



**SETNS Newsletter  
11<sup>th</sup> November 2022**

## One Day Together Dress-Up Day

Huge thanks to the families and pupils who dressed to impress on 28<sup>th</sup> October for our annual **One Day Together** fundraiser for Educate Together. There were lots of home-made, cultural and unique costumes on display for the day. Money raised has yet to be counted but we would like to thank you for your generous donations. Our school really does come alive on days like this and many thanks to the staff for also embracing their “Hero and Villian” theme. The school was buzzing with various activities happening throughout the building from Science Experiments in 1<sup>st</sup> Class to Colouring Competitions and Talent Shows in the middle and senior end of the school.

There are too many photos of the day to share but here are just a few highlights.



# Handwriting

November is our Handwriting month where we promote the skill of handwriting throughout the school. We will have some gorgeous displays to present to you all for the upcoming Parent Teacher Meetings at the end of the month.

### Parent Teacher Meetings

Our annual Parent Teacher Meetings will resume face to face this month, **23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> November**. In a change to our usual allocation of times, we are using the Aladdin Connect App <https://www.aladdin.ie> If you have more than one child in the school, please book appointments that are well spaced out to give yourself plenty of time to get to each appointment. Catriona and Barbara in the office will be coordinating the appointment slots and will send a notification to parents/guardians 24 hours in advance of available appointments becoming live. If your child receives SEN support, additional meetings will be scheduled separately and the SEN Teacher will be in touch regarding these. You are not required to book SEN meetings through Aladdin Connect.

We strongly encourage you to attend these meetings as they are a valuable opportunity to meet with your child's/children's teacher(s) and to discuss, on a one-to-one basis, your child's progress and development in school. We would ask you to please arrive on time to your meeting in order to ensure the smooth and efficient running of the meetings.

### Our GAA Stars

In our last Newsletter we were preparing for our trip to Croke Park to support our Senior Boys GAA Team. After a hard-fought match and some amazing points and goals, unfortunately it was not our day. Nevertheless, our supporters were the loudest in Croke Park on the day, our players were the best played brilliantly, each player and supporter did themselves proud. We are incredibly proud of the boys and so thankful to the coaches Emily, Gillian and Cian who put so much in to the teams in the lead up to the final game. A proud and memorable day for the whole school.

