



## **PARENTS** **FOR FUTURE**

**For immediate release**

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The Irish branch of Parents for Future, Tuistí don Todhchaí, is calling upon everyone: old, young and in-between, to come out in support of our young people at the next big **Global Climate Strike** on Friday, September 20.

In August 2018 one young woman sat down to protest. Her personal strike against government inaction on climate justice struck a chord with young people all over the planet.

Our planet is burning, as heatwaves, storms and failed crops spread across the world. Species after species faces extinction, and we must stand up to stop this from happening. Our teenagers and young people have led the way, following this young woman out onto the streets, and now we must unite behind them to show them we've heard, show them we care, and to impress upon our governments that we are watching.

The time to act is now!

This **Global Climate Strike** will take place on Friday, September 20 in locations all around the world.

In Ireland alone, many locations have already registered protests. Join in by assembling at:

9am	Council Houses	<b>Tralee</b>
9am	Courthouse	<b>Kenmare</b>
9am	The Height, O'Connell Sq	<b>Ennis</b>
10am	Main Street	<b>Dundrum village</b>
11am	Donegall Square	<b>Belfast</b>
12 noon	Customs House	<b>Dublin</b>
12 noon	Grand Parade Street	<b>Cork</b>
12 noon	Dingle Town Park	<b>Dingle</b>

12.30	Market Square	<b>Dundalk</b>
12.30	Court House Square	<b>Maynooth</b>
1pm	Carlow Town Hall	<b>Carlow</b>
1pm	Arthur's Quay Park	<b>Limerick</b>
1pm	St Peter's Church, West St	<b>Drogheda</b>
1pm	Market Square	<b>Navan</b>
1pm	Eyre Square	<b>Galway</b>
1.30	Burnaby Park	<b>Greystones</b>
2.30	Scoil Lorcáin	<b>Monkstown</b>

Many more locations are listed at the following websites. There is also still time to organise your own strike if you can't see one in your area, and many of these sites offer practical help and advice to get started.

For further information please see:

<https://www.foe.ie/>

<https://www.fridaysforfuture.ie/>

<https://www.fridaysforfuture.org>

<https://www.facebook.com/Schools-Climate-Action-Network-SCAN-443977513032810/>

<https://extinctionrebellionireland.com/>

<https://globalclimatestrike.net/>

<https://www.stopclimatechaos.ie/>