

Dear XXXXX,

Hi! My name is Echo, and I wanted to introduce myself to you. I'm a black Labrador and am five years old. I am a therapy dog. I love to play and I love making new friends. The best things ever are playing with my two legged friends, playing with tennis balls and Chasing squirrels!

I had a bit of a rough start in life. Nobody seemed to want me. I went from one home to another and then I was adopted by my mama, Aideen.....Aideen is a teacher in your school. She teaches in Primary 1 (Primary 1 kids are CRAZZZZZZY, but we love them dearly anyway!!!) I am very happy and content now. Labradors really like to work, so Aideen has trained me how to do some work with young people like you.

Sometimes I work from my own work space outside my mama's Class-room. I'm really sweet and cute. I try to behave like a good dog, but sometimes I have some behaviour problems that I need help with. Sometimes the pupils in St Gerard's help me with them. They help train me. Aideen can show you how to do that. Mostly, I behave myself pretty well. I never hurt anyone, and I try really hard. (One of my worst problems is that I love to sniff EVERYTHING! Sometimes I can be quite shy and feel like I am not good enough).

If you would like to meet me and play with me, you can tell your teacher. Aideen will meet with you first to show you some great ways to say hello to me, and she will also give you some dog kibble (mini dog cookies) that you can give me when we first meet. I love THEM!!!

Here is a photo of me in my smart work vest. I hope that we get to meet someday!

Echo



Aren't I a handsome boy?
It's me.....Echo



Fun Facts About Me!

Full Name: Mr Echo

Known as: 'Echo'

I am 5 years old

I am a Black Labrador dog (male)

My favourite things:

- Making new friends
- Being brushed gently
- Eating kibble

Things I like to do:

- Sleeping
- Going on forest walks
- Chasing a ball
- Playing tug of war (and winning)
- Going for Sniff-aris

Things I don't like:

- Being pulled or hurt in any way
- If my personal space is invaded