



Agreed Report of the Board of Management

The Board of Management is unable to share everything discussed at a Board meeting from a confidentiality point of view but here's the summary what was discussed at our most recent meeting.

Date of Board of Management Meeting	27th May 2025
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Information for parents, staff and the school community following the meeting of the Board of Management.

- The Chairperson of the Board of Management welcomed the Board and thanked them for their presence.
- The minutes of the previous board meetings were approved and signed.
- Correspondence received by the Board was reviewed and discussed.
 - The Board of Management has been given permission by the DTT to apply to the Department of Education for a replacement for the prefab. Ms Healy will complete the paperwork in consultation with the Board.
- The Chairperson presented her report including:
 - An update in relation to electrical works at the school.
 - An update in relation to the school's insurance renewal. The insurance brokers achieved a saving of approximately €4000 on the premium for the school's insurance by going to the market and asking for quotes, as instructed by the Board. The insurance policy is shared with Stratford College due to the shared nature of the site and is divided proportionately between the two schools.
 - Anyone on the Board of Management who hadn't completed the Children First e-learning programme on child protection to complete over the summer.
- The Principal presented her report including:
 - The Child Protection Oversight report and Anti-bullying Report were presented to the BOM.
 - An update on enrolments for September 2025.
 - The deposit has been paid for the upgrade of the sensory room and the company which is making the upgrades is to contact the school with a date for commencement of works.
 - Following a tendering process, the school has received approval to install solar panels, funded by the Department of Education. They will be installed after the completion of the electrical works.
 - The school has been granted 20 hours English as an Additional Language support until the end of October, based on projected enrolments. It will be reviewed at this time based on actual enrolments.



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- Following a review of quotes, the Board agreed to buy a shed for storage, to create additional space for the Special Education Team.
- Following a review of quotes, the Board approved the hiring of a contractor to turn the old toilets in the hall into a storeroom.

- The Treasurer of the BOM presented a financial update on all school budgets.
 - The Minor Works and ICT grants have not yet arrived, and no information has been received from the Department of Education as to the anticipated time of arrival.

Signed: _____

Chairperson

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Date: _____

25th June 2025