Hello Young Savers!



The An Post School Saving scheme aim is to help young people to manage money wisely.

Children will acquire the savings habit more easily when it is practised in a group atmosphere that generates enthusiasm and through the Cyril the squirrel concept which portrays saving as fun and exciting.

The children learn how to plan their savings for the worthwhile things they want or have to do.

As a consequence, they learn good saving habits from an early age.

Stamps are sold on a designated day which this year is a Wednesday, and we started saving on 16th September 2009. We are encouraging children to save €1.00 to €3.00 per week.

This straightforward scheme invoices the regular sale of €1.00 Savings Stamps in the school.

The stamps are affixed to Cyril's Savings Card which is retained by the pupil.

When a card is completed it can be used to:

- open a Post Office savings bank account,
- make a deposit in an existing Post Office savings bank account, or
- exchange the card for cash at a Post Office, if the child has been saving for something special to buy or do.

Teacher responsible for saving in the school: Mrs.B.Harrington

If interested in learning more about this scheme follow the following link:

http://cyril.anpost.ie/cyril_stories_poems_pics.html