



"Learning for Tomorrow"

# Ballymoney Model Controlled Integrated Primary School

Weekly Note – Monday 9th October 2017

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## Home to School Transport

If Ballymoney Model CIPS is your nearest Integrated School and you live more than a distance of two miles away from school you may be entitled to a travel allowance. Please see the following link:-

[www.eani.org.uk/transportapp](http://www.eani.org.uk/transportapp)

## Free School Meals & Uniform Grant

For more information on eligibility and how to apply visit

[www.eani.org.uk/i-want-to](http://www.eani.org.uk/i-want-to)

## Parents' Guide to Pastoral Care – September 2017

Please endeavour to read this very important document as soon as possible and return the yellow reply slip to your eldest child's class teacher.

Fifteen classes have all their pastoral care replies returned.  
one class has outstanding replies.

Each year the content of this important document is reviewed and amended as necessary. In relation to allergies please read the below information noted within our Parents' Guide to Pastoral Care issued at the beginning of September 2017.

### ALLERGIES

Many parents are now aware of the increasing number of children who suffer allergic reactions. A child with an allergy can be affected even if, for example, the product that they are allergic to is in someone else's lunchbox or on someone's hands following eating the product. We have a number of children with allergies in the school and therefore ask that everyone cooperates by not sending in the following products.

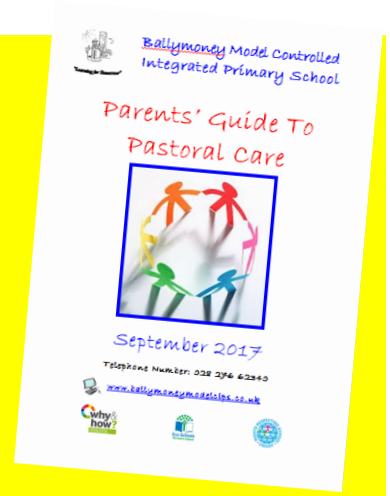
- All nuts including horse chestnuts
- Eggs - hard boiled and egg sandwiches

Any breaks or packed lunches brought into school must not contain the above products.

PLEASE NOTE: Many chocolate spreads DO contain nuts. Please check ingredients carefully.

Recyclable materials e.g. cardboard from products containing nuts must not be brought into school for junk art.

Unfortunately due to issues arising from the labelling of products, birthday cakes must not be sent into school.



Important Dates for September and October

Monday 9th October Year 1 Parents' Meeting

Introducing Phonics and our StorySacks Lending Library 1.30—2.00pm

Tuesday 10th October Ballymoney Times — Primary One Supplement

Thursday 12th October Library Trip — Mr McCullough's class

Friday 13th October School Development Day — staff only no pupils

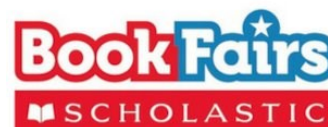


Monday 16th October — School Photographs



Tuesday 17th October Heritage Project — Year 6

Wednesday 18th October — Book Fair arrives



Thursday 19th October

Travels in Time — Ulster Orchestra — Ulster Hall Year 5—7 Instrumentalists

Monday 23rd October — Friday 27th October

Parent Teacher Meetings - School finishes for all at 1.30pm (Monday - Friday)

**PTA Disco**

Our annual PTA Disco will be on

Thursday 26th October

Children can come in fancy dress  
if they wish

Years 2 — 4 6.15pm — 7.15pm

Years 5 — 7 7.30pm - 8.30pm

£2.00 entrance

Tuck shop available

Year 1 Party

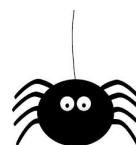
Thursday 26th Oct

1.00pm - 1.30pm

Complimentary

treat bag from

the PTA



**We are a health promoting school.**

**Don't forget your healthy break and PE kit.**

**Fruit available for Year 4—7 pupils to purchase at 20p a piece.**