

St. Michael's & St. Patrick's N.S. (Roll No. 19720P)  
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30<sup>th</sup> April, 2021.

Dear Parents,

**School Closure** The school will be closed on **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May** for the May Bank Holiday.

**Standardised Testing** Standardised testing for 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> class students will take place in the school at the end of May.

**First Holy Communion** First Holy Communion will take place on **Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> August in Cootehall Church**. Mr. Conboy is continuing preparations with the 2<sup>nd</sup> class students for this sacrament.

**Parent/Teacher Meetings** In line with Government Guidelines and in the interest of health and safety, the Parent Teacher Meetings will be conducted this year by phone. If you would like to speak to any of the class teachers, you can email your class teacher and they will arrange a time that suits.

Class	Teacher	Email address
Junior Infants	Ms. Brennan	deirdrebrennanschool@gmail.com
Senior Infants & 1 <sup>st</sup> Class	Ms. Conroy/Ms. Brennan	lconroydbrennan@gmail.com
1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Class	Mr. Conboy	lccootehall@gmail.com
3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Class	Ms. Tansey	tanya.tansey3@gmail.com
5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Class	Mr. Duffy	cootehallns@gmail.com
S.E.T.	Ms. Martin	camartin053@gmail.com
S.E.T.	Ms. Gilhooly	agilhoolyschool@gmail.com

**R.S.E.** The teachers will be covering the R.S.E. element and Stay Safe Programme of the S.P.H.E. curriculum with all the students in this term. If you have any queries regarding this please feel free to contact your child's class teacher.

**We ask that people refrain from parking in the area in front of the school gate as this area is reserved for the school bus to safely drop off and collect their passengers.**

We ask that all students arrive and are collected at agreed times please. **We ask that students do not leave their vehicle and enter the school grounds until a staff member opens and is present at the main school gate.** When pupils arrive at the school at their designated time, they must proceed

unaccompanied through the open main gate directly to their classroom and are not permitted to congregate/play in the school yard on arrival or on collection from school.

Parents must ensure that appropriate arrangements are put in place for assembly and dismissal of pupils.

**We ask that all parents adhere to Public Health Guidelines and please do not congregate at or near the school.**

Yours sincerely,

*Cían Duffy*  
**Principal.**