

# Tullygally Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> January 2026

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### Tullygally P.S. Safeguarding & Child Protection

If you have any concerns of a Child Protection nature, you must share these concerns with:

**Designated Teacher (Whole School):**  
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### Weekly Message

We are so proud of how well our pupils have settled back into school at the beginning of Term 2. Thank you to our wonderful parents / guardians for their continued support in all aspects of school life.

School has felt back to normality this week with an improvement in the weather and the return of Extended School Clubs.

It has been lovely to have our Specialist Provision parents in school this week for their Annual Review appointments and we look forward to the remainder of these parents attending next week.

### Language of the Month

January = Portuguese



Hello: Olá

Thank You: Obrigado

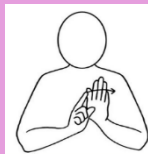
### Value of the Month

January = Youthfulness



### Makaton Sign of the Week

Later



### Class Assemblies

P1 – 12.06.26

P2 – 24.04.26

P3 – 27.02.26

P4 – 30.01.26

P7 – 25.06.26

### PE Timetable

Tuesday:	Wednesday:	Thursday:
Nursery 1	Primary 1	Primary 1
Nursery 2	Primary 2	Primary 2
Primary 3	Little Blossoms	Primary 3
Primary 4	Butterfly Room	Primary 4
Primary 5	Little Acorns	Primary 5
Primary 6	Sunshine Room	Primary 6
Primary 7	Busy Bees	Primary 7
	Rainbow Room	
	Duckling Den	

### Tullygally P.S. Future Diary Dates

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2026:** NSPCC Non-Uniform Day - £1.00

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2026 – Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2026:** Parent-Teacher Interviews & Early Finish

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2026:** Feel the Love Day – Wear Pink Clothing

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2026 – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2026:** Half-Term Holidays (5 days)

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2026:** World Book Day

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2026:** P7 Service of Light

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2026:** Green Day – Wear Green Clothing & Early Finish

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2026 & Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2026:** St. Patrick's Day Holiday (2 days)

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2026:** Early Finish & Non-Uniform Day

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2026 – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2026:** Easter Holidays (6 days)

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2026:** P7 Confirmation 6:00pm

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2026:** P7 Confirmation Celebration Assembly 9:00am

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2026:** Early Finish

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2026 – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2026:** Bank Holiday & Half-Term Holidays (5 days)

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2026:** P4 (Mainstream & Specialist Provision) First Holy Communion 11:00am

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2026:** Bank Holiday

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2026 – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2026:** P7 Residential Trip

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2026:** P4 First Holy Communion Celebration Assembly 9:00am

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2026:** Sports Day & Fun Day

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2026:** P1-7 End of Year Trip

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2026:** Final Assembly 10am & P7 Final Day

**Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2026:** Early Finish & Non-Uniform Day



### Swimming Timetable

Term 2:	Term 3:
Primary 6	Primary 5
21.01.26	15.04.26
28.01.26	22.04.26
04.02.26	29.04.26
18.02.26	13.05.26
25.02.26	20.05.26
04.03.26	27.05.26
11.03.26	03.06.26
18.03.26	10.06.26
25.03.26	17.06.26
	24.06.26



### School Dinners

As you may have read online over the past few months, the Education Authority has increased the paid school dinner prices to £3.00 (Nursery) and £3.10 (P1-7), beginning January 2026. This will now be the cost of school dinners moving

## Tullygally P.S. Dinner Menu

Please see outlined Dinner Menu for week commencing Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2026. Full Dinner Menu for future weeks can be found on School Website but are subject to change. We would appreciate if you can discuss the Menu with your child(ren) to ensure the meal will be eaten as we are unable to offer alternative food. Dinners must be ordered online **before 8:00am on a Monday morning for the full week ahead** for those pupils who pay for their meals.

