17<sup>th</sup> June:** P2B Mrs O'Neill's Class Sports Day

Primary 1 Induction

**Fri 18<sup>th</sup> June:** P3A Miss Lynch's Class Sports Day

**Mon 21<sup>st</sup> June:** Primary 1 Induction via Zoom

P7's Fan the Flame Mass 11am

**Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> June:** P7 Prize Giving

P7 Leavers' Dinner & Mass

**Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> June:** P7's Finish School

**Fri 25<sup>th</sup> June:** Class Prize Giving



### Healthy Snacks for Break-time

Please remind Children to bring in a Healthy snack for break

Cheese/cheese strings	Yogurt	Crackers	One Piece of Fruit
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### Time out for Parents Fun Interactive Sessions

CLASSES DELIVERED BY ZOOM 12.30-1.30PM  
FRIDAY 11TH AND 18TH JUNE 2021  
FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT  
WWW.SHANTALLOW.NET



FREE SCHOOL MEAL AND UNIFORM GRANT  
APPLICATIONS WILL BE MADE ONLINE THIS YEAR



Please make sure you keep  
following our social media  
accounts for more updates



Education Authority

WE ARE MOVING ONLINE

Applications for Free School Meals/School Uniform/Physical Education Clothing Allowance will be moving online for School Year 2021/22. All parents and guardians, including new applicants will need to apply online.

Please continue to check in on our social media channels for more details of when the online portal will open and also information on what you need to fill in your online application form.



### Irish FA SUMMER FOOTBALL CAMPS

For boys and girls  
aged 5-13  
July and August 2021

MAKE NEW FRIENDS!

LEARN NEW SKILLS!

HAVE FUN!

FREE FOOTBALL  
FOR EVERY CHILD!

Newtownstewart Model Primary School	5-9 July	10am-1pm
Leafair 3G pitch, Derry/Londonderry	12-16 July	10am-1pm
Castlederg High School	19-23 July	10am-1pm
Strabane Academy	26-30 July	10am-1pm
Broadbridge Primary School, Eglinton (grass pitch)	2-6 Aug	10am-1pm



Foundation

Book online at:

[www.irishfa.com/footballcamps](http://www.irishfa.com/footballcamps)

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If you have been identified as a 'close contact' via 'HSCtracing' text or through the StopCOVID app

? What does this mean? Go home → Stay home

Can I go to the shops?	No X
Can I go to work or school?	No X
Can I go out for a walk or exercise?	No X
Can I meet up with friends outside?	No X
Can I go into my garden?	Yes ✓
Can I visit my friends or family?	No X

Does this mean I will definitely get COVID-19?

No but you are at risk - a 'close contact' is a person who has been close to someone who has tested positive for COVID-19.

How long do I need to stay at home?

10 days

As a close contact you need to self-isolate at home because you are **at risk of developing symptoms in the next 10 days** and could spread the virus to others before the symptoms begin.

If you develop symptoms book a test.

[www.pha.site/coronavirus](http://www.pha.site/coronavirus)



If your child shows any of the Covid 19 symptoms, he/she is to remain at home.

### Covid Symptoms:

- Cough
- Temperature
- Loss of taste/ smell

We are all in this together and we will support each other to help keep our community safe and well. We thank you for your support, patience and understanding.

### A close contact is:

A person who has been close to a confirmed case from 2 days before the person was symptomatic to 10 days after the onset of symptoms and:

- Lives in the same household
- has travelled in a car with the case OR
- has been within 2 metres of a case for more than 15 minutes OR
- has been within 1 metre of a case and had face-to-face contact including:
  - being coughed on
  - having a face-to-face conversation
  - having skin-to-skin physical contact