



Class Allocation 2025/2026

Your Daughter's Teacher for 2025 / 2026 will be

Ms. Catherine Fitzpatrick / Ms. Kim O'Connor
Classroom 4

1st Class Requirements

As you are aware, all primary school pupils' schoolbooks, workbooks and copybooks will be provided by the school for the new school year under the recently introduced Department of Education's Free Primary Schoolbooks Scheme.

Therefore, the list that will be sent home in respect of each pupil and payable to the school will now not include books or copybooks but will continue to include a list of necessary stationery requirements as well as requisites contributions towards: Photocopying, Art & Craft materials, IT & digital resources.

All school books belonging to the school which have been used by the pupils under the Book Rental Scheme as well as library books and other school materials have been collected. Parents are asked to ensure that children return all items which belong to the school. Please remember that children can reuse folders, etc... that are still of good quality.

<u>Retain From Last Year:</u> Old art shirt /t-shirt in small bag	
<u>Folders you are Required to purchase:</u> 1 A5 zipped mesh bag 1 A3 zipped mesh bag 1 A4 display book with 40 pockets 1 A4 mini whiteboard (solid one where you can write on both sides)	<u>Stationery you are required to purchase:</u> 1 pencil case 3 HB pencils 2 red pens 1 packet of twistables no markers or gel pens 2 white erasers 1 parer (one that collects parings) 1 30 cm ruler 3 labelled large pritt sticks 3 labelled thin black whiteboard markers

Books / Workbooks & Copies will be provided in school in September.

NO NOVELTY ITEMS PLEASE

N.B. Names to be clearly marked on outside of all stationery and inside all clothing and bags. Please label the entire school uniform as mix-ups may occur.

- **School Reopens on Thursday 28th August 2025**

School Requisites and School Appeal :

We are combining the classroom requisites and school appeal into one payment. We are grateful to the Department of Education for providing all school books free of charge again this year. However, some costs are not covered by this scheme, including art materials, photocopying, Aladdin Connect, and other curriculum licenses. The school appeal is also essential, as grants received do not fully cover costs like lighting, heating, cleaning, Insurance.

This combined payment of **€100.00** is due in September and can be made via Aladdin or in cash to your child's class teacher. Thank you for your continued support.

School Uniform

Wearing the correct school uniform promotes a sense of belonging and pride in our school community. It reflects the identity of our school, and ensures pupils present themselves in a way that will prepare them for future opportunities. Parents are expected to ensure their child attends school in the appropriate uniform.

<u>Uniform</u>	<u>Tracksuit</u>
Blue Pinafore White blouse / New white crested polo shirt Grey School Cardigan with blue stripes White or Grey Socks / Tights Flat Black Shoes (<u>no wedges/no decks</u> , in the interest of Health and Safety).	School Tracksuit top White Crested Polo Shirt Dark Navy Tracksuit Pants / Leggings (no logos) Functional Sports Runners (Velcro fastening for younger classes – NO CROC's / Sliders / Flashing lights / sandals) Dark Navy Shorts in hot weather (Can be purchased in Department regulation stores or Dunnes Stores / Next.....) Cycle shorts / GAA Shorts / Logos / stripes / symbols are NOT PERMITTED

Tracksuits, Uniforms, shorts (optional) & Cardigans are available from:

- J.J. Fennessy Ltd
31 William Street

Tel: 061-414879

A 'Swap and Drop' event will take place in the school hall on Thursday June 26th and on Tuesday August 26th 2025 should any parent wish to avail of this opportunity to reduce the cost of school uniform items.

If you qualify for '**Back to School Clothing & Footwear Scheme 2025**' it is strongly advised that you apply for this immediately to the Department of Social Protection, as it can take a number of weeks to process.