ST JOHN THE BAPTIST BOYS NATIONAL SCHOOL

First Class 2023/2024

Dear Parents/Guardians,

We hope that you are looking forward to the well deserved summer break. Thanks to the recent departmental change, the school has ordered any books, workbooks and copies that your son will require for the coming school year. There is no cost to parents for these. However, all school books will remain the property of the school and parents are requested to remind their children to take care of their books and keep them in good condition during the year.

We have compiled the following list of stationary items that your son will require in class next year & these can be purchased in AM Office Supplies or in any other book/stationery shop of your choice.

Stationery:

Pencils x4 (tripod pencil)
Plastic sharpener and Eraser
Twistable colours

- 2 x Whiteboard markers (Show-me drywipe marker black or similar narrow width)
- 3 large tubes of Pritt Stick
- 2 tubs of playdough (name label on tub)
- 4 A4 Mesh Plastic Folders (Texet A4 mesh

bag) (This A4 mesh zip bag is a mesh folder with a zip on top & is in stock in AM Office Supplies. \Longrightarrow)



AM Office Supplies here in Cashel are our book supplier this year. As a gesture of goodwill & support, they are offering 10% off all stationery for pupils of St John the Baptist BNS. Just let them know your son is attending the boys' school.

Parental Contribution - €30 per pupil

This contribution covers the purchase of **art and craft supplies**, **extra photocopying costs**, **the purchase of a high quality individual whiteboard & a school journal**.

An electronic link will be sent to you by text and/or via Aladdin Connect in due course to facilitate payment.

If you cannot, for some reason, make this payment electronically, you can pay via card at the school office or money can be sent to the office in an envelope marked with your son's name, class and the amount paid.

<u>Aladdin Connect</u> will be used for all school communications from September 2023 onwards. We will no longer be using Class Dojo to send and receive school information.

All crested uniform items (grey jumper & tracksuit top only) can be purchased from Uniform World in Clonmel. Eircode is E91 P2N2.

<u>Lunchbox:</u> Please support our Green School efforts and provide a reusable lunchbox and drinks bottle for your son. Thank you.

NB:

Label all stationary.
Label lunch box and water bottle.

Label all clothing.

Class Teacher 2023/24:

I will alert you to your son's class teacher on Aladdin Connect when interviews for vacant positions are completed, hopefully in July.

Enjoy the summer and we look forward to a successful school year ahead. Thank you sincerely for all your support during this academic year.

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