



Chapel Road PS

March 2018



Dear Parent/Guardian

It is time once again to let you know what is happening in our busy school! There is much to celebrate during the month of March and we are looking forward to some fun events.

Feet First Families

On Friday 9th March we are holding our Feet First Families event. We are encouraging the children and families to make an active journey to school - walk, cycle or scoot! We are also hoping to close Knockdara Park to cars and use the space to play during the day!

If you need to drive please consider joining staff at St Columb's Church and walking up to school. (see letter from Friday 2nd for more details)

First Confession - 7th March

Our Primary 4 boys and girls have been very busy preparing for the Sacrament of confession. This will take place in the school hall Wednesday 7th March at 1.30pm. Thank you to Mrs Conaghan for helping the children prepare for this special event.

Shared Education

We are joining with Ashlea Primary, Culmore Primary and Oakgrove Integrated Primary to provide an exciting programme of events for our P5 and P6 children. In March alone, P5 will have a team day in Foyle Arena (13th March), a Walled city tour (20th March) and a QR codes workshop (26th March). P6 will also be having a team day in Foyle Arena (14th March), a visit to Ashlea Primary (15th March) and Oakgrove Primary (21st March). We look forward to seeing the photos and hearing about their experiences.

Reminder - School Closures

St Patrick's Day - School closes Friday 16th March at 12.00pm and reopens Tuesday 20th March.

Easter Holidays - School finishes for Easter on Thursday 29th March at 12.00pm. School re-opens on Monday 9th April.

Confirmation

Congratulations to our Primary 7 children who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday 3rd March. The children were extremely respectful and reverent in church. Thank you to Mr Morrison and Miss Caroline who helped prepare the children for their special day.

Annual Ceile - Friday 16th March

To celebrate St Patrick's Day, we are going to have a CEILE. This will take place on Friday 16th March at 10am in the hall. Please feel free to come along and join in the fun! The children will be having an early lunch and school finishes at 12.00pm.

This will also be a non-uniform day and children can wear something green instead of their uniform if they wish. Please send in £1 which will go to charity. We would like to wish everyone a Happy St Patrick's Day!

First Holy Communion

Our Primary 4 children will be celebrating their First Holy Communion on Saturday 19th May at 11am. A photographer will be available in the hall. More information will follow.