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20th September 2023

Dear Parents/Guardians

**Please read both sides!!!!!**

**Money outstanding for additional requirements**

All monies for additional requirements by now should be paid. Many thanks to those who have paid fully and on time as this allows us to purchase the necessary resources needed to give your child the best chance possible in their learning this year.

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**Thank you parents !!!!**

As we draw to the close of a busy month back to school may we take this opportunity to say thank you for all your wishes of goodwill and appreciation to our hard-working staff. Thank you for your involvement in your child’s education at home. We greatly appreciate your efforts at home in reinforcing the learning we give your children every day. We cannot thank you enough for the important work you do in reading to your child, monitoring their homework and discussing expectations regarding conduct and citizenship, hard work and perseverance, resilience and self-reliance, all crucial skills for a successful life. We, parents and teachers, are all on the same team trying to ensure that your child succeeds in education. We cannot stress to you enough how valuable you are to this mission and to our school community. Thank you for having them ready for school every day with uniforms, equipment and lunches. Thank you for getting them into school and on time every day. It’s tough going but it will be so worth it in the end. So, thank you, and well done on an amazing job.

**Swimming**

**A six-week course of swimming classes in K-Leisure Athy for 5th class started on September 6th.** Please pay promptly and on time so we can cover the bus, pool hire and instructor costs. Thank you.

A six-week course of swimming in K-Leisure Athy for all other senior classes will start as follows:

3rd class – November 8th 2023

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**4th Class Annual Cycle Safety Training Course**

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**Dates for your diary**

* 6th class field trip to Athy Community College – September 29th
* **Welcome back to school mass – details to be confirmed**
* ***School closes at 2pm on October 10th for all pupils*** to facilitate a staff meeting and fire safety training. The bus has been told.
* School Photographer – **October 17th 2023**
* Annual School Book Fair –booked for **Spring 2023**

***Wednesday Note and school information also available***

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***Thank you for your co-operation with the above.***

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