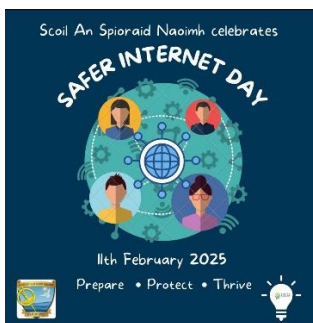


Scoil an Spioraid Naoimh Senior primary school

Internet Safety day

The school community celebrated Internet Safety day with announcements from the Student Council advising how best to remain safe online. The children engaged with lots of resources from Web wise and we designed our own Internet Safety Logo, thanks to Katie Connell Teacher.

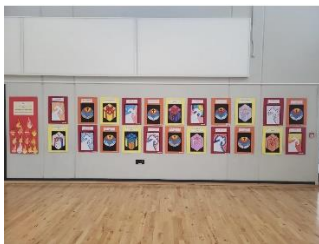
The school will facilitate workshops with Garda Liaison Officer Deirdre Semple and a representative from the Cyber Crime Unit for the School Community in March 2025.



STOP! BLOCK! TELL!

Confirmation 2025

There is a great air of excitement in the school as preparations are well underway for Confirmation 2025. All of the children who will be conferred on Tuesday the 25th of February are looking forward to this special event. Confirmation is at 2pm followed by refreshments in the school gym organised by the Parents Association. We are very fortunate to be situated near to the Sacred Heart Church which facilitates with great ease rehearsals for the 6th classes, pupils from the special classes and the School Choir in advance of Confirmation. We are very proud of our School Choir who have built up a fabulous repertoire of music.



The school gym is adorned with wonderful artwork designed by the children, a fabulous gallery of artistic expression for Confirmation 2025.

SMART MOVES programme

We are an Active school and continue to progress all strands of the Physical education curriculum with gusto and great enthusiasm. The Active committee keep us on our toes with lots of announcements about ongoing active initiatives in the school. The Staff are also working on a new programme SMART MOVES to further enhance the coordination of children. A healthy body, a healthy mind!



Maximising all our resources to further enhance gross motor and fine motor skills of our pupils using the SMART MOVES programme.

My first Bible Fun Book

We celebrate Christian values in our school and Ms Vaughey has designed a first Bible fun book for the pupils in her class. The children like to listen to stories from the Bible and to share stories from other cultures in our classes too. In our school we celebrate inclusion and enjoy learning from each other.



Filled with lots of fun activities for the children.

Credit Union Quiz

Our school was well represented by a great Team in the first round of the Credit Union quiz who at half time were positioned in third place. Our Team came 7th place out of 26 teams which is no mean feat! What an achievement, well done to our enthusiastic pupils who performed to the best of their ability on Friday the 7th of February in Diffey College. The Coaches Mrs Darcy and Ms Kilcoyne were so proud of your achievement.

Midterm Assembly

The gym hall was a sea of pink and red celebrating the love of St Valentine in our school, a place of learning and nurture. It was a wonderful opportunity to remind the assembly of the importance of kindness, friendship and appreciation for family and friends.

Our Student Council representatives, the Active Committee and the Green Committee delivered key messages to remind us of our role in promoting sustainability in our school.



Our new foyer screen display providing us with updates!

Sport updates: Our boys and girls Gaelic teams got off to a great start with 2 wins last week. We look forward to trials for the 5th and 6th classes for the FAI 5 a side tournament after the mid-term.

We are working with Meath Sports Partnership to further promote Inclusion. Our school will be provided with coaching for a number of weeks and then invited to a celebratory day in Navan. The local Irish Wheelchair association will be supporting our school with lots of new ideas for inclusion. We promote walking to school, cycling and scooting wearing a helmet. Safety is paramount on our footpaths and roads.

School Band: The Board of Management have acknowledged the tremendous work of our School Band Coordinator Fíona O Donnell with funding to invest in new instruments for the children. The School Band will be performing in Scoil Óilibhéir to celebrate Seachtain na Gaeilge. We are very proud of our School Band indeed!