

Dear Parents/Guardians, Staff and Students,

We hope you are well and enjoying the last few weeks of your summer holidays. As you are aware the Department of Education recently issued its Roadmap for the Reopening of Schools available at [www.gov.ie/backtoschool](http://www.gov.ie/backtoschool). We are currently working through these guidelines to ensure that our school is ready and safe to welcome back all our students and staff. The Department of Education have set out guidelines on what must be in place in schools before the return of staff and students. With this in mind, we hope to have staff and students return on the following dates. As per the recommendations, the return of each year group will be staggered over the first week.

### RETURN TO SCHOOL DATES

DATE (TIMES TO BE CONFIRMED)	GROUP
THURSDAY 27 <sup>TH</sup> AUG 2020	STAFF ONLY – Covid 19 Training
FRIDAY 28 <sup>TH</sup> AUG 2020	STAFF ONLY – School Planning Meeting
MONDAY 31 <sup>ST</sup> AUG 2020	LEAVING CERTS ONLY
TUESDAY 1 <sup>ST</sup> SEPT 2020	3RD YEAR STUDENTS ONLY
WEDNESDAY 2 <sup>ND</sup> SEPT 2020	5TH YEAR & TY STUDENTS ONLY
THURSDAY 3 <sup>RD</sup> SEPT 2020	2 <sup>ND</sup> YEAR STUDENTS ONLY
FRIDAY 4 <sup>TH</sup> SEPT 2020	1 <sup>ST</sup> YEAR STUDENTS ONLY
MONDAY 7 <sup>TH</sup> SEPT 2020*	1 <sup>ST</sup> YEAR STUDENTS ONLY*
TUESDAY 8 <sup>TH</sup> SEPT 2020	ALL STUDENTS IN SCHOOL

\*PLEASE NOTE THAT LEAVING CERTIFICATE 2020 CALCULATED GRADES RESULTS WILL BE ON MONDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER. TO CATER FOR SOCIAL DISTANCING FIRST YEARS ONLY WILL ATTEND SCHOOL ON THAT DAY.

We look forward to seeing you all again soon. Further information for parents and students regarding uniforms, face coverings and other back to school information will be issued on Monday and available on our website and Compass Newsfeed.

Kind regards

Cliona O'Neill & Michelle Casserly

Principal & Deputy Principal