

Sinéad's Fourth Class Summer Newsletter

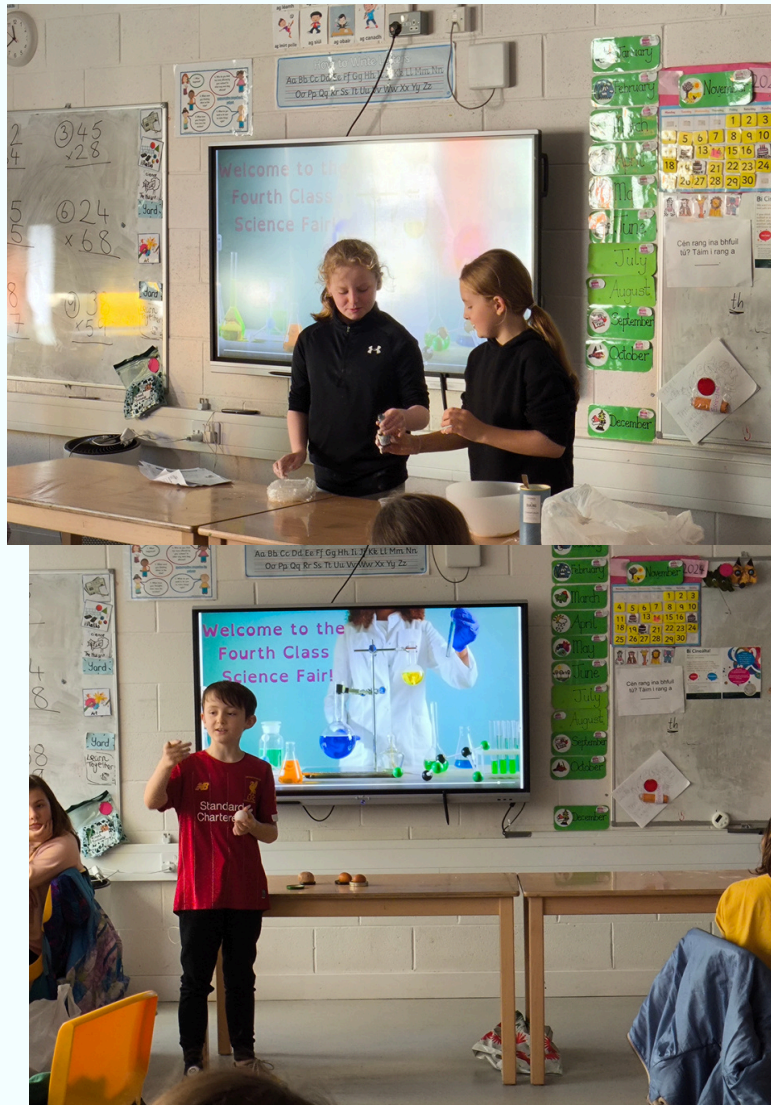


Welcome to our Fourth Class Summer Newsletter!

Here are a few things that we have done this year. You will find lots of things about what we got up to in Fourth Class!



Science Fair



In November, we did a Science Fair. Each of us did a science experiment and showed it to the class. Isabelle B, Olivia and Maggie showed us oobleck. Claire did a lava lamp. Evan made slime. Luke made a motorised sponge car. Lauren created crystals. Caoimhe blew up a balloon using baking soda and vinegar. Robyn, Ruby, Isabelle M lit a candle underwater and then it exploded! Nessa showed the colour wheel and when she spun it, it turned white! Everybody did a great job creating their experiments and presenting them!



Class Trips



In October we went to the Helix to watch a Maths magician. When we were there we saw Recan. The Maths magician performed Rubiks cube magic.





We loved our trips to the park!

The Haircut

We went to see the Haircut in the Ark.

It was a one man show with musicians in the background. It was about a king who got a haircut and then he killed his hairdressers because he didn't want people to know he had donkey ears.





Dublinia

In Dublinia we looked at a replica of a viking longship.

Then we saw a skeleton and got to try on a viking helmet

and some of us held a shield. We also got to see a viking house

and saw animals being hung up for storage. There where two beds in the house and a fire in the middle. We got to see the toilets and the plague.





Bí Cineálta



Oaky the Kindness Tree

**We planted
Oaky in
November. He
is our kindness
tree for our
new kindness
policy called Bí
Cineálta.**



**In February we saw he grew
his first leaves. The leaves
were very small and delicate.**

**After a while we realised that
Oaky had lost some of his
leaves. Claire, Maggie, Ruby,
Isabelle M, Robyn and Luke
formed an Oaky Protection
Team to make sure he will
grow!**



Assembly



**In January, we presented an assembly about
Friendship. We did some plays about
friendship, and sang the Friends theme song
“I’ll Be There For You”**

Gamechangers



In April and March our class started making our Game Changers board games.

