



Agreed Report: 19th January 2022

LCC Head Boys and Girls presented to the Board and discussed issues relating to the Leaving Certificate along with aims for this year. The Board thanks the Student Leadership for their time and efforts and wished them the best of luck in their upcoming Mock Exams.

The Board ratified Anti-Bullying Policy 2022. The policy is now posted on the school website <https://www.luskcommunitycollege.ie/policies.html>

The Board wishes to thank the Anti Bullying Working Group for their work on the policy

The Board wish to sincerely thank the following for their recent donations to LCC:

- Credit Union: €5,000.00 (Sporting Equipment)
- Round Towers GAA: GAA Jerseys
- Grants Uniforms: GAA Uniforms
- Apple Green: PPE Equipment
- Shaw Scientific: PPE Equipment
- WWGS Grant (World-Wide Global Schools Grant)
- Creative Arts Grant

The Board received updated Enrolment details for Incoming First Year 2022 as set out in the table below:

Incoming First Year 2022/23

Total No. of Applicants Received	268
Waiting List 19/1/2022	9
Special Class Places 2022/23	3
Special Class Waiting List 2022/23	4
Incoming First Year Places 2022/23	210

The Board were informed by the Principal, that Incoming First Year Information Night is being prepared and that the date will be confirmed over the coming weeks. The Board agreed that entrance assessments would take place later in the school year than they would have previously been the case, in acknowledgment of the time students have lost in school due to the pandemic. The school hopes to liaise with feeder schools in preparation for entrance assessments.

The Board wishes to thank and acknowledge the work of staff in the promotion of a wide and varied extracurricular programme of activities in the school. The board congratulated all students for their recent sporting involvement and success in all areas, including athletics, Gaa and Soccer. The Board also congratulated the schools U-16 Basketball Team for their participation in the recent Shield Final against Clonturk College.

The Board congratulated LCC Art students who exhibited their work in the Sonairte Art Competition. Congratulations to following on their success


- Poppi Brown
- Annie Morris
- Daisy Lara Leonard
- Valentina Gheorgmiu
- Katie Seaver
- Natasha Deeb

The Board will next meet on Wednesday 16th February 2022.

Appendix 4 Checklist for annual review of the anti-bullying policy and its implementation

The Board of Management (the Board) must undertake an annual review of the school's anti-bullying policy and its implementation. The following checklist must be used for this purpose. The checklist is an aid to conducting this review and is not intended as an exhaustive list. In order to complete the checklist, an examination and review involving both quantitative and qualitative analysis, as appropriate across the various elements of the implementation of the school's anti-bullying policy will be required.

	Yes /No
Has the Board formally adopted an anti-bullying policy that fully complies with the requirements of the <i>Anti-Bullying Procedures for Primary and Post-Primary Schools</i> ?	YES
Has the Board published the policy on the school website and provided a copy to the parents' association?	YES
Has the Board ensured that the policy has been made available to school staff (including new staff)?	YES
Is the Board satisfied that school staff are sufficiently familiar with the policy and procedures to enable them to effectively and consistently apply the policy and procedures in their day to day work?	YES
Has the Board ensured that the policy has been adequately communicated to all pupils?	YES
Has the policy documented the prevention and education strategies that the school applies?	YES
Have all of the prevention and education strategies been implemented?	YES
Has the effectiveness of the prevention and education strategies that have been implemented been examined?	YES
Is the Board satisfied that all teachers are recording and dealing with incidents in accordance with the policy?	YES
Has the Board received and minuted the periodic summary reports of the Principal?	NO
Has the Board discussed how well the school is handling all reports of bullying including those addressed at an early stage and not therefore included in the Principal's periodic report to the Board?	YES
Has the Board received any complaints from parents regarding the school's handling of bullying incidents?	NO
Have any parents withdrawn their child from the school citing dissatisfaction with the school's handling of a bullying situation?	NO
Have any Ombudsman for Children investigations into the school's handling of a bullying case been initiated or completed?	NO
Has the data available from cases reported to the Principal (by the bullying recording template) been analysed to identify any issues, trends or patterns in bullying behaviour?	YES
Has the Board identified any aspects of the school's policy and/or its implementation that require further improvement?	YES
Has the Board put in place an action plan to address any areas for improvement?	YES

Signed 
Chairperson, Board of Management

Date: 19th January 2022

Signed 
Principal

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Notification regarding the Board of Management's annual review of the anti-bullying policy

To: **Ddletb, Parents Association, Student Council**

The Board of Management of Lusk Community College wishes to inform you that:

- The Board of Management's annual review of the school's anti-bullying policy and its implementation was completed at the Board meeting of Lusk Community College, 19/01/2022
- This review was conducted in accordance with the checklist set out in **Appendix 4** of the Department's *Anti-Bullying Procedures for Primary and Post-Primary Schools*.



Signed _____

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Chairperson, Board of Management



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Principal/Secretary