

Shellybanks ETNS Bulletin 28/1/2019

Item	Update	Support
School Closure	School will be closed on Friday 3rd May for Primary Language Curriculum Training.	
Mid-Term Break	School will be closed on 20th, 21st and 22nd of February.	
BOM	There will be a Board of Management meeting on Monday Jan. 28th.	
International Week	The children had lots of fun learning about their chosen country. Thanks to Gemma and Eliya for organising this week.	
Leaving Shellybanks	A gentle reminder to all families to contact us if they are thinking of leaving the school.	
Fire Safety and Awareness Training	<p>This week all staff participated in a fire safety workshop delivered by a specialist member of the Fire Services. As a school, we are working very hard with the children to ensure that we have the correct procedures in place if a fire should occur. We strongly recommend that all families should have a Fire Safety plan in place at home.</p> <p>http://firesafetyweek.ie/fire_safety_tips/en</p>	
Parent Room	On Thursday morning a heater was left on in this room. For Health and Safety reasons we have removed this heater. We remind all parents to be respectful when using this room. At the end of each day there are toys and books strewn around it. It is the responsibility of the adults using the parent room to keep it tidy. Thank you.	
Slapped Cheek	We have been made aware that there is a case of Slapped Cheek Syndrome in the school this week.	Please see the HSE website here for further information.
Chickenpox	We have been made aware that there is a case of Chickenpox in the school this week.	Please see the HSE website here for further information.

IT Update	Over the past number of weeks Eoin's class have been using the school iPads to make digital books in Irish. This week also sees the commencement of two IT after school clubs at Shellybanks! Next week we will share our draft IT policy with parents for feedback.	
After school clubs	After school clubs will be starting this week. We have had fantastic sign up for these and we have no doubt they will be very successful this term.	
Literacy Week	We will be celebrating Literacy Week from February 11th. More information to be shared in the coming weeks!	
Assembly	<p>This week Gemma's Junior Infants will be sharing their learning in Assembly. Their topic is 'Feelings'</p> <p>We would like to remind parents that staff would prefer not to be photographed or videoed at assembly as this is our place of work. We thank you for your continued support with this.</p>	
Student of the Week	This week the target is 'We try something new.'	Awards
Gaeilgeoir na Seachtaine	<p>This week we are learning how to say:</p> <p>Infants: <i>Go raibh maith agat.</i> Thank you. Gu row my ogg-it <u>or</u> Gu riv moh ogg-it.</p> <p>1st/2nd/3rd: <i>Go raibh míle maith agat.</i> <i>Fáilte romhat.</i> Thank you. You're welcome. Gu row meela my ogg-it. Fawlcha rowath. or</p>	Awards

PTA	PTA newsletter is going out today. No other updates.	
Building Update	No update	