

Agreed Report 27/11/19

- We congratulate the Metalwork dept on their work.
- A teaching and learning group working on assessment strategies in the classroom will take part in the Learning School Project 2019/2020.
- The Board acknowledge and complement the work done by Anne o Connor in developing the Night School.
- The Board would like to acknowledge the work done by Colin Manning and Mary Cagney who run the school.
- PLC courses are proceeding well.

Work Experience

- Work Experience is commencing for all PLC students on November 25th for two weeks.

Graduation Ceremony

- Our Annual Graduation Ceremony is on December 5th for students from 18/19.

Building and Planning Matters

Tender Process ongoing

Link Corridor, Universal Access toilet and First Aid Room complete.

Continuing Professional Development

Principal attended:

- Monthly CETB & FET post primary principals' meetings
- Governance training

Deputy principals attended:

- HR training (CETB)
- SSE leadership training
- PDA Conference
- Governance training
- Leadership training : Wellbeing
- Magenta Training

Staff CPD

Staff members have undertaken CPD in the following areas since the beginning of the year:

- New Junior Cycle: 2nd subject CPD
- RSE: Junior Cycle
- RSE: Senior Cycle
- The Magenta Principles(Teaching and Learning)
- SEN:
 - Assessment and Planning for students with SEN
 - Supporting students with dyslexia and learning difficulties
 - Accessing the Curriculum for students with autism through literacy
- DCG: Advanced Solid works
- Wellbeing: JCT Leadership
- Restorative Justice Workshops
- SPHE
- Behaviour for Learning: NCSE
- QQi: Director of Adult Ed
- SSE

- All SNA's have completed the Autism 101 online course with CATTs
- 7 SNA's have completed Restorative Practice training.
- All SNA's have completed a Diabetes Inclusion Course

Restorative Practice: CPD was provided for 32 staff in restorative practice. It was funded by TOMAR and facilitated by Andy Battel. This has been completed.

Trips

Thank you to Ciara Kennedy and Denise O'Neill for organising and accompanying the students on the trip.

Fire Safety

- A fire drill for First Years was held on Tuesday 10th. September.
- Mark Sinclair of Middleton Fire Department has been contacted to conduct a fire risk Management Assessment in the school.
- Work has commenced on the Electrical Inspection

Date of Next Meeting - To be confirmed