5th/6th Class Ms Morrissey Book List 2022/2023

Books:

With our book rental scheme all the books your child will need including books which are rented from the school and workbooks which your child will own are included with the exception of an Irish Dictionary. Throughout the year your child's teacher will have access to a wide range of books bought by the school over the last few years.
The total cost of these books along with your child's annual fee for photocopying, arts & crafts and our Ballymurn National School Homework Journal is **€80**.

If you are buying an Irish Dictionary for the first time we would recommend the Foclóir Dictionary which you can purchase through the school for €14.

Classroom Essentials:

2 large pritt sticks, a set of twistables, a sharpener & eraser, 2 red pens, 3 pencils, 4 x blue pens, 12'' (30cm) ruler (not a rubber ruler), 12 x copies (**120 pages**), 4 x Maths copies (**120 pages**), 1 x scrap books, 2 x mesh zip folder, 1 A4 whiteboard, 4 x fine tip whiteboard markers, a calculator and a mathematical set.

You can choose to purchase a stationery pack from the school to include all the above for €35.

Payment for both books and classroom essentials is due to be paid by **8th June 2022**.

Please try to make the payment by bank transfer to the school account.

Bank Details

Account Name: Ballymurn School Account

Bank of Ireland Wexford

IBAN: IE02 BOFI 9067 1822 4787 77

BIC: BOFIIE2D

Please use your eldest child's name attending our school as reference.

Total for book rental only €80
Total for book rental and classroom essentials €115
Total for book rental, classroom essentials & Irish Dictionary €129

If it is not possible to make the payment by bank transfer cash or cheque payments can be made to the school office between 9.30am and 2pm Monday to Friday. Please place the payment into an envelope clearly marked with your child's name.

If you have any queries please contact Leanna in the school office on 053 91 38435 or office@ballymurnns.ie

Ballymurn National School Book Rental Scheme
Frequently Asked Questions

What is a book rental scheme?
A book rental scheme means that the school will purchase all textbooks and workbooks. Parents pay a fee to the school each year comprising of a rental fee for the use of textbooks and a purchase fee for workbooks.

Who owns the books?
The school remains the owner of the textbooks at all times. Workbooks are owned by the pupil.

What is the cost and when do I have to pay?
The fee for the year will be €80 per child. This fee should be paid in total by Wednesday 8th June. This is to allow enough time to purchase all books required for the new school year.

Is there a rental deposit?
No. There is no deposit, but if a book is lost or damaged, payment will be required in order to replace the book. Future participation in the scheme is contingent upon replacing lost/damaged books. If your child leaves the school before June 2023 you must return all rental books to the school office.

What are the benefits of having a Book Rental Scheme?
There are many benefits including –

- The scheme will significantly reduce the amount of money spent by parents on books each year
- All textbooks and workbooks will be provided by the school
- Parents no longer have the task of purchasing and covering books
- All pupils will have access to a wider range of textbooks. The school will also further invest in novels and textbooks in order to add to our current collection.

Is there a Savings Scheme for parents to help pay the Rental Fee?
Yes. Parents may opt to join the Savings Club being operated by the Parents' Association. All savings are collected each Friday morning in the school Staff room.

Can I donate schoolbooks to the school?
Yes. The school would be delighted to accept any textbooks from our current book list which are in good condition.

Will the school be buying new books each year?

- The school will need to replace sub-standard/damaged books each year
- The school will purchase workbooks annually
- The school will purchase additional books to provide a wider range of resources in the classrooms

If you have any further questions please contact the school office.

All booklists will be available to download from the school website *www.ballymurnns.ie* from June 2022.