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Dear Parents/Guardians

I wish to express my gratitude to all members of the school community, staff, students and parents, who, by their adherence to all public health guidelines, played their part in keeping the school open this year except for the 6 week period after Christmas. Over the coming two weeks we will continue with classes, have house exams, conduct a modified graduation for 6th years, put on a virtual TY show, run some fun activities etc. Our main focus, however, is on keeping all safe for the Leaving Certificate examination which starts on Wednesday 9th June. To facilitate the 6th year graduation on, classes for all students will finish at 12.00pm on Friday 21st May.

I have outlined the end of year arrangements for each year group below: **1**st years: classes continue until Monday 24th May and exams begin Tuesday 25th May.

2nd years: classes continue until Friday 21st May and exams begin Monday 24th May.

3rd years: classes continue until Friday 21st May and activities have been organised for Monday and Tuesday, 24th and 25th May with a retreat organised for Wednesday 26th May.

Transition years: classes continue until Friday 21st May and exams on Monday 24th May with activities organised for Tuesday and Wednesday, 25th and 26th May.

5th **years**: classes continue until Tuesday 18th May and exams begin Wednesday 19th May.

6th years: classes continue until Friday 21st May with Graduation taking place at 12.30pm

I have posted to the school app some preliminary dates for the school calendar for 2021/22 and will update over the coming weeks. I hope you can all enjoy the summer break and meet with family and with less restrictions.

Deirdre Gog

Principal