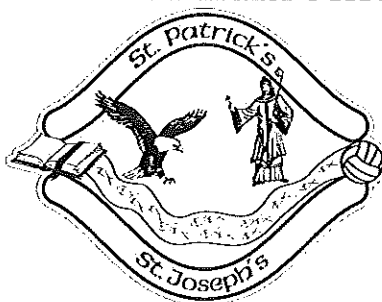


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5 March 2020

Dear Parent/Guardian

Pancake Tuesday

We would like to thank Eagle Glen Costcutters who sponsored the ingredients for the delicious pancakes which Patricia made for all the children (and staff) from the Glenullin site.

Allergies / Medical Needs

A number of children within the school are allergic to nuts and or eggs. As an anaphylactic reaction to these foods can be potentially life threatening we ask that all parents ensure that no nut products (e.g. Kinder eggs/ bars) or egg (such as egg sandwiches) be brought into the school.

Any parent who has a child requiring any medication during school hours (this includes Calpol and asthmatic inhalers) must always fill out the appropriate forms available from the school office prior to the child taking or bringing the medication to school.

A reminder for parents whose child has agreed medication stored in the school that the onus is upon the parent to ensure that the medication is always within its expiry date.

Whole School Assembly

The Whole School Assembly on Friday 27 March will be led by P3 in the Glenullin site. It will commence at **9.15 a.m.** and everyone is welcome.

Irish for the Month

Body Parts

ceann	kunn	head	gualainn	goolin	shoulder
éadan	Aidan	forehead	brollach	brollach	chest
cluas	clooas	ear	uillinn	illin	elbow
fiacla	fakela	tooth	bolg	bolg	stomach
gruaig	gruegg	hair	lámh	lav	hand
súil	sooil	eye	méara	maira	fingers
srón	srown	nose	glúin	glooin	knee
béal	bail	mouth	cos	cos	foot
muineál	muinyal	neck			

Song of the Month

Ceann, gualainn, glúin is cos (Heads, Shoulders, Knees and Toes)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wIPiEEzrtX8>

Sensory Room Dates

The dates when individual classes will be in the Tirkeeran site to use the Sensory Room are detailed below. Please ensure that your child is left to Tirkeeran on the appropriate dates.

Wednesday	11 March	P6 class	9.00 – 11.00 am
Wednesday	25 March	P5 class	9.00 – 11.00 am
Wednesday	1 April	P4 class	9.00 – 11.00 am

Dates

Thursdays		Each class will, in turn, visit Garvagh Library on a Thursday morning.	
		P6 – Thursday 12 March	P3 – Thursday 2 April
		P5 – Thursday 19 March	P2 – Thursday 23 April
		P4 – Thursday 26 March	P1 – Thursday 30 April
Monday After School's Club	To 23 Mar incl.	Camogie for P5, 6, & 7 with Miss O'Kane	Glenullin site
It is essential that all children are collected promptly at 3.55 pm from After School's activities.			
Tuesday After School	10 – 31 March	Heartstart After School's class for P5 with Mrs McCloy	
Wednesdays	To 24 June	Swimming for the P6 class	
Wednesday After School	To 8 April	Numeracy after school's class for P4 & 5 with Mrs Feeney	
Tuesday	3 March	All County Quiz at Owenbeg	
Mon - Fri	9 - 13 March	Seachtain Na Gaelige	
Friday	13 March	Children to wear green and class céilís – suggested £1 donation to Road of Hope.	
Wednesday	11 March	Fr Gallagher Blitz, Faughanvale - P6/7 boys	
Mon - Wed	16 - 18 March	School closed – St Patrick's Day	
Thursday	19 March	North Derry Indoor Camogie Final	
Monday	23 March	County 5-a-side Football Final in Magherafelt	
Tuesday	24 March	Ulster Final Cumann na nBunscoil Quiz in Cavan	
Friday	27 March	Whole School Assembly led by P3 in the Glenullin site commencing at 9.15 a.m. Parents welcome.	
Thursday	2 April	Confirmation in St Joseph's at 5pm administered by Bishop McKeown	
Thursday - Friday	9 April – 17 April incl.	School Closed for Easter Holidays – reopens Monday 20 April	
Monday	20 April	Cycling Proficiency commences for the P7 class, please arrange for bikes to be brought to the school.	
Saturday	25 April	First Holy Communion in St Joseph's Chapel at 11.00am	
Friday	1 May	Whole School Assembly led by P2 in the Glenullin site commencing at 9.15 a.m. Parents welcome.	
Mon – Fri	4 – 8 May	School closed	
Monday	25 May	School closed – Mid term	
Monday	25 May	Parent Teacher Meetings	
Friday	29 May	Whole School Assembly led by P1 in the Glenullin site commencing at 9.15 a.m. Parents welcome.	
Friday	5 June	Whole School Fun Day	
Mon, Thurs & Friday	8, 11 & 12 June	P7 class to Woodhall Residential Centre, Kilrea	
Tuesday	30 June	School closes at 12 noon	

