

Mount Sion Primary School

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PARENT/GUARDIAN WAITING AREAS FOR COLLECTION AT END OF SCHOOL DAY



Dear Parents/Guardians,

One of the biggest changes that must come into effect when we return to school is how the boys are collected at 'Home Time.' We cannot continue with large groups of parents gathered together on the school grounds waiting for the boys to come out. A lot of work has gone into making our collection safe. Please respect that people will be worried about large crowds gathered in the one place.

1. The parents/guardians of each class will be allocated a colour coded waiting area. Please see the table below.
2. Only one adult can stand waiting on the school grounds for a pupil. Small children cannot run around the grounds as before.
3. You must pick a feet symbol (similar to the image above) to stand on and wait at a social distance of 2 metres.
4. The boys will be brought to the waiting area and then released to you.
5. You are then asked to walk along the designated pathway out of the grounds.
6. The older brothers of younger siblings will go home with the younger brother.
7. These procedures are all in place to allow us to keep a safe social distance and I urge you to follow them.
8. It is essential that you arrive at the appointed time to collect your son. If you arrive early while another group is being collected you must wait outside on the footpath on Barrack Street.
9. Please take note of your son's finishing time below.
10. Older pupils are encouraged to walk to and from school if at all possible. Boys from 3rd class up may walk to and from school with a signed permission from their parents. The more boys can walk themselves the fewer parents there will be at collection time.

As always, stay safe,

Michael Walsh, Principal.



Room	Class	Teacher	Finishing Time	Parents Waiting Area for Collection at collection time
3	Junior Infants	Ms. Coady Power	12:15pm From 14 th Sep. 1:40pm	Blue Waiting Zone - Zone 2 Painted wall by exit to Barrack Street.
4	Junior Infants	Ms. Coffey	12:15pm From 14 th Sep. 1:40pm	White Waiting Zone - Zone 3 By Hall steps-then use Exit 3 (teacher's car exit by preschool)
5	Senior Infants	Mr. Gomes	1:40pm	Red Waiting Zone - Zone 1 Steps/ railings along entrance to school outside boy's toilets. Between Staff Room and Hall
8	Senior Infants	Ms. O'Brien	1:40pm	Green Waiting Zone - Zone 4 Barrack Street, in front of preschool portacabin - Exit 3
9	1 st Class	Ms. Maher	2:10pm	Blue Waiting Zone - Zone 2 Painted wall by exit to Barrack Street.
10	1 st Class	Ms. Tallon	2:10pm	White Waiting Zone - Zone 3 By Hall steps-then use Exit 3 (teacher's car exit by preschool)
11	2 nd Class	Ms. R. O'Connor	2:10pm	Red Waiting Zone - Zone 1 Steps/ railings along entrance to school outside boy's toilets. Between Staff Room and Hall
12	2 nd Class	Ms. McGailey	2:10pm	Green Waiting Zone - Zone 4 Barrack Street, in front of preschool portacabin - Exit 3



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21	3 rd Class	Mr. Kavanagh	2:25pm	White Waiting Zone - Zone 3 By Hall steps-then use Exit 3 (teacher's car exit by preschool)
22	3 rd Class	Mr. Frisby	2:25pm	Green Waiting Zone - Zone 4 Barrack Street, in front of preschool portacabin - Exit 3
23	4 th Class	Mr. Smyth	2:25pm	Blue Waiting Zone - Zone 2 Painted wall by exit to Barrack Street.
24	4 th Class	Mr. Finnegan	2:25pm	Red Waiting Zone - Zone 1 Steps/ railings along entrance to school outside boy's toilets. Between Staff Room and Hall
25	5 th Class	Ms. Norris	2:40pm	Blue Waiting Zone - Zone 2 Painted wall by exit to Barrack Street.
26	5 th Class	Ms. Breen	2:40pm	White Waiting Zone - Zone 3 By Hall steps-then use Exit 3 (teacher's car exit by preschool)
33	6 th Class	Mr. Teehan	2:40pm	Green Waiting Zone - Zone 4 Barrack Street, in front of preschool portacabin - Exit 3
34	6 th Class	Ms. Murphy	2:40pm	Red Waiting Zone - Zone 1 Steps/ railings along entrance to school outside boy's toilets. Between Staff Room and Hall