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Confirmation and Graduation Letter

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

We hope this finds you well. Here are the arrangements for Confirmation and Graduation:

Confirmation will take place on Saturday, August 29th at 10.15am for Ms. Cuddy's Class and 11.45am for Mr. Hickey's Class.

Each child may be accompanied by three adults – typically both parents/ guardians and sponsor. It will be a very simple ceremony. Here is a simple preparation sheet:

<https://parteenschool.ie/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/Confirmation-Preparation-.pdf>

Stewards will be on the door to guide everyone to their seat. Every second seat will be used and families will be asked to use alternate ends to maximise social distancing e.g. family in seat 1 sit on the right, family in seat 2 sit on the left etc. Seats are allocated by draw and names will be on each seat. The Parents Association will have a Confirmation Certificate left for each child on the seat. Mr. Hickey will leave a simple Confirmation Booklet on each seat. The Parents Association will clean the church before the first ceremony and before the second ceremony. A videographer will be present.

Graduation will take place on the school grounds after each ceremony. The Parents Association will have chairs left out in the yard. The Graduation certificates will be left on the seats. There will be a short speeches followed by tree planting.

Kind regards,

Principal, Parents Association and 6th Class Teachers