

# Board of Management Agreed Report: 07.11.2022

## Educational Matters

<u>SSE - Forbairt</u>: 1<sup>st</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> year students are now engaged in what began as the Forbairt initiativea project in the area of success criteria. Every subject department now has appointed a lead person.

<u>Career Guidance</u>: All TY students have sat the DATS test and are currently meeting with Guidance Counsellor, on an individual basis, to discuss their results. In January 2023: 3<sup>rd</sup> Years will select TY/5<sup>th</sup> Year. TY/3<sup>rd</sup> Years will select senior cycle subjects at this time.

<u>Examinations</u>: Preparatory Examinations will commence on 28 November 2022 for 3<sup>rd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> year students. Christmas Examinations will commence on the 05 December 2022 for the remaining year groups.

Foreign Language Assistant: Our French FLA has commenced, and a Spanish FLA is due to commence shortly.

## <u>Meetings</u>

19 September 2022 - All Staff Post of Responsibility (POR) Review

22 September 2022- Reporting Review Team

27 September 2022- Year Head Meeting

04 October 2022 - POR Focus Group

05 & 26 October 2022 - Critical Incident Management Team Meeting

06 October 2022 - Senior Management Team & Middle Management Team Meeting

11 October 2022 – All Staff Meeting

24 October 2022 – PTMs (3rd & 6th Years)

27 October 2022 - NEPS Planning Meeting

October Returns: Submitted 13 October 2022 - 661 students

### <u>CPD</u>

Forbairt: Eva O'Sullivan & Fiona O'Regan

Student Enterprise Programme: Caoimhe Whelton

NIPT Training: Sarah Howard

CETB Ethos Training: Mary O'Brien

LIFT Ireland Training: Emma Fitzharris

JCT Second Subject CPD: Niamh Lordan, Sarah Howard Assist Training: Mary O'Brien Applied Maths CPD: Eoghan O'Brien PDST Science: Shane Moloney SCPE: Eva O'Sullivan Engineering CPD: Alan Keane & Olan Lynch Athena Training: Tadhg Long, Mary Kelleher, Lorna Dundon, Liz McHugh Occupational H&S for Managers: Lorna Dundon

# **Policies**

Policies were shared with staff, students and parents for feedback.

- o Anti-bullying Policy (review) and checklist
- o Code of Behaviour (review)
- o Critical Incident (review)

### <u>Enrolment 2023-24</u>

Enrolment: 2023/24- Lottery. 548 applications. 168 places.

### First Year Information Night

Took place on 19 September 2022 with good attendance

### Student Council

Elections in November 2022 Visit from SC Critical Friend, Dr. Domnall Fleming (UCC).

Policy review

### Parents Association

The AGM of the PA took place on 26 October 2022. Committee is in situ for two years therefore no elections for a new committee. Agenda included the Treasurer's Report, social media, safety, fundraising and a planning update.

### Beyond the Classroom:

ECA Programme continues to run as per original schedule.