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Item	Update	Support
Child Safeguarding Statement	A review of the statement is underway. Please email Aiveen if you have any feedback.	Link
Yard	A gentle reminder that parents/guardians should keep children away from any icy patches/puddles in the morning while waiting for school to begin.	
	Also, there should not be any bikes/scooters on yard. Thank you	
Staff Car Park	Children should not be left in the staff car park unsupervised. We had an incident last week where a small child was behind a car when a staff member was pulling out.	
Meeting with teachers	Teachers engage in meetings with parents, teachers and other professionals before and after school. Please do not interrupt/enter a classroom without having a pre-arranged appointment. If you wish to arrange an appointment you can email your class teacher.	
Incoming Junior Infants	Parents of new Junior infants are invited to attend our open night on Wednesday at 7pm. This will happen in Aileen's prefab.	
Parent Teacher Meeting Third Class	Eliya's class will be having PT meetings on the week of the 25th of February. Information has been sent out to parents.	
IT Update	The Junior Infants will begin to use Bee bots this week during station teaching. These are small robots that can be controlled by children. They are used to develop oral language skills, instruction and direction e.g. right, left.	
Library Visit	Thanks to the parents who accompanied Aileen and Fionnula's classes to the library. It was a great success.	
Third Class	Ciara's class are going to Milanos on Haddington Road on Tuesday the 12th (next	ciara@shellybanksetns.ie

Upcoming Trip	week) to have a cooking lesson where they will be making their own pizzas! Ciara needs some helpers for the trip to accompany the class.	
Assembly	There will be no class sharing learning at assembly this week. Aisling's assembly will be rearranged & she will contact parents with the details.	
Literacy Week	We are celebrating Literacy Week in our school from the 11th - 15th of February. Please click the link for details on activities.	Literacy Week
Student of the Week	This week the target is 'We show independence.'	<u>Awards</u>
Gaeilgeoir na Seachtaine	This week we are learning how to say: Infants: Tuigim. I understand. Tig-um. 1st/2nd/3rd: Tuigim anois. I understand. Tig-um an-ish.	Awards
PTA	No update this week. Details for Pub Quiz to follow soon.	
Building Update	As you know site works have commenced for the temporary building in Roslyn Park. The Department has informed Educate Together that they are on schedule and are not expecting any delays. The works are due to be complete in May with handover scheduled for June. We have stressed to the Department that this timeline is imperative for our preparation in September. We are very excited to move to our new home!	