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## **SUMMER GREETINGS**

As we come to the end of the school year I want to thank you all for your support during this unusual year. It is hard to remember how our year began and all that happened in between, as life has been dominated by the impact of Covid 19 in recent months.

Well done on rising to the challenges that came with the school closure. We hope that you found some positivity and fun in 'home schooling'. We enjoyed the engagement on Google Classroom, especially as it gave us the opportunity to keep a connection with the children.

A special word of appreciation to all our parents who are frontline workers. We are very grateful for all you have done to help save lives and get us through this challenging period – while also taking care of your own children. Bualadh bos and go raibh maith agaibh.

Congratulations to our Sixth Class, who graduated on Friday. They certainly have gone down in history as the Class of 2020. We wish them every success and happiness as they head off to Secondary School.

Confirmation will be celebrated as soon as possible, probably on the last Saturday in August or the first Saturday in September. First Confession and Holy Communion are likely to follow later in September.

As I write the new government is working on plans and procedures for the reopening of schools. We await clear guidelines on how to reduce the risks to the health and safety of all in our school community when we open our doors again.

The school will close today at 12 noon and we hope to reopen the Administration Office in the last week in August. We will keep you up-dated through the school website.

In the meantime may I wish each and every one of you a lovely summer.

Tóg go bog é.

Tabhair aire.

Slán go fóill.

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