MONDAY 19 <sup>th</sup>	TUESDAY 20 <sup>th</sup>	WEDNESDAY 21 <sup>st</sup>	THURSDAY 22 <sup>nd</sup>	FRIDAY 23 <sup>rd</sup>
Oven Baked Fish Fingers or Kung Pao Chicken	Beef Bolognese or Homemade Healthy Margherita Pizza with Fresh Salad	Lunch Bunch Chicken Curry with Freshly Baked Mini Naan Bread or Breast of Chicken with Gravy	Roast Gammon with Stuffing & Gravy or Vegetarian Sausages with Onion Gravy	Southern Fried Chicken Goujon & Salad Wrap with Taco Sauce or Baked Potato with Beef Chilli, Cheddar and Coleslaw
Roasted Peppers & Sweetcorn	Steamed Broccoli & Coleslaw	Garden Peas & Baton Carrots	Fresh Selection of Vegetables in Season	Mini Corn on the Cob & Baked Beans
Chipped Potatoes or Steamed Fluffy Rice	Oven-roasted Potato Wedges or Pasta Spirals	Steamed Rice or Mashed Potatoes	Oven-baked Roast Potatoes or Mashed Potatoes	Chipped Potatoes or Baked Potato
Apple and Winter Berry Crumble & Custard	Strawberry Jelly & Mandarin Oranges	Homemade Chocolate Brownie & Custard	Popcorn Biscuit & Melon Wedge	Frozen Fruit Smoothie & Fruit Tub



## Tullygally P.S. Weekly Diary

Please see outlined Weekly Diary for week commencing Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2026.

MONDAY 19 <sup>th</sup>	TUESDAY 20 <sup>th</sup>	WEDNESDAY 21 <sup>st</sup>	THURSDAY 22 <sup>nd</sup>	FRIDAY 23 <sup>rd</sup>
Breakfast Club: 8:05am – 8:45am	Breakfast Club: 8:05am – 8:45am	Breakfast Club: 8:05am – 8:45am	Breakfast Club: 8:05am – 8:45am	Breakfast Club: 8:05am – 8:45am
SP Annual Reviews	Bee Active PE Lessons	Bee Active PE Lessons	SP / Nursery Annual Reviews	SP Annual Reviews
Brownlow Library – P6	SP Annual Reviews	SP Annual Reviews	After School Clubs: 1:45-2:45: Gymnastics (P1-3) 2:45-3:45: Gymnastics (P4-7) 2:45-3:45: Great Outdoors (P4-7) 2:45-3:45: Cooking (P4-7)	P3 / P6 / P7 – NSPPC Workshop
P7 – Healthy Lifestyles workshop	After School Clubs: 1:45-2:45: MultiSports (P1-2) 2:45-3:45: MultiSports (P4-7) 2:45-3:45: Funky Clay (P4-7) 2:45-3:45: Numeracy (P4-7) 2:45-3:45: Literacy (P4-7)	P6 – Swimming		After School Clubs: 1:45-2:45: Hip Hop (P1-3) 2:45-3:45: Hip Hop (P4-7) 2:45-3:45: Chess (P7)
After School Clubs: 1:45-2:45: Nerf Wars (P1-2) 2:45-3:45: Nerf Wars (P4-7) 2:45-3:45: Lego (P4-7)		Nursery / P1 Applications close		
		After School Clubs: 1:45-2:45: Art & Crafts (P1-3) 2:45-3:45: Netball (P4-7) 2:45-3:45: Art (P4-7)		



### Tullygally Stars of the Week Awards

Well done to our Stars of the Week Award winners for this week:

**Primary 1:** Eddie & Lianna

**Primary 2:** Fiadh

**Primary 3:** Ava

**Primary 4:** Searlait

**Primary 5:** Ceadaoin

**Primary 6:** Leo

**Primary 7:** Jessica

**Doves Nest:** Brianna

**Little Blossoms:** Saerlaith

**Butterfly Room:** Esme

**Little Acorns:** Gerson

**Sunshine Room:** AJ

**Busy Bees:** Cormac

**Rainbow Room:** Sorcha

**Duckling Den:** Alfie

**Firefly Room:** Faolan

### Tullygally Kindness Awards

Well done to our Kindness Award winners for this week:

**Primary 1:** Harley

**Primary 2:** Bobby

**Primary 3:** Phoebe

**Primary 4:** Jade

**Primary 5:** Kirsty

**Primary 6:** Alfie

**Primary 7:** Rachel

**Doves Nest:** Alanna

**Duckling Den:** Corey

### Mainstream Class of the Week

Well done to our Mainstream Class of the Week winner for this week:



**Primary 6**

### Tullygally PE M.V.P Awards

Well done to our 'Most Valuable Player' winners in PE lessons with Miss Graham this week:

**Primary 1:** Cadain

**Primary 2:** Cain

**Primary 3:** Aylish

**Primary 4:** Emily

**Primary 5:** Leo

**Primary 6:** Lorcan

**Primary 7:** Dylan



### PE Class of the Week

Well done to our PE Class of the Week winner for this week:



**Primary 2**

### Parent-Teacher Interviews

Parent-Teacher Interviews for Mainstream Nursery and P1-7 pupils will take place from Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> February – Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2026.

