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Ballyholland Primary School



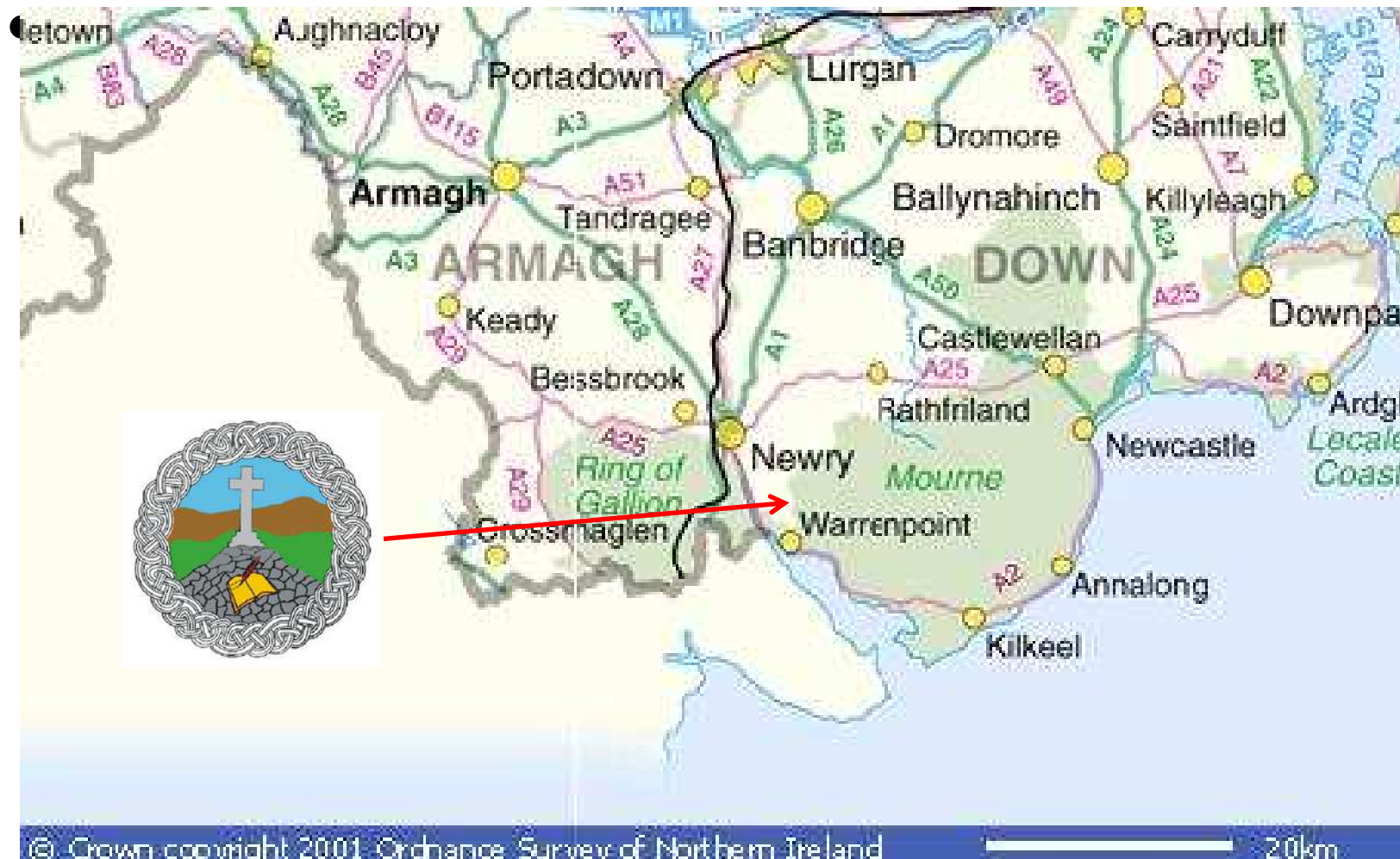
- Through this power point we will present to you the location of our school within Ireland.
- It highlights our nearest city and coastal town.
- It will show the importance of our coast to the economical development of our area.
- Now, sit back, Chillax and enjoy.

Ballyholland Primary School is located in Northern Ireland on the outskirts of the city of Newry.

- It is positioned approx. 80km north of Dublin and 40 Km south of Belfast.



We are part of the small rural community of Ballyholland which has a population of approx. 1,000. Our school can be found between Newry and Warrenpoint .



Newry



- Newry has long been a frontier town, guarding the land route from [Dublin](#) to Ulster through the 'Gap of the North', the pass between Slieve Gullion and the [Carlingford](#) hills, still followed by the main Dublin–Belfast road and railway.
- Its name derives from a yew tree (An tIúr) supposedly planted here by St Patrick.



- The opening of the Newry Canal in 1742, linking the town with the River Bann at Portadown, made Newry a busy trading port, exporting coal from Coalisland on Lough Neagh, as well as linen and butter from the surrounding area. It was the first canal in the British Isles.

- Newry today is a major shopping city, with a busy market on Thursday and Saturday. It's invaded at weekends by shoppers from the South taking advantage of the euro exchange rate and the relative bargains available across the border.

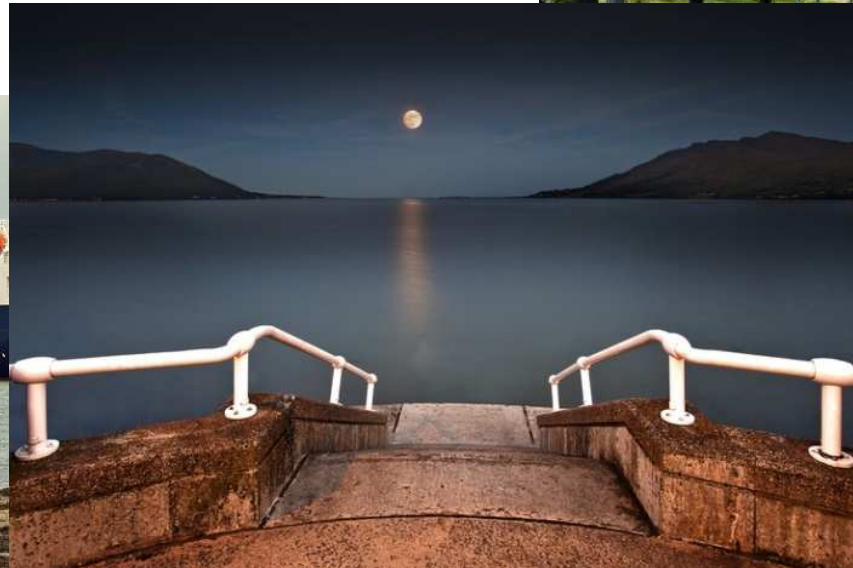


Warrenpoint

- Warrenpoint (Rionn Mac Ghiolla Rua) is a Victorian resort at the head of Carlingford Lough.



Its seaside appeal includes the large industrial harbour at the west end of town. Its broad streets, main square and renovated prom are pleasant to shop and socialise in. It is a main shipping port for vessels travelling to and from Heysham in England.



- About 2km northwest of the town centre is Narrow Water Castle, a fine Elizabethan tower house built in 1568 to command the entrance to the River Newry.



Dawn in Warrenpoint

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pMkClqiZU7k>

Our School Video

- <https://voice.adobe.com/a/G8ZEK>

Go raibh maith agaith

- We hope you enjoyed our presentation on our locality.
- We look forward to working together and creating new friendships that cross over the borders of Europe.