

# Lusk Community College

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# Coláiste Pobail Lusca

Lána Ráth Éanaigh. Bóthar an Rátha Mhóir,  
Lusca, Contae Bhaile Atha Cliath.



19<sup>th</sup> January 2023

Attn: Second Year Parent/Guardians



Dear Parent/Guardian,

Our Second-Year students are currently following the Fuse Anti-Bullying Programme in support of the wellbeing curriculum. This consists of sixteen lessons of which four are compulsory. The four compulsory lessons are:

- Bullying
- Cyberbullying
- Privacy Online
- Bystander Responsibility

Parents may access information on Anti Bullying & Online Safety through the Parent Hub by clicking on the Fuse image above.

This follows the BE-in-Ctrl initiative, from local area Gardai, which was delivered in first year and further supported in SPHE class. The purpose of these initiatives are to educate and create awareness of the risks surrounding bullying, cyberbullying, as well as inappropriate mobile phone/social media use among our young people.

Information for parent/guardians on the Be-In-Ctrl Initiative may be found at

<https://www.webwise.ie/beinctrl/>

This is done in support of the Lusk Community College Wellbeing and Anti-Bullying Programmes.

Concerns remain around the dangers of unsupervised use of the Snapchat App among our younger students. Incidents of cyberbullying, unkind comments, negative behaviours can be at the source of unhappiness, anxiety and upset among students. Issues of bullying have been addressed at student assemblies prior to Christmas. In promoting safe, healthy, and responsible phone usage, please continue to monitor your son/daughters' phone, social media use and chat groups.

**Please note also:** students should not have a mobile phone/personal smart device on the Lusk Community College Campus.

Lusk Community College Anti-Bully Policy may found on the school website or by following this link

[HERE.](#)

Yours Sincerely

Pat Cole