



All pupils deserve a rewarding educational experience.

Dates for your Diary:

Thursday 8th and Friday 9th June 2023

Duke of Edinburgh Silver Practice Expedition

Thursday 8th and Monday 12th June 2023

Year 8 Health Appraisals

Tuesday 13th June 2023

Sports' Day

Tuesday 20th and Wednesday 21st June 2023

Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Assessed Expedition

Tuesday 27th to Thursday 29th June 2023

Duke of Edinburgh Silver Assessed Expedition

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Free Breakfast: The free breakfast will continue for all year groups, daily from 8am to 8.30am in the school canteen.

MEDICAL INFORMATION:

Year 8 Health Appraisals: Year 8 pupils have been given Health Appraisal Forms which should have been returned by now. The Health Appraisals will be on **Thursday 8th and Monday 12th of June.**

CLUBS AND SPORT:

Junior Choir: will continue **Tuesday** at junior lunch in room 155.

Orchestra: will be on this **Tuesday** in the Music department. Orchestra will continue to the end of term, and we encourage all pupils who have had lessons in school this year to attend. There will be parts available for all standards and we would love everyone to come and get involved.

Music Theory Club is on every **Friday**, room 155. This is for any musicians in years 8-14, GCSE or A level students who need to improve their music theory knowledge or complete their theory grades. Music Theory will continue a Friday after school, and they are looking for new members! If your child plays an instrument or is taking up GCSE next year, we encourage them to attend.

Athletics Practice: **Tuesday** after school **3-4pm**. Year 8 pupils and anyone who finished 1st, 2nd or 3rd in any event at Sports Day last year.

SUBJECTS:

Music Tuition Fees: If your child takes lessons with a board tutor (Mrs McKay or Mr Doherty) your third and final payment is now in your basket in the Parent Pay App. Please ensure that all money for the years tuition is paid by **31st May**. If there are any issues, please contact the school office.

HOUSE SYSTEM:

HOUSE POINTS:



OUTSIDE AGENCIES:

Training Opportunity for parents on autism: Anne Marie McCloskey is running a training course entitled, 'The Key Elements of Accepting Autism'. The course is for anyone who has an interest in getting independent, up to date training, in Autism. It is being run over a period of five weeks and details are outlined below:

Week 5 - The undervalued impact of communications and visuals (**8th June 6.30pm - 8.30pm**)

It is an in-person event and will be held each night at **The Elk Complex, Toomebridge**. Each session is £25 or £100 if you go to all five. Places are limited. To book a place, you can contact Anne Marie via email (autismsolutionsni@outlook.com) or message through Facebook 'Autism Solutions NI'.

Sport for Good Programme - Lidl

Lidl Northern Ireland shoppers can nominate their local secondary school to win a place on the Sport for Good programme, as well as £1,000 worth of brand-new sports equipment, by visiting their local Lidl store and making a purchase using the Lidl Plus Rewards App to receive a qualifying Lidl receipt containing a 10-digit code. Receipt codes must be submitted online along with the secondary school nomination for a chance to win. Entries can be made via the dedicated Sport for Good online entry form at lidl-ni.co.uk/lidl-community-works. The competition is open now until **Sunday 25th June 2023**.

For more information, please visit www.lidl-ni.co.uk/lidl-community-works.

OUTSIDE AGENCIES:

Ballyclare youth club: is open for business! Running Tuesdays and Fridays between 5pm & 7pm for ages 9-13 then 7pm to 9pm for ages 14-18. The Youth Club is free and new members are required to register upon entry. Members must provide them with their phone number and email address. The youth club is at 2 Doagh Rd, just up from the town hall in the old J.A McClelland building

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Ballyclare!

Open Now!

Tuesdays

Ages 9-13
5:00pm-7:00pm

Ages 14-18
7:00pm-9:00pm

Fridays

Ages 9-13
5:00pm-7:00pm

Ages 14-18
7:00pm-9:00pm

FREE

New Members Must Register Inside

Canteen Menu:

Morning Break	Notes: 1st break only
<u>Toast Available Daily</u> Monday = Pizza Tuesday = Croissant Wednesday = Jambon Thursday = Sausage Rolls Friday = Croissant	2 Service Points Daily Subject to Staffing

Item	Allergy
Pizza	Wheat & Milk
Croissant	
Jambon	Wheat, Egg & Milk
Sausage Rolls	Wheat <u>May Contain</u> Milk, Egg, Mustard & Fish
Toast	Wheat & Soya

	Vegetarian	Pasta Bar	Main Course	Snack Items	Vegetables	Desserts
Monday	Salad Bar available For Wraps Baguettes	Pasta Bolognese Sauce Italiano Sauce	Sausages	Jambons Pizza slice Peperoni Pizza	Chips Gravy Beans Curry Sauce Grated Cheese	Popcorn Cookie Cup Cake 15'S Digestive Biscuit
Tuesday	Salad Bar available For Wraps Baguettes	Pasta Bolognese Sauce Italiano Sauce	Chicken Curry & Rice	Sausages Rolls Pizza Slice Finger Bread pizza	Veg Soup Wheaten Bread	Shortbread Yoghurt Bread Krispie slice Digestive
Wednesday	Salad Bar available For Wraps Baguettes	Pasta Bolognese Sauce Italiano Sauce	Lasagne & Garlic Bread	Chicken Burger Pepperoni or Plain Pizza Slice	Herb diced potato Baked Potato Beans Coleslaw	Choc Chip Cookie Date Krispie Flake meal Biscuit Digestive
Thursday	Salad Bar available For Wraps Baguettes	Pasta Bolognese Sauce Italiano Sauce	Chicken pie	Beef Burger & Bap Pizza Slice Soda Bread Pizza	Mashed Potato Peas Gravy	Chocolate Brownie Chocolate Cookie Creamed Fairy Cake Digestive
Friday	Salad Bar available For Wraps Baguettes	Pasta Bolognese Sauce Italiano Sauce	Southern Fried Goujon	Hot Dogs Pizza Slice	Chips Gravy Beans Curry Sauce Grated Cheese	Rice Krispie Bun Pineapple Delight Meringue Finger Digestive

Items available Daily, Sandwiches, Baguettes & Wraps all made to order & Panini. Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt, bread, milk & water available.

Quote of the Week:

"BEFORE YOU SPEAK, LET YOUR WORDS
PASS THROUGH THREE GATES:

IS IT TRUE?

IS IT NECESSARY?

IS IT KIND?"

- BUDDHA