



...make a start  
and make it count



2020/21

Dear Principal or Primary School Teacher,

**Most children living in Ireland seem to have so much.  
Most children living in Africa seem to have so little.**

Bóthar is hoping that children in Ireland will help children they don't know, thousands of miles away by sending a goat to a struggling family later this year.

It will be a simple gesture from your pupils that will be life-changing for children in African countries such as Tanzania and Rwanda.



Here's how to get involved...

**DO 1 OF THESE**

- ✓ Decide that you and your classmates will change the life of a family in Africa.
- ✓ Book a Bóthar Class Speaker to come and tell you how your efforts will make an impact.
- ✓ Pick the type of fundraiser you'd like to do...  
Or come up with your own original idea!
- ✓ Pick the time of year that suits you and your class.
- ✓ Name the goat you'll be sending to Africa.
- ✓ Send in your photos so we can include them on our website [www.bothar.ie](http://www.bothar.ie) and in our newsletter, the Bó Vine.
- ✓ Be proud and tell people of the difference you have made in the lives of others!



Fancy Dress  
"Dress Up As" day



Easter  
Egg Hunt



Funky  
Hair Day



Movie Day (watch your favourite movie in school for a small contribution)



Communion or  
Confirmation Donation

Lenten  
Donation



Bake  
Sale



Bazaar  
Day



Karaoke  
Contest



Colour  
Run



Read-a-thon



Jellybean  
Count



Sponsored  
Walk



## School Visit Booking Form 2020/21

**Please complete this form with your details and return in the Freepost envelope supplied.**

I would like to request a visit from a member of the Bóthar team to talk about the families Bóthar assists.

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|-----------------|---------------------------|
| School Name:    | Class:                    |
| School Address: | Teacher's Name:           |
|                 | Contact Number:*          |
|                 | Email:*                   |
|                 | Requested date for visit: |
| Eircode:        | Requested time:           |

\* **Please note:** Requested visits must be confirmed by Bóthar who will telephone you or email you upon receipt of this form.



It is a very simple idea that is easy to roll out in the classroom.

A goat fundraising target poster is available to download online, so you can chart your progress along the way.

Bóthar will bring a large presentation cheque to your school to thank your pupils for their efforts. If permitted, we would take a photo to put in our Super Supporters Section of our newsletter.

*It is a nice way of helping children understand that by making a start with fundraising, you can really make your efforts count in the lives of others.*

Irish dairy goats have been changing lives in the developing world for the past 29 years. Let's send even more goats in 2020/21!

If you have any questions or want to discuss it with me further please call me on FREEPHONE **1800 268 463** or email me **maureen@bothar.ie**

Yours sincerely,



*Maureen*

**Maureen Purcell**  
Donor Care Manager



*P.S. If your class is unable to take part in the project this year, please pass it on to another teacher in the school who might be able to get involved. Thank you!*



### Bóthar Speaker Info

Bóthar encourages all schools, whether they are fundraising for Bóthar or not, to request a Bóthar Class Speaker for their school. A Bóthar representative will travel to your school and give a 20 minute presentation with a Q&A session afterwards which provides huge insight into and examples of Bóthar's work.