



# Ard Rí Community National School

Ard Rí C.N.S, Balreask Old, Navan, Co. Meath.

Principal: Darragh Roe  
Roll No 20352T



20.01.2021

Dear Ard Rí Community,

I would like to commend everyone for their dedication to online learning during the first two weeks of school closures. On a daily basis, teachers are setting a mixture of tasks involving both direct teaching through pre-recorded lessons and independent learning tasks. We are blown away by the creativity and the level of engagement of our pupils. We hope the teacher feedback is useful and helps to encourage the children to engage further in their online classroom. Our Special Ed teachers and SNAs are providing differentiated learning support for pupils on class Seesaw and through email, phone call and video call. We were delighted with the level of attendance at our live class assemblies this week. The objective of these lessons is for pupils to see their friends and feel connection to their teachers and the Ard Rí Community. Please see the schedule below for week 2 of these assemblies.

Timetable for Zoom assembly with each class is as follows:

<b>Friday- 22.01.2020</b>	10:00-10:20	Rang Maria
<b>Monday- 25.01.2020</b>	10:00-10:20	Rang Tara
	10:30-10:50	Rang Karen Dunne
	11:00-11:20	Rang Karen Dillon
<b>Tuesday- 26.01.2020</b>	10:30-10:50	Rang Rachel
	11:00-11.20	Rang Cailín
	11:30-11.50	Rang Rang Edel & Catherine
<b>Thursday- 28.01.2020</b>	10:00-10:20	Rang Sarah
	10:30-10:50	Rang Niamh
	11:00-11.20	Rang Jack

We know remote teaching will never replace the face to face classroom, but we are committed to supporting the children to the fullest of our ability at this difficult time.

If you need the lend of a laptop please email the school on [ardrics@lmetb.ie](mailto:ardrics@lmetb.ie) or call 087-1341007 and we will arrange for one to be delivered to you.



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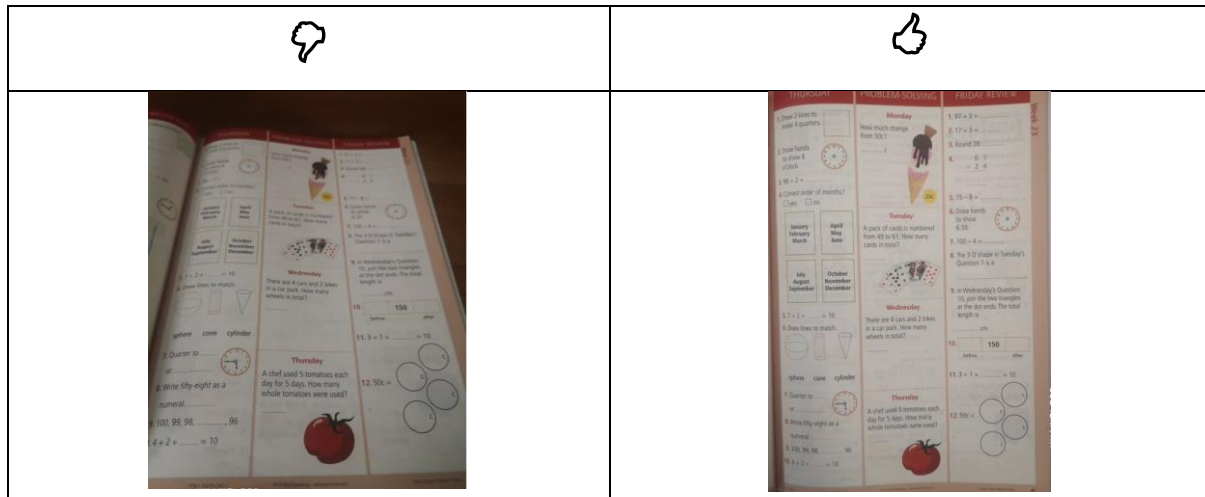
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When posting photos of work to Seesaw please try to ensure there is adequate lighting and your camera is in focus and parallel to the page. Some work is very difficult for teacher to see.



## Parent Teacher Meetings

Teachers will be making a call to the parents of pupils in their class to discuss progress during the last week in January and the first week in February. The call will be made between 9am and 5pm from a 'Private Number'. The calls will be made after school if schools reopen on 1<sup>st</sup> of February. Each call will last 10 minutes. If you are not always free to answer your phone please email the office on [ardrics@lmetb.ie](mailto:ardrics@lmetb.ie) providing some times which would suit you and we will do our best to accommodate this.

I would like to remind you that if you need to get in touch with us please email us at [ardrics@lmetb.ie](mailto:ardrics@lmetb.ie). You can call the school secretary on 087-1341007 between 9am and 2pm Monday to Friday. We will then direct your inquiry as appropriate. We are committed to deal with your query as quickly as possible.

Yours sincerely,