



St. Malachy's Primary School

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Dear Parents

Christmas Dinner will be served on Friday 4th December.

Confessions will be heard in school by Fr McAnenly for P5 – P7 children on Tuesday 8th December.

Christmas Jumper/Colours Day

This will now take place on Thursday 10th December. Children should wear their own clothes with a Christmas jumper or Christmas colours.

Christmas Concert

Unfortunately, we cannot hold our Christmas Carol Service this year. Each class will perform a Christmas song, which will be shared on the school app, website and Facebook page during the week of 14th December. The performance will be recorded on Thursday 10th December.

Children will leave school between 1 and 1.30 pm after their lunch or dinner on Friday 18th December.

Covid-19 has placed additional restrictions on all of us. In spite of this we have tried, with your cooperation, to make school as normal as possible. Whilst we greatly appreciate your generosity at Christmas to staff members, we recognise that this could increase the financial burden on families. Therefore, we would ask that you refrain from sending in gifts for staff this Christmas.

School will close for the Christmas holidays on Monday 21st December at 11 am and re-open on Monday 4th January 2021.

Parent Teacher Meetings

Parent teacher meetings will take place by telephone during the week of 28th Jan-1st February 2021. It will be a 5-minute progress meeting, focusing on literacy, numeracy and behaviour/application. Literacy and Numeracy targets will then be sent home. Parents will be contacted in January to choose a time slot.

Yours sincerely

PAUL DUGGAN
Principal

