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Scoil Iósaif Fionnradharc Átha Cliath 3

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

As we return from the mid-term break and now face into the final weeks of the academic year, I would like to take the opportunity to thank you for all of your support and communications this year. The two years of COVID have been difficult, but we are now focusing on full attendance.

Understandably, there has been an adjustment period as we all have returned to the daily schedule and need to attend our places of work, appointments and events. We would like to congratulate every student who has managed the transition back to full school. However we would also like to reach out to every home who may need support in returning to 'normal' with full attendance and punctuality.

With this focus on punctuality/attendance, I would like now for the school and homes to make a significant push to reemphasise our commitment to each student achieving their personal best. I would like to thank all of the teachers who are equally committed to this, where we feel having the students in each class enables us to give them every bit of support, be it academic or otherwise, that we can. I would ask the below be discussed and supported in each home, and we fully commit to the following in the school:

## Promoting punctuality/attendance from home:

- Have a discussion on the importance of arriving at school on time and attending full classes.
- Please be proactive in ensuring that your son leaves home on time. Classes start at 08.50 and students are expected to be on the school grounds before the bell.
- Each week check in and see how their punctuality has been. Incentives and encouragement can be very effective.

## Promoting punctuality/attendance in school:

- · We promise to monitor and record your child's punctuality
- · We promise to reach out and support any student's who may need help
- We will encourage and acknowledge students who are participating to their best ability

Once again, thank you for your continued dedication and support. We look forward to the final weeks of this year, and to another successful year in your child's education.

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Principal