



St Dominic's RC Primary School & Early Learning Centre

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**Wear PE
KIT to
school on
your class
PE day:**
Tuesday:
P1/2 & P2/3
Thursday:
P3/4 & P6
Friday:
P4/5 & P7

Dear Families,

Parish Support

What an amazing gift P7 and ELC gave to the Parish on Tuesday. They gifted their time and hard work to help clear the leaves on the path at St Fillan's Church. What a joy it was to see staff and children enjoying the beautiful surroundings of the Church and also helping others. Thanks also to Mr Noonan our facilities manager. Well done everyone.



Snapshot Jotter & Family Contact: Tuesday 11 November

All of our pupils have completed this week's class work in a snapshot jotter. This jotter will be sent home on Monday 10 November for your children to share their learning with you. This jotter should then be brought to Family Contact on Tuesday and will be discussed at your 10-minute class teacher appointment on Tuesday 11 November. We are looking forward to meeting all of our families on Tuesday and anticipate productive conversations about your children's learning. As always, if you have any questions do not hesitate to get in touch- no matter how small your question is, I will attempt to answer or solve.

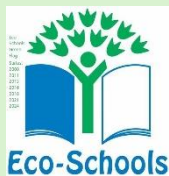
Privacy Notice

PKC have updated their privacy notice regarding photography/video permissions. This is available to read on our Policies section on the school website.

Christmas Concert P1-7, December 16 @2:30

Next week we will begin to organise our Christmas Concert, it will be on 16 December at 2-3:30 pm in the Tryst at Strathearn Community Campus. **There will be no evening performance.**

ELC Nativity will be on 10 December at 10:15 and P1/2 Nativity will be on 12 December at 2:30pm; both of these performances will be in St Dominic's School Hall.



Pantomime @ Perth Theatre

We are very excited for our excursion to Perth Theatre for the Pantomime, Thursday 18th December. Please ensure you complete the online payment and trip consent information by the end of this month.

Indoor Shoes: All classes please remember

Some pupils have returned after the holiday without indoor footwear. Please help keep our classroom carpets clean by ensuring your child has **black indoor shoes** to change into for their learning time when sitting on the carpet.

Flu Immunisation Programme Update

NHS Tayside has rescheduled this for Wednesday 17th December.

In-Service Days: School closed Thursday 13, Friday 14 Nov

All staff have a busy program of training next week. ELC- STEM (science, technology, engineering, and maths) training. Primary- Curriculum and Co-operative learning. Wraparound Care is open.

St Fillan's Parish News

- Primary 7 are hosting Catholic Education Week Mass @ 11am, St Fillan's Parish on Sunday 23rd November.
- Primary 2 and Primary 3 pupils are hosting First Advent Mass @ 11am, St Fillan's Parish on Sunday 30th November.

Flyers – please read what's on in Strathearn' email for flyers.

What's on Next Week

Monday 10: P3/4 and P4/5 Choir @ 10:50am with Mrs McLennan.

P3/4 Outdoor Learning with Kate (Groups A&B AM and Groups C&D PM).

Tuesday 11: Family Contact 1 of 2: 3:45 – 8:05pm & NEC Travel Registration and Aberlour Family Advice & Community Connections Service.

H&W-Mrs Ogg: P3/4, P2/3 & P1/2. Richmond House Group 3pm.

Wednesday 12: Assembly @ 09:20am. Rosary club with Mrs Dowell @ 1:15pm.

Thursday 13: INSET 2 – ELC & School closed. **WAC open**

Friday 14: INSET 3 – ELC & School closed. **WAC open**

Term 2 Dates for Your Diary

NOVEMBER:

Week commencing 17: Catholic Education Week

Sunday 23 @11am: P7 to St Fillan's Church for Catholic Education Week Mass

Monday 24: Show Racism the Red Card P6 and P7

DECEMBER:

Wednesday 10: ELC Nativity @10:15 **Friday 12:** P1 and P2 Nativity @2:30pm. **Tuesday 16:** School Christmas Afternoon Concert @ 2pm, Strathearn Community Campus.

Wednesday 17: NHS Tayside Flu Immunisations
Thursday 18: Primary school to Perth Theatre for Pantomime.

Monday 22: ELC & Class Christmas Disco (during the school day) – wear your party clothes to school! Tayside Christmas lunch.

Tuesday 23: Last day of term, school closes @ 12pm. End of Term Mass, School Hall @ 11am (all families welcome to attend Mass).

24 Wednesday 2025 – Tuesday 06 January 2026: Christmas Holidays

Have a lovely weekend, Mrs E Hunter, Head Teacher

