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Dear Parents,

School Closure

As you will be aware, the Education Minister has announced that schools will remain closed until Monday 8th March. We understand the difficulty that this poses to all of our families and we appreciate your support in implementing remote learning at home. Teachers are on hand to offer support to your child via Seesaw and please email your child's teacher if you have any questions or queries. I am available over the phone in the school office during the week or via email – smone720@c2kni.net.

Mid-Term Break

We have made an adjustment to our originally planned mid-term holidays. We have now brought the break period in line with other schools to cover the dates Monday 15th February to Friday 19th February. There will be no remote or supervised learning available on these dates. Remote and supervised learning will recommence on Monday 22nd February.

Class Zoom Assemblies

We will host live virtual class assemblies via Zoom this Friday 5th February. Your child's teacher will be in touch via Seesaw with more details. Please see the rota below. The short Zoom assemblies will allow your child to see their classmates and interact with them. It is important that you trial-run the Zoom platform in advance and please be aware of possible technical issues. I will send out your child's class Zoom code in advance of the assembly and will control the Zoom settings. Children must be supervised by an adult during the assembly and the expectation of children's behaviour is the same as that of the physical classroom.

Primary 1 – 10.00am

Primary 2 – 10.30am

Primary 3 – 11.00am

Primary 4 – 11.30am

Primary 5/6 – 12 noon

Primary 7 – 12.30pm

Internet Safety Training

We will be providing Internet Safety Training in conjunction with REIM Training Solutions for all parents next Monday 8th February at 7pm via Zoom. I will send out a link to the session in advance via text and the school app. Please ensure that an adult member of your household attends the virtual training.

Yours sincerely,

S Mone

Principal

