INDIVIDUAL AND FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHS

The school photographer will be visiting school on Friday 18th October to take individual and family photographs.

Family photographs involving pre-school-aged brothers or sisters will be taken in the school hall before the start of the school day. Further details will be sent out next week.

SCHOOL WILL CLOSE AT 3.15 P.M. ON FRIDAY 18TH OCTOBER FOR THE AUTUMN HALF-TERM HOLIDAY. IT WILL OPEN AGAIN AT 9.00 A.M. ON MONDAY 28TH OCTOBER.

FOOTWEAR FOR SCHOOL

Children are expected to wear shoes for school and the routine wearing of trainers is not permitted.

The only exceptions to the wearing of shoes are;

- a) If your child has a valid medical reason for wearing trainers.
- b) If your child's school shoes are temporarily unavailable e.g. they have been misplaced, they are damaged and need replacing or they are wet. In these instances we ask that you take the necessary action to ensure that your child wears shoes for school as soon as possible.

We ask parents to respect this aspect of our school uniform policy. Thank you.

Is Your Child Often a Few Minutes Late?

Please ensure that your child is inside the school building by the time the bell goes at 9 a.m. Children who regularly arrive late miss extremely important parts of the first lesson of the day, and this can affect their progress.

Arriving 10 minutes late each day is the same as your child missing 6 full days of learning, or 30 lessons over the year. As the first lesson each day is often the same subject this is a serious amount of learning time that they are missing.

BEING LATE IS BAD FOR YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATION!

CLASS ATTENDANCE COMPETITION				
1st Place	CLASS 4D	100%		
2 nd Place	CLASS 6D	99.4%		
3 rd Place	CLASS 1H	99.1%		
This week's Overall School Attendance Rate >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>		97.1%		
The Attendance Rate since the Start of the School Year >>>>>		97.1%		