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# Dear Parent/Guardian,

As we approach the end of the term I would like to thank you most sincerely for your support, patience and cooperation over the last year. 2020-2021 has been a very challenging year for all of us - pupils, parents/ guardians and staff- but we have weathered it together and hopefully 2021/2022 will be more bring a return to a more normal school environment.

## **Primary Seven**

On Friday we said farewell to the Primary Seven children. We were very sorry to see this class leaving as they were a terrific group of children – well mannered, kind and hardworking – a credit to their families. We wish them every success in their new schools and hope that they will be very happy.

## **Uniform Recycle**

The Friends of St Patrick will be holding their annual uniform recycle scheme in August, details of how to donate a uniform article and the date of the sale will be posted on the Friends of St Patrick's PS Facebook page.

## **Summer School**

Summer school - Week One commences on the 19th July. The sessions will run from 10am – 2pm daily. We hope that the children will be outside each day so please keep an eye on the weather forecast.

#### **Book Return**

The school will close on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> June at 11.30 am. If you have any school reading books or text books, we would be very grateful for their return to the school.

# 2021/2022 Return to School

The new Primary One children will begin school on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> August. All of the classes will return on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> August for the 2021/2022 school year.

# Free School Meals / School Uniform applications

Free School Meals / School Uniform applications for the 2021/22 school year can now be made online on the EA site – www.eani.org.uk

Parents/Guardians who have a child/children already entitled to free school meals during the 2020/21 school year will need to apply for these children (as well as any additional children) for the 2021/22 school year.

Finally, we wish you and your families a well-deserved summer break.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs N. Magee and staff

# Classes: 2021/2022

Primary One	Mrs Magee/ Mrs Kane
Primary Two/ Three	Ms Mc Conville/ Mrs Kane
Primary Four/ Five	Mrs Mc Caughey
Primary Six/ Seven	Mr Keenan