

**Agreed Report from the meeting of the Board of Management of  
Glanmire Community College held on Monday 8 November 2021 at 4.30pm**

**Board Members:**

Parent Nominees: Mr Alan Mulcahy, Ms. Ger Moloney-Sheehan

Cork ETB Nominees: Ms Linda Skillington (Chairperson), Mr. Tony Kidney, Cllr. Noel McCarthy

Diocesan Nominees: Father Pat Nugent

Minority Nominee: Ms. Adelle Kidney

Teacher Nominees: Mr. John Baldwin, Mr. Tom Pittam

Recording Secretary: Mr Sean McGrath (Deputy Principal)

Secretary: Mr Ronan McCarthy (Principal)

1. The Board offered its condolences to:

Staff member Kathleen O Shea on the death of her mother Mary Geaney during the mid-term break.

2. The Board offered its congratulations to:

Staff members William & Ruth Horgan on the birth of their daughter Doireann

3. The Board was updated on the following items under Teaching & Learning:

- PDST Forbairt Showcase
- Exploring Students' Experiences of Formative Feedback
- October Assessments
- My Brain & Me Study Seminar for 3<sup>rd</sup> Year students

4. The Board was presented with the following information under Finance:

- Record of Orders & Invoices from Monday 20 September to Friday 5 November 2021
- GCC Financial Plan 2021 @ 6 November 2021
- Cost Centre Summary Reports
- Detailed Expenditure Reports

- Charitable Donations Statements
5. The Board was updated on a number of items under 'Risk' including:
    - Our school fire drill held on Thursday 4 November
    - Student health care plans
    - GDPR consent for students over 18
    - Community Garda Talk to TY students on personal safety in October
    - Certificates of Destruction, recycling and turnout report for the electronic material recently collected and processed on our behalf
  6. The Board reviewed the following school policies and circulars:
    - Child Protection Policy including our risk assessment and child safeguarding statement
    - Anti-Bullying Policy
    - Circular 45/2021 Covid Learning and Support Scheme
    - Circular 47/2021 and Guidelines on the use of Reduced School Days
  7. The Board was updated on a number of issues under 'planning' including:
    - GCC Strategic Plan Implementation Review Report
    - Briefing session for Parents of First Years
    - Job Share & Career Break Applications for the 2022/2023 school year
    - 1st Year Enrolment September 2022
    - Droichead Programme
    - Green Flag Awards 2021
  8. The Board was updated on a number of items related to the school building including:
    - School Car Park
    - Official Opening of School Pitch Development
    - Safe Routes to School Programme (SRTS)
    - Use of smart screens in selected classrooms
  9. The Board members were updated on any child protection referrals, bullying reports, suspensions and exclusions since its last meeting.
  10. The Board was presented with the Child Protection Oversight Report (CPOR).
  11. The date for the next meeting of the Board is Monday 10 January 2022.

