Dear Parents and Guardians,
the week of the Parent Teacher meetings has come to an end and I hope you all enjoyed meeting your child's teacher and hearing about their progress in our school. It's such an important 10 minutes for your sons and daughters where their 2 worlds meet. Research highlights the profound impact that these meetings have on children.

Internet Safety talk
All parents are invited to attend an Internet Safety Training Session from the National Parents Council in our school on Tuesday 3rd December at 7:30pm

Anti bullying Art competition
Well done to the winners of our 'Scoil Mhuire le chéile' Anti Bullying Art Competition. The winning pieces will be turned into a collage by a local Artist and painted on the school walls.

Frasai na seachtaine (phrase of the week)
Slán leat – Slán agat
Slán agus beannacht / Slán go fóill

Goodbye to you
Goodbye and blessings / Goodbye for now

Assembly
I have added the 4th classes whole school assembly performance of 'Shake it off' and 'Unstoppable' to your YouTube channel:
https://youtu.be/lp1gNk82Tdg
and 'Unstoppable' @
https://youtu.be/Oxc9hLKaudU

Pyjama day
Our Students Council have requested if the whole school could have a PJ day before Christmas, which I have agreed to. Children are permitted wear their PJs next **Thursday 28th**. A €2 contribution per child is requested and proceeds go to our Parents Association. Please ensure the children wear warm clothes inside their PJs.

General election
Reminder that school will be closed on Friday next for the General Election

Parents Association
The parents association are hosting a craft fair on Sunday 1st December from 10-2pm and are looking for baked goods either baked or shop bought if anyone wants to donate they can drop it to committee members (eircode W91P400 & W91DN88) or dropped to the hall on the morning of the fair! Also if anyone has an hour or two to spare on the day please contact Trish on 0857211496

Huge thanks to the Parents Association who have purchased a full ‘Let’s experiment’ Science Kit for the school. The kit includes materials for experimenting with Electricity, Magnetism, Light , Forces & Motion and Sound

Dave’s Jungle

Our Junior Infants were treated to up close and personal encounters with tarantula spiders, snakes, lizards and frogs today as Dave’s Jungle visited their classes

Hurling for 1st and 2nd

Finally, thank you to everyone who sent in water yesterday. You helped to keep us afloat!

Have a lovely weekend. Is mise le meas

Ciarán O’Toole
Principal