

Many extra- curricular activities busy the children at school- fun days, football, athletics, art competitions, concerts, church ceremonies, outings, visits to the library, local history and geography trails, digging and planting in the school garden, painting, litter picking and literary competitions such as "Write a Book" and Féile na hInse. The school actively participates in the Inter-Schools Football, coming away with the silverware on many occasions.



## Cranny N.S.

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Currently enrolling for Sept. 2015

# CRANNY NATIONAL SCHOOL

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Cranny N.S. is a modern building of the 1980's. It has large classrooms, each with its own cloak room and toilet area.

The Learning Support classroom is well resourced. The school has a fully equipped G.P. room with a kitchen attached.

The outdoor playground is spacious, consisting of a fully lined basketball court and a grass covered lawn.

Adjacent is a football field also used for athletics, sports and fun days. All areas of the Curriculum are delivered in a child friendly and vibrant fashion, appealing to the varying interests of each child.





The P.E. curriculum is embraced in its entirety.

Trained personnel are regularly brought in to deliver each strand: games, dance, gymnastics, athletics, and aquatics.



Artistic development in the broadest sense is encouraged for all children.



The pupils' skills are developed through working with a wide range of materials, paints, colours, fabric and fibres, chalks, oils and clay. The children are regularly afforded the opportunity of participation in workshops with professional craftspeople.



The children enjoy an active participation in music and song.



A variety of musical instruments are played and the children sing enthusiastically from all genres - traditional, contemporary and church music.



In order to maximise performance and results in areas of Numeracy and Literacy, individual analysis and attention is given to each pupil.



The Accelerated Reading and the Building Bridges programmes are now well underway within the school. These are both enjoyable and beneficial approaches to improving literacy standards.



The children are encouraged to explore their environment through the study of History, Geography and Science. They are helped to develop basic scientific ideas which enable them to explore and investigate their world. Geography trips and local History trails familiarise them with that which surrounds them every day.



The school prides itself in fostering a love for and a high standard in Irish. Emphasis is placed not only on the language but also on Irish song, music and dance. Seachtain na Gaeilge and éile na hInse competitions provide our children with an opportunity to show case their proficiency in all aspects of our culture.