All Mainstream Nursery and P1-7 parents / guardians will receive a Seesaw message on Monday indicating them of their allocated date and time.

Mainstream Nursery and P1-7 pupils will finish school early on W.C. 2<sup>nd</sup> February to facilitate these interviews. Normal school dinners and packed lunches will operate before these early finishing times.

Nursery: 12:15pm  
Mainstream: 12:30pm  
Specialist Provision: Normal finishing times

### Breakfast Club

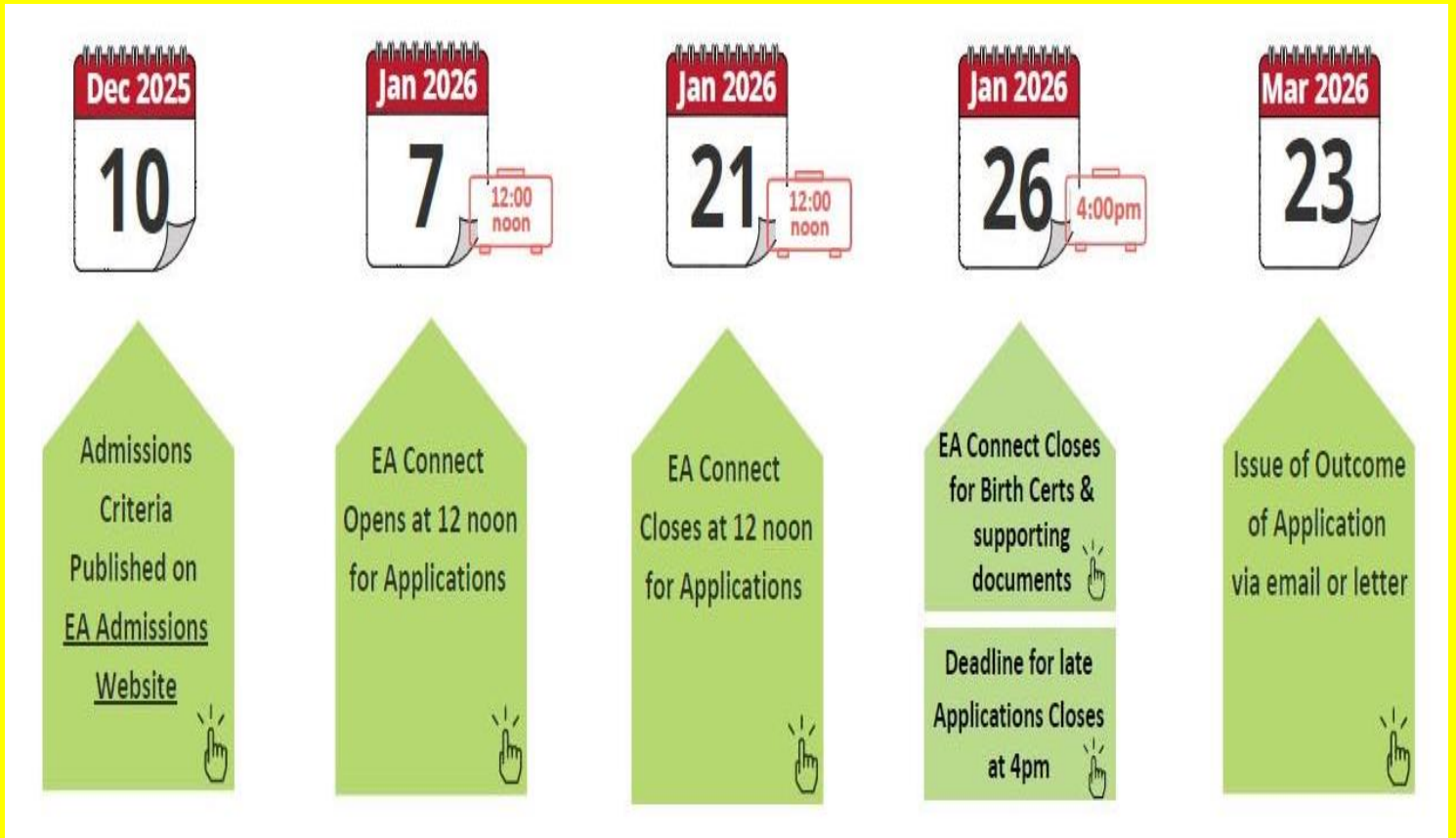
Tullygally Breakfast Club is open every Monday – Friday from 8:05am – 8:45am for Mainstream P1-7 pupils in the school canteen.

