



JUNE
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Hello everyone!

There is lots happening in Holy Family Junior School during the month of June. We hope that your child enjoys the fun activities and positive learning experience that this Summer month has to offer.

Thank you for all the constant support that you give to your child, ensuring that he or she enjoys the school day. Thank you for bringing your child to school on time each day and thank you for supporting us with all the teaching and learning that happens.

The children benefit most when we work together as a team. We, the staff in Holy family Junior School are blessed to work with you and your children, on such a united, loyal team.

Induction Day

Induction Day for Junior Infants starting in September 2022 will take place on Wednesday the 15th of June from 11.20 to 12.20. Parents will receive a letter this week. Children will spend the time with their new teacher in their classrooms and parents are invited to the Parents' Room for teas/coffees during this time.



Active Schools Week and Sport's Day

This week is ACTIVE SCHOOLS week. Your child should wear his/her school tracksuit/shorts and runners each day. Please apply sun cream each morning and give your child **an extra drink** coming to school. Active schools' week is thirsty work!

Because it is so wet and windy this week, we plan to hold **SPORTS DAY** on **Monday the 20th of June**, weather permitting. Parents and guardians are welcome to join us on the day from 11.00am to support your child and his/her class as they participate in the races and activities.

E payments



We are now using Aladdin Connect for e-payments. You will receive an Aladdin message when an epayment is required.

School reports

School reports will be sent to parents in the middle of June through the Aladdin Connect app. If you are having technical difficulties with Aladdin, please call into Ita at reception.

Booklists

Your child's book list will be sent home through the Aladdin Connect app during the last week of school. Booklists will also be available for you to view or print on the school website.

Bikes/Scooters



We are delighted that so many pupils are cycling and scooting to school but please remember to take bikes and scooters home in the evenings. The school is not responsible for bikes and scooters left outside the school.

Birthday parties and invitations

Birthday parties are great fun and a very important celebration in your child's life. However, we are not in a position here at school to distribute birthday invitations or to share out cakes and sweets on your child's birthday. While your generosity is much appreciated, parties are best celebrated outside school time.

Play Time



The children have been having great fun playing on the grass at break times when it is not raining. If the weather allows, from next week pupils will enjoy lots of different types of ball games during play time and school time from now until the end of June.

School Calendar 2022-2023

Our new school calendar for 2022-2023 is being sent to you today by Aladdin. You will also be able to look at the school calendar for 2022-2023 on our school website at

<https://holyfamilyjuniorschool.com/calendar/> from next week. Children will return to school on Wednesday the 31st of August.



Ms. Gráinne's Summer Camp (Fun and Games)

Ms. Grainne will be holding two summer camps this year.

- Weeks: 11th to 15th July. 18th to 22nd July
- Time; 9.30am to 1pm. Suitable for 3 years to 6 years old.
- €65.00 euro per week. Call or text Gráinne on 087 2033328 for further details.



Holy family Junior School Summer Programme

Hoy Family Junior School will be holding a fun filled Summer programme from Monday the 4th of July to Friday the 8th of July. If you are interested in your child participating, please get in touch with Marina or Ita to let them know.



Home School Community Liaison (HSCL) Teachers

Hello everybody! These are the last updates for us this school year!

The Parents' Association will run their annual second-hand **uniform sale** in the hall on **Wednesday the 29th June from 10 to 11.30am and from 1pm – 3pm**. If you wish to donate or sell outgrown CLEAN uniforms to the annual sale, please drop them to the Junior School Reception on Monday the 27th of June from 8.45am – 11.00am.

We have 3 more Tuesdays in the garden before the holidays. There is so much to be done before the Summer. Please join us from 9am to 10am even if you have never come before! Your help is much appreciated.

English classes are ongoing. If you would like to join a class or any other details call Mary on 065 6824819 or Marina/Orla at the numbers below.

THANK YOU for your continuous support, for the chats and most of all for your kindness during the year. **Looking forward to lots more of the same next year!!**

Marina (0866040686) and Orla (0861529211)