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Head, shoulders, knees and toes

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Glúin is cos,

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes,

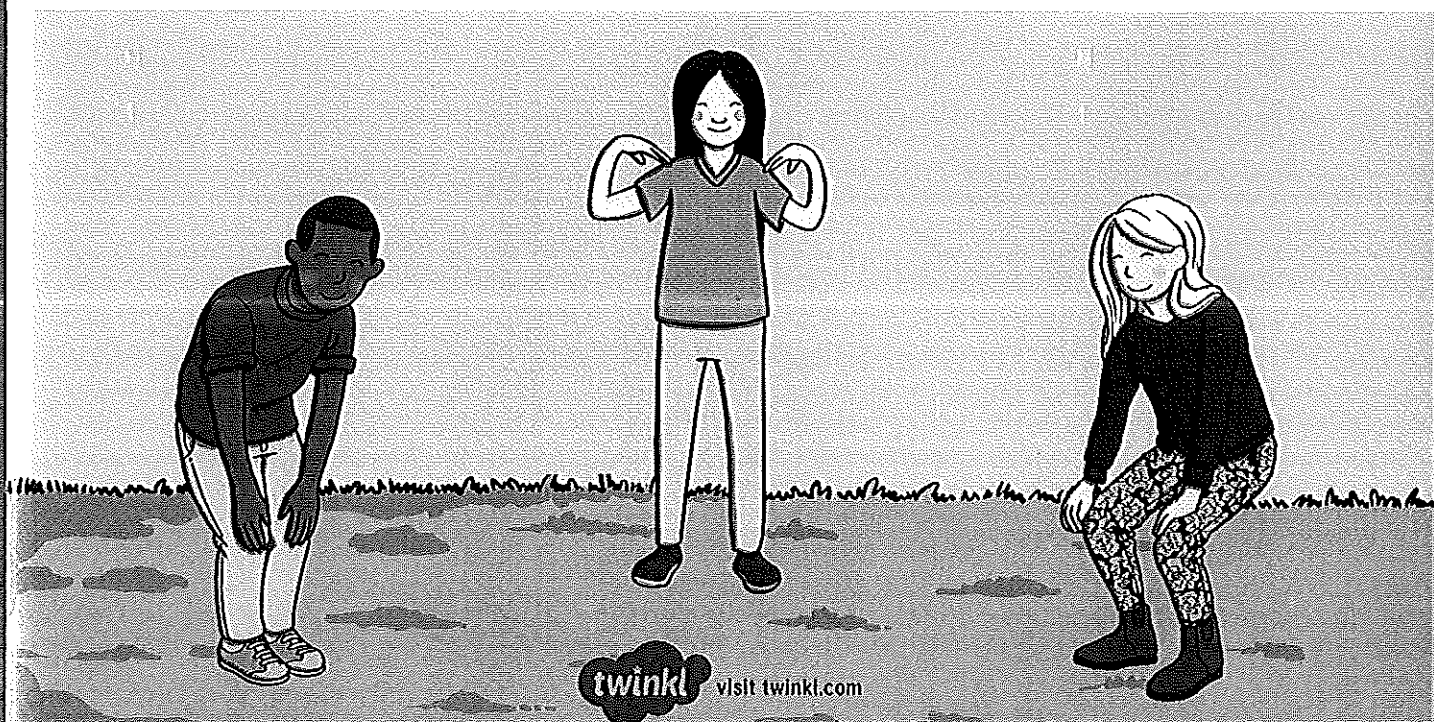
Ceann, gualainn, glúin is cos,
Glúin is cos,

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes,

Agus súile, cluasa, béal agus shrón,
And eyes and ears and mouth and nose,

Ceann, gualainn, glúin is cos,
Glúin is cos!

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes!



Ceann, gualainn, glúin is cos

Head, shoulders, knees and toes - Pronunciation

**'Kyunn, goo-uh-linn, gloo-uhn iss cuss,
Gloo-uhn iss cuss'**

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes,

**'Kyunn, goo-uh-linn, gloo-uhn iss cuss,
Gloo-uhn iss cuss'**

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes,

'Ug-gus soo-il-yuh, clooshuh bell uggus shron'
And eyes and ears and mouth and nose,

**'Kyunn, goo-uh-linn, gloo-uhn iss cuss,
Gloo-uhn iss cuss!'**

Head, shoulders, knees and toes, knees and toes!