No sign up required. Simply turn up with £2.00 cash per day!



## Mainstream Nursery & Primary 1 Applications for September 2026

If you have a child starting Mainstream Nursery or Primary 1 in September 2026, EA Connect Applications opened on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> January at 12noon and they will now remain open until next Wednesday (21<sup>st</sup> January 2026) at 12noon.



## P6 Swimming Lessons

Our Primary 6 pupils commenced their weekly swimming lessons this week at South Lake Leisure Centre.



## Extended School Clubs

This week was the beginning of our Term 2 Extended School Clubs where a wide range of activities were accessible for our pupils, from Nerf Wars to Gymnastics, Hip Hop Dance to Arts & Crafts, and Funky Clay to MultiSports.



## Staff Nurture Training

On Thursday afternoon, our staff participated in whole school Nurture training, in line with our Nurture ethos here at Tullygally Primary School.



### Meet our Parent Liaison Officer

At Tullygally, the nurture ethos is at the heart of everything we do. We believe that school enjoyment and strong friendships are the foundation for our pupils' motivation and success. To strengthen the link between home and school, I am delighted to join the team as your new Parent Liaison! Throughout my career, people and wellbeing have always been my focus. I believe that when home and school work together, our children get the best start on their educational journey.

To get us started, I'd love for you to join me for:

👤 Walk & Talk Sessions

📅 Every Wednesday starting 21st January 2026

📍 Meet at the school gates (Tullygally Shop) @ 9.00am

☕ Finishing with tea & biscuits

Come for the fresh air, stay for the chat! Let's work together for the best pupil outcomes. It's a great way to connect, share ideas, and support each other.

Have a suggestion or just want to say hi? My door is always open! Whether you have a concern or just want a quick catch-up, please stop me for a chat if you see me around school. It's always good to talk!

**Name:** Judith

**Favourite Food:** Chicken jalfrezi (Babu's in Gilford)

**Favourite Song:** Anything by Faithless or Stumblin in – Cyril

**Favourite School Subject:** Geography

**Superpower I'd like to have:** Invisible

**Favourite way to unwind:** Walk in Lurgan Park or the Mournes. March – Sept a dip in Helens Bay

**Favourite quote:** "Whether you think you can, or you think you can't, you're right" – Henry Ford

**Coffee or Tea:** Coffee

**Cats or Dogs:** Dogs

**Mountains or Beach:** Beach

**Podcast or Music:** Music

**Morning Person or Night owl:** Morning Person

**Texting or Phone calls:** Phone calls





# TULLYGALLY P.S. PARENTS WALK AND TALK

EVERY WEDNESDAY (STARTING 21<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY 2026)

📍 MEET AT THE SCHOOL GATES (TULLYGALLY SHOP) @ 9.00AM

🍪 FINISHING WITH TEA & BISCUITS

NSPCC – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> January



## NON-UNIFORM DAY

# NSPCC

FRIDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> JANUARY 2026

£1.00 PER PUPIL

ALL PROCEEDS DONATED TO  
NSPCC

# FEEL THE LOVE DAY

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2026



## What's Happening?

-  Kindness activities in every class.
-  Sharing smiles, helping hands & kind words.
-  Celebrating how we show love at school!

## What to Wear?

Everyone is welcome to wear **PINK!**

(Or wear school clothes if you prefer – that's absolutely fine!)

## Our Message:

- We show love by being kind, inclusive, and respectful.
- Let's fill our school with love, smiles, and kindness!

