WEEKLY UPDATE





Value for the month: Honesty

14/11/24

Anti-Bullying Week

This is Anti-Bullying week. The classes have been learning about bullying - how to recognise it, and what to do if you are being bullied or know that someone else is. Cyberbullying was discussed in the Zeeko workshops.

CYBERBULLYING

Cyber bullying happens on social media, online forums, text and email.

A once off incident can be considered cyberbullying.

What to do?

STOP! Don't respond

BLOCK the person or leave

the group/chat

TELL a trusted adult

Winterfest 2024 - Dec 18th

Winterfest is on Wednesday, December 18th, in the school hall. Winterfest is an annual event in the school when each class prepares a short 10 minute performance.

There will be two shows to facilitate as many audience members as possible.

10.00-10.45 JI - 2nd class

11.15 - 12.15 3rd - 6th class



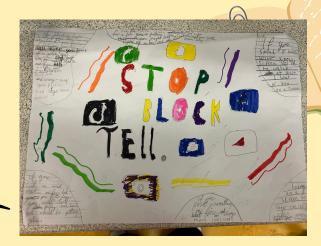






Have you been cyberbullied?
Children in RETNS 80% no 20% yes

Have you experienced cyberbullying happening to people around you?
Children in RETNS
45% no 55% yes



Green Team Updates



Working towards our Travel Flag

The Green Team are relaunching WOW days this week! WOW = Walk On Wednesday. Please try your best to use Green Travel on Wednesdays. We will present the junior golden boot and the senior golden boot to the classes with the highest percentage of WOW participants! Get active everyone! It's just brilliant to see so many Walking Bus users on the first Fridays! Thanks to the amazing 'bus drivers' who help to guide the children to the school gate - every little helps! You are our Green Heroes. This really helps to keep cars off the road and away from the school gates and encourages active, social travel too.



Care For Your Belongings Month

This November the Green Team are promoting an attitude of care towards all the objects we own in the world. We are encouraging each other to be more careful with our stationary, our school bags and books, our clothing, toys and the spaces we live in. By caring for objects we use less, waste less and have less impact on the environment. The Green Team will be collecting stories of care in the RETNS community which we will share with you!

Thanks to Ryan Admirand for his lovely posters encouraging us all to tidy up and care for our things!

Anne, Brian and the Green Team



Junior Infants Art

Helping with Sports in RETNS

If you would be interested in helping out with Senior sports teams this year in Football or Basketball please let me know.

Dates for the diary:

- Progress meetings: Thursday 14th and Tuesday 19th. School closes at 1.30pm for all children.
- On **Tuesday 19th** there will be no 1.30 Club or after school class

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