We made our board games over the span of three weeks.

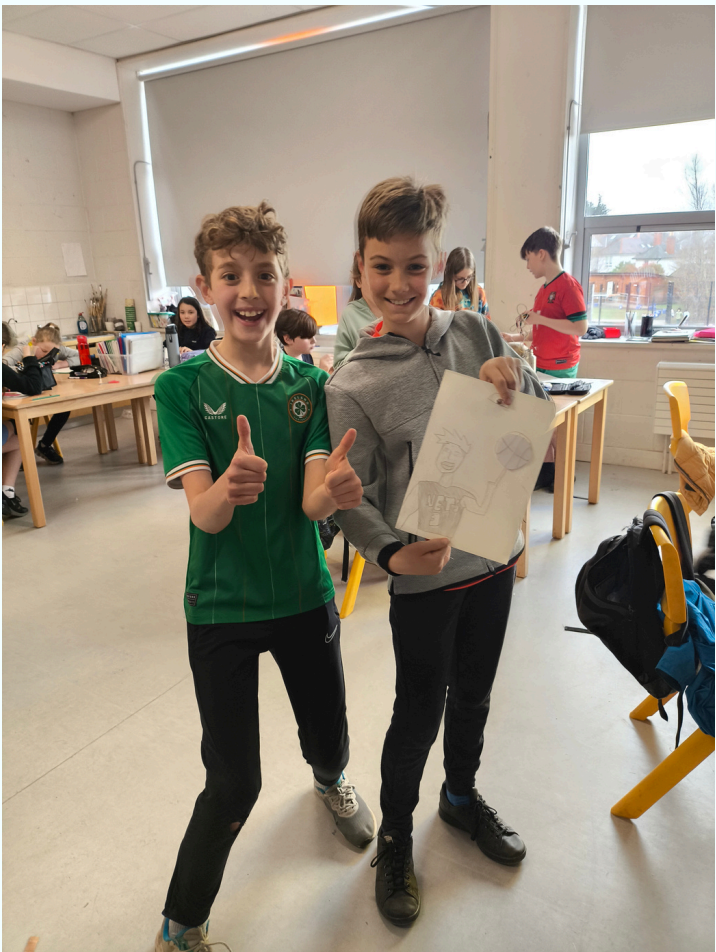
It was hard to make them but it was worth it!





**We did Art in the
outdoor classroom.**





**In Science we learned
about the human body,
electricity and the centre
of gravity. We balanced
cocktail sticks and
potatoes on the top of a
pencil.**





Rian made the biggest balancing potato creation.

Art Day

On art day we did face paint, notebooks, clay, t-shirts, slime, jars, pompoms and so much more. It was soooo FUN!:) I wish it could be art day every day!



Sports Day



**Sports day was a really fun day.
We did a sponge race and we got soaked!!!
We dunked our heads into the water :)**





New Years
Resolutions

Manhunt
Meetings



Deano's
Birthday

Clara Lara

**Clara Lara was the best
day ever. We all got soaked.**

**We were like walking
icicles because the water
was freezing.**

**Some of us got ice cream
and sweets.**

**We loved swinging into the
lake. We went on canoes
and amphicats.**



Things we liked this year

April Fools Prank – We pranked Sinéad by only having five people in the class in the morning and we called her down to the office and sneaked back into the classroom.

Crochet – Justine taught lots of us how to crochet. Justine and Maureen started crochet club. We enjoyed making lots of projects.

Evan the Teacher day – We had a Pyjama Day. We made houses under the tables, we did Just Dance and we watched a film.

Hamlet – We went to Sylvia’s class to see Hamlet. It was very good and it was sad and there was good singing in it.

Playlist – We all added our songs to make a Fourth Class Spotify Playlist.

Book Swap – In June, we brought in books we were finished with and swapped them to get new books. We did the book swap with Naomi’s class.

Toy Swap – In September 3rd and 4th Class did a toy swap.

New Yard – We get to choose where to go on yard. There is a sand pit and a rock pit. We get to go into the log cabin, field and forest trail.

Good luck Evan!

**We are saying goodbye to Evan who is leaving
GETNS to move to Wexford.**

**He has been with us for six years. He is very
kind and is friends with everyone.**

We will miss him very much.

He will always be in our hearts.

His new class will be very lucky to have him.

**We will welcome a new student, Juliette, to our
class in September.**

