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A Thuismitheoirí:

In light of the current, evolving situation with the Covid-19 Virus, the Board of Governors of Gaelscoil Uí Néill has taken the decision to close the school on Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> March and Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> March. While we understand that this may cause some difficulties to a number of parents with regard to childcare arrangement, the Board's decision is based on the desire to ensure the health and wellbeing of all members of the school community: pupils, staff and the wider community in general. This closure will also afford the teachers the time to prepare home study packs, should the Department of Education decide to call on all schools to close for a longer period of time.

We understand that this is a worrying and uncertain time for all and we urge you to follow the advice from the Public Health Agency.

We will maintain regular contact with you on our parental communication platforms throughout this time. We appreciate your continued support and understanding during these anxious times.

Mar gheall ar imeachtaí reatha le Víreas Covid-19, ghlac Bord Ghobharnóirí Ghaelscoil Uí Néill an cinneadh leis an scoil a dhruidim ar an Déardaoin, 19<sup>ú</sup> Márta agus an Aoine, 20<sup>ú</sup> Marta. Cé go dtuigeann muid gur seans go mbeadh an cinneadh seo mar chúis le deacrachtáí ag roinnt tuismitheoirí le socruithe cúram leanaí, tá an cinneadh seo thírithe ar shláinte agus folláine gach ball de phobal uile na scoile: daltaí, an fhoireann agus an pobal níos leithne. Tabharfaidh an druidim seo an seans do mhúinteoirí pacáí staidéir sa bhaile a ukkmhú más amhlaidh go socraíonn an Roinn Oideachais iarráidh ar scoileanna druidim do thréimhse níos faide.

Tuigimid gur am buartha agus éiginnte é seo agus molaimid daoibh an comhairle a thug an Ghníomhaireacht Sláinte Poiblí amach a leanstan.

Beidh muid i dteagmháil leat go rialta ar na meáin chumarsáide do thuismitheoirí le linn an ama seo. Míle buíochas as an tacaíocht agus tuiscint s'agaibh ag an am imníoch seo.

Le meas,  
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