



St Dominic's RC Primary School & Early Learning Centre

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PARENT COUNCIL (SCHOOL HALL):

Family Beetle
Drive: 06/11/26
@ 6-8pm
T2 Meeting:
19/11/26 @
5:30pm
Quiz Night:
05/02/26 @
TBC
T3 Meeting:
25/02/27 @
5:30pm
T4 Meeting:
03/06/27 @
5:30pm

Dear Families,

The **Care Inspectorate report for St Dominic's Early Learning and Childcare and Wraparound Care** report reflects the high-quality care, learning experiences and nurturing environment that our children enjoy every day. We are incredibly proud of this positive outcome and would like to invite you to take some time to read the report [329169.pdf](#) and celebrate this achievement with us.

Our sincere thanks go to all of our parents and carers for your continued support, encouragement and partnership. We are particularly grateful for your involvement during the inspection process, as well as the trust and support you provide every day. Working together enables us to provide the very best experiences for our children and families.

This positive report is a testament to the dedication and commitment of our entire staff team and the strong relationships we share with our school and local community.

St Fillan's Parish News – Sacrament of Confirmation

Please note the change of date for the **P7 Sacrament of Confirmation**, which will now take place on Thursday 29 April 2027 @ 5pm.

Student Placement

Next week we look forward to welcoming 3 CHS pupils for a week placement within both the ELC and school setting.

Macmillan Coffee Morning- everyone welcome! Friday 25 September @ 8:30am

On Friday, we are delighted to host our Macmillan Coffee Morning and everyone is warmly invited to join us. There will be home baking, a lovely cup of tea or coffee and time for a blether; all while helping us raise precious funds for Macmillan Cancer Support. If you have any home baking please mark the allergens and send in on Thursday.

Family meet the Teacher: Tuesday 06 October, 3:30 - 4:30pm



Wear PE KIT to school on your class PE day:
Tuesday: P1/2, P2/3, P3/4 & P7
Thursday: P1/2, P3/4, P5, P6 & P7
Friday: P2/3, P5 & P6

You are invited to join us for our Open Afternoon, Meet the Teacher, on Tuesday 06 October. This will be a lovely opportunity to visit your child's classroom, meet their teacher and see some of the exciting learning experiences your child enjoys in school.

Annual Data Checks, Permissions & Policies Overdue

We still have numerous families still to complete their annual data checks, permissions and policies. **If you would like some help** in person, please email or pop into the school office. If you are unsure what you have left to complete, please phone or email the school office. **Unfortunately, we are unable to proceed with sharing of learning sways until all of these permissions have been received.**

Attendance Policy

Our last annual policy to share for 2026-27! We understand sickness and emergencies happen time-to-time. Please help support the class teachers by arriving on time to school. This helps ensure pupils don't miss any teaching input ahead of a lesson. Approximately 23% of pupils are leaving St Dominic's early on a regular basis. This can be disruptive to classes as pupils become unsettled with the disturbance – please try where possible to align with the school day of 9:10am – 3:30pm.

School Ties: Please ensure your child wears their school tie

Ties can be purchased through the school office and payment processed via parentpay.

Tempest Update

Tempest have profusely apologised and acknowledged their attempt at saving paper by trialling a new system was not successful and they will be returning to the multiple photo cards for next year. Online orders can be placed until midnight 30 September for free school delivery.

Flyers

Please look out for a parentpay email sent today 'what's on in Strathearn' for flyers we have been asked to share. *Disclaimer: we are simply sharing and by no means are responsible for or endorse any of the flyers shared.*

What's on Next Week

Monday 21:

Tuesday 22: H&W with Mrs Ogg: P1/2, P7 & P3/4. Rosary Club with Mrs Dowell @ 1:30pm.

Wednesday 23: Assembly am. **P3/4** Outdoor Learning with Kate (Groups A&B am & Groups C&D pm). Citizenship groups 2:15 -3pm

Thursday 24:

Friday 25: H&W with Mrs Ogg: P5, P6 & P2/3. **MacMillan Coffee Morning, 08:30-09:30am in school hall.**

Term 1 Dates for Your Diary

Tuesday 6 October: Family meet the teacher, in classrooms @ 3:30 – 4:30pm (last entry 4:15pm).

Friday 9 October @ 3:30pm: Last Day of Term Please note the last day of term is a full school day. We return to school on Monday 26 October at 9:10am.

Have a lovely weekend, Mrs E Hunter, Head Teacher