



Assumption Junior School

Newsletter April and May 2023



First Holy Communion

Congratulations to the girls in Second Class who made their First Holy Communion in May. It was a beautiful afternoon, and the girls had a lovely experience. Thank you to Ms Aughey, Mrs Byrne, Angela and Fr Glennon for all the help you gave the girls during their year of preparation.



Our School Library

Our recently opened school library in the entrance hall has been getting great use by our First and Second Classes.

As we build up our stock of books for next year all our classes will be using the library much more.

A big thank you to our parents and families for supporting our annual online Book Fair.

Thanks to your purchases we will be able to buy lots more lovely books for the children to enjoy.

Healthy Eating

In May the Incredible Edibles Healthy Eating Week was officially launched in Assumption Junior School. Some of our classes took part in workshops and learned a lot about healthy fruit and vegetables.





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Teddy Bears' Picnic

In May our Junior Infants enjoyed a Teddy Bears' Picnic on the lovely school lawns.



Green Fingers

During Aistear the junior infant classes have been busy in the garden centre. We also had a lovely visit to [@greenkitchendub](https://www.greenkitchendub.com) Garden Centre.





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Showtime!

There was great excitement in Senior Infants this May when weeks of preparation resulted in an amazing show for all their families! The children showcased all their Aistear themes for the year through wonderful songs and performances. Check out some of our swashbuckling stars!





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Books and Resources

All schoolbooks and copies will be funded by the Department of Education for next school year. This is a great step towards eliminating back to school costs for parents. Thank you to everyone who has made the contribution towards arts & crafts/stationery/photocopying expenses already. The payment can be made via the Aladdin app or in cash to the school office. A payment plan can be set up with Nora in the school office.

School Calendar 2023/24

You can find a copy of the school calendar for 2023/24 on our website here:

<https://www.assumptionjns.com/calendar-202324.html>

The school reopens for the new year on August 30th.

Upcoming School Closures

June 30th: School closes for Summer Holidays at 11:30 (Autism Classes) & 11:45 (Mainstream Classes)

July 14th: Last day of School-Based Summer Provision



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Junior Infant Starting School Times 2023



- August 30th to September 1st: 9.30 am to 11.45am
- September 4th to September 8th: 8.50am to 11.45am
- From September 11th: 8.50am to 1.30pm

BIG NEWS - June 26th to 29th is FUN WEEK!



Fun Week is free to all children and will be fully funded by our Board of Management. Children can wear their own clothes to school for Fun Week. Please donate any good quality used school tracksuits to the school during Fun Week so that we can gather stock and organise a free uniform swop in 2024.

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