

**School Information for Parents/Guardians**

**Monday 27 January 2025**

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**Post Primary Transfer 2025**

**The application process for P7 children transferring to post-primary school in September 2025 is opening on Tuesday 28 January 12noon.**

**Application is online via the EA website www.eani.org.uk between 12.00 noon on Tuesday 30 January and 12 noon on Thursday 20 February 2025.**

**NUT FREE SCHOOL**

**St Brigid’s PS is a Nut Free School. There is a child in our school with a Nut Allergy.**

**Please do not send in Nuts or Nut Spreads to school.**

**Sunday 26 January**

* **Year 4 Holy Communion Class: Do This in Memory Sunday Mass 9.30 am**

**Monday 27 January**

* Dinner menu Week 1– for details see school website.
* School Photographer in – Class Group Photos

**Tuesday 28 January**

* Violin & Guitar Tutor in
* **Swimming Class B (1.00-1.30pm) and Year 6 (1.30-2.00 pm)**

**£3.50 per week**

**Wednesday 29 January**

* Dinner Menu Change – See page 2
* Singing Tutor in
* Year 5 Basketball: (5 weeks - £2.00 per week or £10.00 for 5 weeks)

**Thursday 30 January**

**Friday 31 January**

* St Brigid’s Day Mass – Whole School 10am
* Principal Awards
* Netball Practice
* Football 2-3 pm (£1 per week/£10 for 10 weeks)

**Up and coming information & dates for your Diary**

* **Mid Term Break 2025:**

Monday 10 February – Friday 14 February (inclusive)

Monday 17 & Tuesday 18 March – St Patrick’s Day

**Easter Break 2025:**

12 noon Thursday 17 April – Friday 25 April (inclusive)

Have a very enjoyable weekend and thanks for your continued support.

Mr K O’Neill Principal

**St Brigid’s Primary School – Castle Street – Ballymoney – BT53 6JX – 028 27662664**

**Menu Change**

**CHINESE NEW YEAR WEDNESDAY 29TH JANUARY 2025**

**Chicken chunks**

**Curry sauce**

**Sweet & sour sauce**

**Steamed Rice, noodles or chips**

**Green beans**

**Sweetcorn**

**Ice cream & fresh fruit**

**Save the Date!!**

**Grandparents’ Day**

**Wednesday 5th February**

**More details to follow**

**St Brigid’s Day**

As St Brigid’s Day this year is a Saturday, we are celebrating on Friday 31 January 2025

**Whole School Mass 10.00 am**

**Parents and in particular Grandparents all welcome to attend.**

**Everyone Welcome.**

**P1 Applications 2025**

**Applications for a P1 place for September 2025 have now closed.**

**If you have missed the online deadline, you can still make a late application. Please contact the school if this is the case.**

**Sacrament Dates 2024-25**

**Sacrament of Penance:** (Year 3)

Thursday 27 March 11.00am

**Sacrament of Confirmation:** (Year 7)

Friday 11 April 10.30am

**Sacrament of Communion:** (Year 4)

Saturday 17 May 10.30 am

**Year 4 Holy Communion Class**

After Mass we invite all primary school aged children and their parents to join us in the parish hall for craft activities (and a cup of coffee for the parents!)

**Do This in Memory Sundays**

January 26th, 2025

February 23rd, 2025

March 16th, 2025

April 13th, 2025

June 22nd, 2025

***All at the 9.30am Mass***

**Pupil Absence**

If your child is absent from school please contact the school office on the first day of absence, give the reason for absence and possible duration.

Thank you

**Term 2 Holidays**

**Mon 10 – Fri 14 Feb**

Mid-Term Break

**Monday 17 & Tuesday 18 March**

St Patrick’s Day

**Fri 18 – Fri 25 Apr**

Easter Break