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Dear Parents / Guardians,

Attached is the booklist for your child's class in 2020/21. We realise during these uncertain times that we do not yet know under what format we will open in September but we must prepare regardless for the children's transition to their new class level.

The booklist highlights the books you need to purchase yourself, which we have tried to keep to a minimum. The books are available locally from Cobh School Books (now located on Bishop Street) as well as from other suppliers outside of town. All other books, readers and resources are provided by the school under our book-rental scheme.

The cost due for each child this year is €95. The costs cover all the resources we supply to your child. In the interest of fairness we would ask that all families make an effort to pay this cost. Parents who have not paid will be required to supply their own resources, books and book rental items. If there is any difficulty paying these class costs, please speak to the principal / deputy to make suitable arrangements. Families that have not paid the costs without explanation will be required to furnish all the necessary equipment, books and book rental items themselves. <u>These items will not be available from the school shop.</u>

The school does not ask for 'voluntary contributions' in that the class costs cover actual materials that your child uses. If the school did not provide these materials, you would have to purchase them yourself. The cost also covers the activities such as Zumba, tennis, drama, visiting teachers and subsidises swimming lessons for various class levels.

You will also notice a new item called 'Spellings for Me'. This is a new approach to learning spellings. Each child will have an online account which will track the child's spellings and tailor the new words for learning specifically to the child. Effectively, each child will have their own unique spelling programme. More info will follow in the new term!

We thank you for your support and cooperation as always!

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BOOKLIST and CLASS COSTS: RANG 6

Gaeilge	Collins Easy Learning Irish Dictionary		*(as from previous years)*
	Béal Beo 6	*EdCo*	***(for purchasing)***
	Fuaimeanna agus Focail 6	*Folens*	***(for purchasing)***
SPHE	Weaving Well Being – *Empowering Beliefs*	OTB	***(for purchasing)***
Maths	Mathemagic Table Book	*C.J. Fallon*	*(as from previous years)*
English	Collins Pocket Dictionary		*(as from previous years)*
Equipment	Pencil Case: Pencil / Rubber / 30cm Ruler / Chipper / Handwriting pen / Red biro / Large Pritt Stick / Scientific Calculator / Mathematical set / Thin Whiteboard Marker / Tin Whistle in D		

CLASS EXPENSES:

Book Rental	€25	Class Novels and Readers	€8
Copies	€5	Photocopying and Paper	€5
Testing	€3	Art and Craft Materials	€10
Journal	€3.50	School Communication	€2.50
Other (*Drama, Dance, Tennis etc) from Term 2*	€10	Online Classroom Resources	€15
Folders	€3	Spellings for Me Programme	€5

Total Due to School: **€95**

DUE DATE: **10th July**

Book rental savings amount to over €1,000 throughout the 8 years of Primary School

School Insurance *(Optional – see attached note)*

- Cobh School Books, now 27 Bishop Street, are taking orders on 0862765228, Facebook or Instagram.
- Class costs must be paid before 10th July deadline. Parents who have not paid will be required to supply their own resources, books and book rental items. These items will not be available from the school shop.
- Please contact the principal / deputy to speak in confidence if there are any difficulties in covering these costs.

HOW TO PAY:

Online Debit / Credit Card

A link will be emailed to all parents next week. Follow the link and instructions to pay the class costs.

Deadline: 10th July