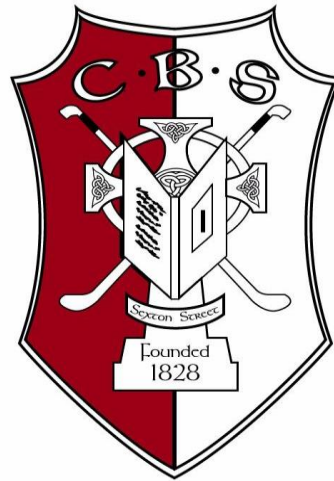


Scoil Íosagáin



Retention 2017-2020

Retention Plan

School retention is fundamental to all that goes on in Scoil Íosagain. This plan must be read in conjunction with the other DEIS Plans as Parental Involvement, Attendance and Partnership with Outside Agencies all have the common shared goal; that children will remain in school and achieve their potential. For this to happen, children must be happy.

Targets

- That all children will be happy in school
- That 100% of children will remain in education
- Children will gain a positive attitude and confidence in their learning through use of many different strategies, frameworks and methodologies in schools.

		Year 1-2017-2018	Year 2-2018-2019	Year 3-2019-2020
	Actions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Profile the children that are most at risk of dropping out of school. • Create a target list. • Involve SCP and HSCL. • Meet and Greet Parents • Improve the physical environment of the school. • Host parent classes to involve them in the school system • Increase the communication to parents of initiatives in the school • Host a variety of activities that the children enjoy. • Set up an afterschool clubs • Set up a breakfast club • Put evidence based programs in place to help the well-being of the target kids. • Liaise with the NEPS psychologist 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Year 1 initiatives • Continue activities from Year 1 where • Establish an ASD Unit • Pilot evidence based wellbeing programs in the school • Hold lunch time activities for the children • Hold Easter and summer family outings • The principal will work closely to support families from ethnic minority backgrounds to create a positive experience of school. • Create individual learner profiles to enhance the children's' learning. • Create school committees to listen to the student voice. • Link children with external sports clubs • Set up social media accounts to celebrate student achievement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •

		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Implement a transition program.• Host classes for Parents and their children on target lists.• Reward positive attendance• Provide academic support for at risk students		