



WEEKLY UPDATE



Value of the Month: Responsibility

10/04/25



Bí Cineálta

One last call for our **Bí Cineálta survey** ahead of our staff training day tomorrow. Please see link below.

<https://forms.gle/WwZZ6GNSukX4DETr7>

Ber and Gabrielle's Zoom

Big thanks to Ber and Gabrielle for leading the parent talk on Tuesday evening. We also appreciate everyone who attended and the Board of Management for organising the event. We hope you found it valuable.

Hanami is the traditional Japanese practice of enjoying the beauty of nature during spring. People gather in parks to admire the trees, often having picnics. The children shared a picnic this week under our own lovely cherry blossom tree. The cherry blossoms, or sakura, symbolize the fleeting nature of life, as they bloom beautifully for only a short time.



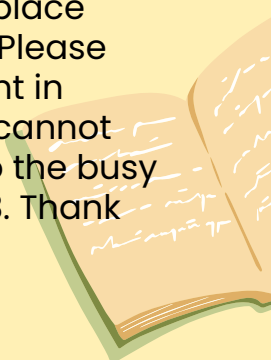
Basketball Coach

We are looking for someone interested in assisting with basketball coaching during Term 3. If you're interested, please reach out to us at info@retns.ie.



Drumcondra testing

Standardised testing will take place throughout the month of May. Please ensure that your child is present in school during this time, as we cannot guarantee a retest later due to the busy schedule of activities in Term 3. Thank you for your support with this.



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NEWS AROUND RETNS



DRUMMING IN RANG 2 WITH BRIAN



RANG 4



SI CHICKS



RANG 6 HAS ASSUMED RESPONSIBILITY FOR CARING FOR OUR "POCKET FOREST" AT LORETO PARK. THIS PROJECT BEGAN THREE YEARS AGO. WE PLANTED 11 NATIVE SPECIES USING THE JAPANESE MIYAWAKI METHOD, WHICH FOSTERS RAPID GROWTH AND DENSE VEGETATION.



SELF-PORTRAITS RANG 2



RANG 1 ROBINS



Thank you all!

As we head into the holidays, I would like to wish you all a relaxing and sunny time with your family and friends. Thank you for all of your support in recent weeks as I returned to work. We are looking forward to an exciting Term 3 ahead, with lots of fun activities for our students. A special thanks to our amazing staff for their dedication and hard work – they are really amazing! **School reopens on April 28th.**



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