

Polasaithe Naíonra Céimeanna Beaga

Polasaí 1: Polasaí an Naíonra / Purpose and Statement of Function



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Polasaí an Naíonra

Seirbhís Naíonra d'ardchaighdeán a chur ar fáil do pháistí idir 3 agus 5 bliain is 8 mhí d'aois.

Tá sé mar pholasaí ag an Naíonra seo timpeallacht taitneamhach, spreagúil, tacúil, fáiltiúil, sláintiúil, sábháilte a chur ar fáil do gach páiste.

Beidh sé mar phríomhfheidhm ag an Naíonra:

- Deis agus tacaíocht a thabhairt don pháiste óg an Ghaeilge a shealbhú go nádúrtha, agus, i gcás páiste le Gaeilge ón mbaile, cabhrú le saibhriú na Gaeilge.
- Cabhrú le forbairt iomlán an pháiste a chur chun cinn trí mhodh an tsúgartha, ag tacú le ról na dtuismitheoirí i bhforbairt agus in oideachas an pháiste.
- Deiseanna comhionannais a chur chun cinn do gach páiste.
- Naíonra a reachtáil trí mheán na Gaeilge.
- Seirbhís tacaíochta d'ardchaighdeán a sholáthar do thuismitheoirí.

Purpose and Statement of Function

Naíonra Céimeanna Beaga is a privately owned school. It is defined as sessional under the Child Care (Early Years Services) Regulations 2016. It aims to provide a quality Naíonra for children aged between 3 – 5 years 8 months. We offer two daily sessions from 8.45 am – 11.45pm and 12 pm – 3pm . We are open 38 weeks per year roughly in line to the national schools. Our ration is 1:11.

Aims

1. The Naíonra endeavours to provide a pleasant, stimulating, welcoming, safe and healthy environment for all children.

2. The Naíonra aims:

- To run the service through the medium of Irish.
- To provide the child with the necessary opportunity and support to acquire Irish naturally, and in the case of the child whose home language is Irish, to facilitate the enrichment of that child's first language.
- To promote the total development of the child through play, while supporting the role of the parent in the development and education of their child.
- To promote equal opportunities for all children.
- To promote a quality service support service for parents.

Key Information:

Opening Hours:	Morning session 8:45am – 11:45pm Afternoon session: 12pm – 3pm
Capacity:	22 per room. 2 rooms. 2 sessions Total 88
Age Range:	3 to 5 years 8 months on 31 st August
Ratios:	11 children / 1 stiúrthóir (early years leader)
Curriculum:	Aistear
Address:	Glenina, Gort Road, Ennis, Co Clare
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KEY PEOPLE In-House:

Manager (Person in Charge):	Katie Uí Chaoimh
Deputy in the absence of the Manager:	Deirdre Uí Mhuirthe
Health & Safety Officer:	Katie Uí Chaoimh
Fire Officer:	Katie Uí Chaoimh
First Aid Co-ordinator:	Katie Uí Chaoimh
Designated Liaison Officer:	Katie Uí Chaoimh
Deputy Designated Liaison Officer:	Deirdre Uí Mhuirthe
Data Controller:	Katie Uí Chaoimh

KEY PEOPLE External:

Tusla Early Years Inspection Team:	Early Years Inspector/Preschool Officer, River House, Gort Road, Ennis, Co Clare / 065 6863902
Tusla Social Work Department:	River House, Gort Road, Ennis, Co. Clare / 065 6863935
Gardaí:	Abbey St, Ennis, Clare / 065 684 8100
Doctor:	1850 212 999
Local Hospital:	Mid-West Regional Hospital, Gort Road, Ennis, Clare / 065 6824464
Water Leaks:	1850 278 778
Gas:	1850 20 50 50 (24-hours)
Electricity:	1850 372 999 (24-hours)

Alarm:	Dónal O' hAiniféin / 087 2881585
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Emergencies:

The principal *emergency services* are the “blue light” *services* that respond to normal *emergencies* in Ireland namely An Garda Síochána, the ambulance *Service*, the Fire *Service* and the Irish Coast Guard.

Call 112 to access these services.