3RD DEIS PLAN: 3 years

Numeracy

DEIS PRIORITY: NUMERACY

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YEAR 1:2014-1015 What do we want to achieve? (TARGETS)	What needs to be done? (TASKS)	When? (TIMEFRAME)	Who? (REMITS)	Desired Outcomes? (SUCCESS CRITERIA)
To promote positive attitudes towards maths	Numeracy puzzle on screens Maths Week – quizzes, fun activities	Throughout the year October	Numeracy team Maths teachers	Students aware and solve puzzles Students engage in maths in different ways
To promote the use of exam trackers - trend graphs in all subjects	Use trackers in all subject areas, trend graph format, tracker emailed to all staff	All year	Class Teachers	Students able to draw graphs and monitor progress
To promote higher and ordinary levels in 2 nd year and 5 th year	Small class groups for weaker students to assist with Ordinary Level JCSP facilitated with Ordinary Level if possible Maths Help Desk	All year	Maths teachers	Student progress
AGREED MONITORING PROCEDURES :		AGREED EVALUATION PROCEDURES :		
Maths Teachers Monitor by numeracy core team and maths teachers Survey teachers on usage of exam trackers		Student survey and verbal feedback Response to survey by teachers and students In class formative and summative assessment		

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YEAR 2:2015-2016 What to we want to achieve? (TARGETS)	What needs to be done? (TASKS)	When? (TIMEFRAME)	Who? (REMITS)	Desired Outcomes? (SUCCESS CRITERIA)
(1) Promote Higher and Ordinary Level for 6 th Years and 3 rd Years(exclude JCSP)	Division of classes to suit ability of students. Encourage students to pursue higher levels Maths Help Desk	All year	3 rd & 6 th Year teachers	Smaller numbers taking foundation level 3^{rd} Yr < 7% 6^{th} Yr < 4%
(2)Promote Higher and Ordinary Level for 2 nd and 5 th Years	Two ordinary level classes, fewer students doing LCA One slower paced class	All year	2 nd & 5 th Year teachers	Increased number attempting LC established
(3)Promote use of Exam trackers	Copies of Trackers available in Maths resource press	All year	Numeracy team	Staff and student use – Niamh has results
(4)Promote positive attitude towards maths	Numeracy puzzle on screen Maths Week	Began 7 th Sept Review Dec Oct 11-16	Numeracy team Maths teachers	% of students attempting the puzzle Student involvement
AGREED MONITORING PROCEDURES :		AGREED EVALUATION PROCEDURES :		
(1) & (2) by class teachers(3) Survey on usage repeated(4) Maths teachers and Numeracy Core Team		(1) & (2) In class assessment (3)Response to survey by teachers and students (4)Student survey, verbal feedback, student confidence		

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Smaller classes for weaker students Maths Help Desk	All year	Maths teachers	6 th years < 5% 3 rd years < 2%	
Encourage students Advise parents	All year Parent Teacher Meetings	2 nd year teachers	In excess of 20% taking higher level	
Trackers available for all teachers	All year	All teachers	70% usage of exam trackers by year end	
Numeracy puzzle Maths Week	All year October	Maths teachers	Other teachers engage in Maths Week	
AGREED MONITORING PROCEDURES :		AGREED EVALUATION PROCEDURES :		
Maths teachers meet regularly to discuss suitability of levels Use of tracker from results of survey Feedback from students		In class assessment procedures Responses to survey		
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