

Board of Management of Gorey Educate Together NS, 8th December 2021: report to families and staff

Attendees: Raymond Swan (Secretary), David Bolger, Olive Doherty, David O'Shea, Sarah Anderson (Chairperson).

Apologies: Karen Loughran, Colin Webb, Angie Dooley.

1. **Minutes from previous meeting adopted** (David Bolger, David O'Shea.)

Matters arising:

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Greenhouse: Groundworks have been completed. Installation due later this month.
PTA Treasurer shared PTA accounts with Board of Management Treasurer.
Board is supportive of recommencement of the school's Rainbows Programme early in 2022.

Report to families and staff was agreed. Board Secretary to post on school website.

2. **Treasurer's Report –**

Current account:	€
School books account:	€
Savings account:	€
Credit Card:	(€)
PayPal A/C	€

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Recent Voluntary Contributions Appeal -

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3. **Enrolment**

The school's Annual Admissions Notice 2022 has been published on the school website.
(Enrolment window: 10th January – 31st January.)

Notice also to be publicised in local newspaper.

4. **Child Protection**

The Principal reported to the Board in accordance with sections 9.4 to 9.8 of the Child Protection Procedures for Primary and Post Primary Schools 2017.

5. **Anti-Bullying**

The Principal reported to the Board in accordance with Department of Education and Skills Anti-Bullying Procedures for Primary and Post Primary Schools, 2013.

6. **Code of Behaviour**

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7. **Covid-19 Response Plan**

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8. **ICT**

Wi-Fi upgrade: Diacom are due to install their equipment over the coming fortnight.

Laptops: Principal to seek advice from Larry Carolan regarding purchase of 25-30 laptops, (to include printer access and Microsoft Office access.)

9. **AOB**

End of Term fun for pupils: Board to fund 'pizza party.' 'Movie Day' also to be arranged.

The Board expressed its thanks to all staff for their work over the past term. "The children love coming to school." Board to also fund pizza for staff.

Date of Next Board Meeting:

Wednesday 19th January 2022, 7.30pm.