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Tonight's Meeting

Welcome & Principal's Address - Mr Will Ryan

Useful Resources & Websites

Home School Community Liaison - Ms Avril McNamara

Class Teachers - Ms Eimear Irwin and Ms Clíodhna Treacy

Home School Communication

Deputy Principal's Address - Mrs Bríd Callanan

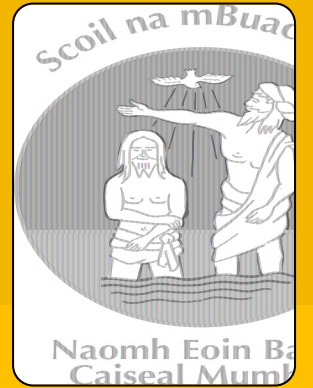
Parent Association Address

What's next?

Questions and Answers



Principal's Address



Mr Will Ryan

School Principal

✉ principal@cashelbns.ie

Our Vision

"Ag obair le chéile in nurturing respectful and resilient life-long learners, equipped for an ever-changing digital world, who are confident, responsible, healthy and caring members of society."

Useful Websites & Resources



 [Resources for Parents | NCCA](#)

 [NCSE: Preparing Young Children for Primary School](#)

HSCL Introduction



Ms Avril McNamara

Home School Community Liaison

089 4878635

[Click here to learn more about the HSCL role](#)

Junior Infant Teachers



Ms Clíodhna Treacy

cliodhnatreacy@cashelbns.ie

Ms Eimear Irwin

eimearirwin@cashelbns.ie

Your Folder & Other Important Information



[Welcome Booklet for New Infants 2026/27](#)

- This booklet hopefully answers most of your questions.

School Books & Copies

[Parental Contribution & Stationery List Junior Infants 2026/27](#)

Uniform

Food & hot lunches (Provider TBD)

[Aladdin Connect App](#)

[Little Library Parent Child Invite 2026](#)

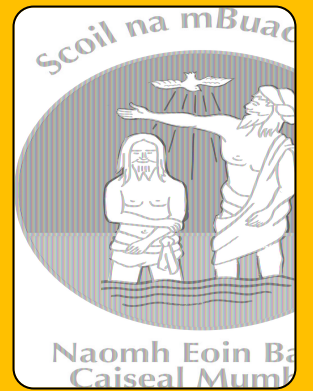
[My Little Library Poster 2026](#)

[Infant Copy of Charter For School Display](#)

** [Parent Form - Welcome to Junior Infants 2026/27](#) **



Before the First Day



- **Shoes, school bag and jackets:** Practise putting them on and taking them off.
- **Lunch boxes and water bottles:** Include items they can open and close independently.
- **Hot Lunch:** Talk to your son about his preferences for his hot lunch.
- **Label everything:** Clearly mark all belongings with your son's name.
- **Socialise:** If possible, introduce your son to another Junior Infant.
- **Positive Talk:** Discuss school in an exciting and reassuring way.
- **Rest & Routine:** Ensure a good night's sleep; children often move slower when they feel rushed.



The First Few Days and Weeks



School reopens: Tuesday 1 September 2026

- **Drop-off: 9.00am-9.20am. Designated door.**
- **Finish Time (Until Friday 12 September): 12:00pm. Collection at designated spot; teacher will send him to you.**
- **Finish Time (From Monday 14 September): 2:00pm. Collection at designated spot, but please wait at gates until 2pm.**
- **Punctuality: Please ensure your son is collected on time.**
- **Separation: Stay positive. Trust the teacher to handle any upsets.**



Home-School Communication

- Complete & return [Parent Form - Welcome to Junior Infants 2026/27](#) tomorrow or asap
- Download **Aladdin Connect** app
- Follow **Instagram/Facebook** & school website
- Monthly newsletters - [June one in your folder](#)
- Meetings: Oct (Curriculum) & Nov (Parent-Teacher)
- Folders: Homework (Nov) & Report Cards (June)
- Letters sent home & "A word at the door"

Communicate any issues with the teacher

Deputy Principal



Mrs Bríd Callanan

`bridcallanan@cashelbns.ie`

School Attendance Matters



Every School Day Counts

Missing 23 school days per year

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184 missed school days

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**1 whole year of school missed over the course
of the primary school cycle**

Parent Association



Ms Sinéad O'Connell

Chairperson

pa@cashelbns.ie

What's next....?



We will meet again tomorrow **Thursday 4 June**
at **2pm** with the boys (2 groups, but class groups not decided)

Meeting in **October** for a curriculum meeting.
Weds 21 October at 6.30pm

Questions / Comments?



Keep in touch with your school...



 [@cashelbns on Instagram](https://www.instagram.com/cashelbns)

 www.cashelbns.ie

 [Cashel BNS Parent Association](#)



Download the [Aladdin Connect App](#)

Link was sent to you earlier today - 3 payments (Insurance - €9 , Parental Contribution - €35 & half-zip - €36)

Action Items for Parents



Forms & Payments

- Complete **Parent Form** (return tomorrow or ASAP)
- **Aladdin Connect App**: Process 3 payments
- Insurance: **€9**, Contribution: **€35**, Half-zip: **€36**

Documents to Review

- **Welcome Booklet** for New Infants
- **Stationery & Contribution List**
- **Gen Free Charter** details

Upcoming Meetings

Tomorrow, Thursday 4 June @ 2pm

New Infants Visit with the boys

Wednesday 21 October @ 6.30pm

Curriculum Meeting

November 2026

Parent-Teacher Meetings

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL



FIRST DAY OF COLLEGE



Thank you all for being with us! See you soon.

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THE BUFFALO



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