3RD DEIS PLAN: 3 years

DEIS PRIORITY: PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS AND OTHERS

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YEAR 1: 2014- 2015 What do we want to achieve? (TARGETS)	What needs to be done? (TASKS)	When? (TIMEFRAME)	Who? (REMITS)	Desired Outcomes? (SUCCESS CRITERIA)
PARENTS – Measure attendance at Parent- Teacher Meeting (2014/15)	Attendance taken at every Parent/Teacher Meeting	On Parent/Teacher Meeting	Joanne Parry HSCL	Statistics available to improve attendance at future Parent/Teacher Meeting by 2%
Link Healthy Eating Policy with homes	Contact MABS regarding Booklet €5- 101 Square Meals	End Sept 2014	Brenda Sweeney	Every home of 1 st Years would have a copy of this low budget healthy eating booklet.
OTHERS – Develop strong working partnerships with local businesses/RACE	SBP Planning Meeting to plan programme including Mock Interviews, Site Visit	Sept 2014	Joanne/Frank	Improvement in Mock Interview skills - LCVP students
academy	Link with Manager of RACE Academy	May 2014	Frank Whelan	Entry of at least one student from Athy College to RACE Academy trials per year.

AGREED MONITORING PROCEDURES:

- 1. Joanne to compile statistics
- 2. Brenda to link with Athy College Food Club Manager re Healthy Eating Policy
- 3. Survey Monkey evaluation of programme May 2015
- 4. Feedback to Frank Whelan from student/Race Manager re site visit

AGREED EVALUATION PROCEDURES:

- 1. Compare statistics of attendance in future years establish database
- 2. Feedback from Food Club re Healthy Choices, SPHE Programme promote positive eating choices
- 3. Analysis of Survey Monkey data from students who participated

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YEAR 2: 2015- 2016 What do we want to achieve? (TARGETS)	What needs to be done? (TASKS)	When? (TIMEFRAME)	Who? (REMITS)	Desired Outcomes? (SUCCESS CRITERIA)
PARENTS – Further to attendance statistics on Parent/Teacher Meeting 2014; survey parents on experience of Parent/Teacher Meeting	Survey for data written and distributed at Parent/Teacher Meeting 2015/16	All Parent/Teacher Meetings2015/16 Oct, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb	Joanne Parry Elisha Delaney	Qualitative data from parent re their experience at Parent/Teacher Meeting
with target 2% improved attendance. Parents Association – to meet and involve parents in school	Meeting 19/10/15 and schedule Yearly calendar of meetings	Once a month for academic year	Joanne Parry	Active Parents' Association who meet each term per academic year to contribute to school
OTHERS – Further develop School Business Partnership with local business. Teaching staff to	Joanne to link with Athy International Concentrates Frank to meet management of RACE	Sept 2015 June/Aug 2015	Joanne Parry Frank Whelan	Strong community link with local business/RACE Academy and local library. All teachers to participate in site visit to Athy
participate in site visit to Athy Concentrates. Develop strong link	Joanne to meet Liasion Co- Ordinator of Athy Library to plan	Sept 2015	Joanne Parry	Concentrates to be fully briefed on our success in the SBP.

with RACE Academy Athy Library.	events			Calendar of events in Athy library, students to participate in one activity pe term.
AGREED MONITORING PROCEDURES: Count up and assemble qualitative data at the end of each P/T Meeting (Elisha, Brenda, Joanne, Ger, Natalie) Programme of Library Visits and survey data from SB Partnership. Ongoing evaluation of partnership with RACE Academy		AGREED EVALUATION PROCEDURES : Collate all data from Parent/Teacher Survey and write review of recommendations to develop new strategies to promote attendance Evidence = data gathered and review		

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YEAR 3 What do we want to achieve? (TARGETS)		What needs to be done? (TASKS)		When?		Who?	Desired Outcomes?
						(REMITS)	(SUCCESS CRITERIA)
Parents – role out the 'Have You Got Maths Eyes' numeracy initiative. P T Meeting		otos to be taken of local area	We Oc	r 'maths eek', ctober 2016		anne sha	Parents to be invited to complete this quiz both online and in person in the maths class. 5% of parents to participate and contribute to this
recommendations – reduce queue time	to o giv Me tea PT	obtain their child's progress yen time restrictions at PT etings to reduce queue times for echers as identified by parents in Meeting Parent's Survey 15/16		eeting 2016		Silu -	initiative Observation and parental survey to see if queue time is reduced Reduction of queues at Parent Teacher Meetings to a maximum of two parents waiting

				HSCL and SNAs to assist parents to be evenly distributed throughout the building at PT Meetings
Draft guideline for P/T meetings- main issues to be discussed	Ger and Brenda to draft guidelines incorporating behaviour,homework,class participation and progress	September 2016	Ger and Brenda	Assess success using P/T questionnaire after P/T meeting 2016-2017.(In particular was guideline document helpful to parent)
Partnership with Others:				
Continued participation with RACE and Athy International Concentrates SBP	Joanne and Frank to continue to link with Athy International Concentrates and RACE management respectively	September 2016	Frank Joanne	Strong community link with local business/RACE Academy and local library. All teachers to promote knowledge of AIC
Explore links with St. Vincent's Hospital in Athy with LCA students	Re-establish link between ST. Vincent's Hospital and LCA 5 th Year Group re Activities for elderly residents	September 2016	Joanne Shelia Brenda	following teachers' site visit to Athy Concentrates Calendar of events in Athy library, students to participate in one activity per term.
AGREED MONITORING PROCEDURES : To be agreed May 2016 at meeting of Partnership wffith Parents and Others		AGREED EVALUATION PROCEDURES : To be agreed May 2016 at meeting of Partnership wffith Parents and Others		