

# AGREED REPORT – ST KEVIN’S NS BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

September 2022

- The Board of Management would like to welcome all pupils and staff back to school and extend a particular welcome to our new pupils who have joined Junior Infants. A warm welcome also to our newest staff members Mr Jamie Owens, Ms Clare Murray, Ms Michelle O’Connor and Mr Damon Gavin-Munnely. We are looking forward to a happy, successful year ahead.
- The Board of Management has reviewed and ratified the school Child Protection and Anti-Bullying policies for the 2022/2023 school year.
- Parents are reminded of the school’s Child Safeguarding Statement and Risk Assessment which are available on our website and in hard copy from the school office.
- The Board notes that the new school tracksuit, which is being phased in over a two-year period between September 2022 and September 2024 has already had a significant uptake across the school.
- The enrolment process for the 2023/2024 school year will open at 9am on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2022. The enrolment form, policy and annual admission statement will be available on our school website and in hard copy from our school office in October.
- The Board of Management would like to express our gratitude and best wishes to Ms Breda Kinnane as she prepares to retire from St. Kevin’s after many years of service.
- The school will engage with Gaeilge this year as part of the School Self Evaluation process.
- The Chairperson of the Board of Management and Principal will join the Parents’ Association at their October meeting.
- Our Friendship (Anti-Bullying) month will be celebrated again this year in November.
- We are currently moving through the process of building new Autism classes at St Kevin’s. At this point applications for the tender process have now closed.
- Parent Teacher Meetings for pupils in 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> classes are scheduled for 14<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> November 2022. Parent Teacher Meetings for pupils in Infant classes are scheduled for 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> January 2023. Detailed appointments will be issued by the school in advance of these dates.