

DEIS PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS/GUARDIANS 2020-2024

Review	Review of structures for parent involvement in the school.		
Targets	<p>To promote and develop parents' involvement in their children's learning.</p> <p>To develop a positive attitude to a partnership approach in our school.</p> <p>Parents to be informed of school activities.</p> <p>To coordinate information on courses for parents/guardians and to maintain a minimum of 15 attendees.</p>		
ACTION PLAN		WHO DOES WHAT?	WHEN?
The website to be used as a communication tool to inform parents/guardians of school events and news.		Principal & Staff	Ongoing
Aladdin to be used as a communication conduit via text and email.		Principal & Staff	Ongoing
Parents to be utilised in supervision of pupils on trips in line with child protection guidelines and vetting requirements.		Principal & Staff	Ongoing
Double RSE session for parents 'Re sex education: 'Busy Bodies' to continue.		Principal	June
Parents to be invited to get involved in fundraising activities.		Principal	Ongoing
Parents of First Communion class (& Confirmation class, if applicable) to be heavily involved in preparation.		Principal & Staff	Post Christmas
Grandparents' Day to be held in school in February as part of Catholic Schools' Week.		Principal	February
A parental information homework evening will be held in the first month back to school.		Principal & Staff	September
Assistance with Green Flag activities.		Principal	During process
Assistance with making of St. Brigid's Crosses.		Principal	February
Open STEM Day for parents as part of application process for STEM award.		Principal	During process
Courses on cyber-bullying and internet safety to be organised for parents.		Principal	Every 3 years
Skills' Day: parents with talents in areas to be brought in to speak to the children.		Principal & Staff	Ongoing
Parental assistance with the Christmas Concert to be encouraged.		Staff	Every 2 years
Book Fair promotional activities to involve parents.		Principal	Every 2 years
Parental help to be sought re garden plot clearing and planting.		Principal & Staff	Ongoing
Expertise in any area by parents to be utilised wherever possible.		Principal & Staff	Ongoing
Parent-Teacher meetings to be held in November.		Principal & Staff	November
Monitoring	Attendance levels to be monitored by principal annually and compared to baseline target from the previous year.		
Evaluation	<p>Repeat the review each September using Croke Park hours and compare to baseline and targets.</p> <p>Re-evaluate strategies in light of past performance.</p>		