



Sacred Heart School

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Principal: P. McKenna

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12.30pm

Dear Parent/Student/Staff,

The SHS will close from **Thursday 12.03.2020- 6 pm-29.03.2020**-as per Department of Education & Skills and Government guidelines issued today. We would like to outline the procedures and contingency that we have put in place as a school.

- Information re COVID 19 and handwashing procedures/hygiene precaution have been outlined to students.
- One note notebook has been established for all students and classes and this is the way in which teaching, and learning can continue remotely.
- Information regarding Oral and Practical exams is not available at this time. We will be guided by Department of Education & Skill in relation to this.
- Please follow all guidelines as per HSE-www.hse.ie in relation to minimising social distancing and good hygiene during this time of school closure. The goal is to decrease the number of instances that lead to students, staff and people in large numbers in the community in close proximity with each other.
- Further information in relation to our school and any update information further from this letter-12.03.2020- will be posted on our school website and our social media.
- Students have been advised to collect all materials from the school today before 6pm.

Our co- operation and response to these guidelines will benefit the entire community given the fact that all our Health and Wellbeing is of paramount importance.

We encourage our students to follow the guidelines given by their teachers on the one note in relation to their schoolwork and general wellbeing.

Your faithfully,

Breda Hand.

Breda Hand & Sean Mc Fadden

Acting Principal