



# CIPS News

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## School — Home Communication



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## Ganaway

Parents' meeting Tuesday 5th March 2024 @ 3.15 pm

One parent from each family must attend the meeting as paperwork will be given out for completion and important information relayed. Pupils may accompany parents to the meeting.

## PARENT/TEACHER CONSULTATIONS



Thank you to everyone who attended the parent/teacher consultations before the half-term break. We hope you found them useful and informative. The turn out was excellent. Working together we can ensure that our children have the best possible educational opportunities. Your support means a lot.

## Primary 6 Parents' meeting

A meeting for all P6 parents will take place on Wednesday 28th February @ 3.15 pm. The meeting is in relation to the new SEAG test which has replaced the AQE for transfer to Grammar school and the process of applying for post primary places on the new EA portal.

## SAINT PATRICK'S DAY, HALF DAY CLOSURE

As per our 2023/2024 Holiday List, school will close at 12pm on **MONDAY 18TH MARCH** for St. Patrick's Day...



**NO LUNCHES WILL BE SERVED**

School will resume at the usual time on Tuesday 19th March.

## Time outside to play

With the better weather and longer evenings drawing in, please remember to encourage your child to spend time outdoors rather than too much 'screen time.'

We know this is a very obvious statement but fresh air really helps children with their learning so perhaps try to build this into their evening and limit their 'screen time' if you can.

## Safeguarding

Safeguarding and Child Protection is very important to us in Central Integrated PS. As such I would like to remind parents about how to report any Safeguarding concerns you may have...

1. If you have any worries or concerns about the welfare of Safeguarding of any child in our school you can report your concern to the class teacher.
2. If you are still concerned speak with Mrs Lowry (Designated Teacher for Child Protection). If she is not available speak with Mrs Hall (Deputy Designated Teacher for Child Protection).
3. If you are still concerned you can write to the Chairperson of the Board of Governors- Mr Ian Baxter or the Safeguarding Governor, Mrs O Donnelly.