



# POBALSCOIL CHORCA DHUIBHNE

1 Bealtaine 2020

*A chara,*

*Beatha agus sláinte chugat.*

*As you know the Junior Cycle exam has been cancelled. With that said your child has a significant body of work completed over the last three years. We wish to acknowledge that work, while at the same not putting them under undue pressure. The students will receive a certificate from the Department of Education and Skills early in the new school year to certify that they have completed the Junior Cycle. We will also be issuing a separate school certificate with the results of the various assessments that the students have completed.*

*The following are the arrangements for the Third Years for the rest of the school year:*

- The Zoom classes / remote learning will be continuing until Tuesday May 19th. The Third Year exams will commence on Thursday May 21st. The timetable is attached.*
- There will be a two hour exam in Maths, Gaeilge and English.*
- There will be a one hour exam in the other subjects.*
- The exams will be run and returned to the teachers online.*
- We will be reporting on any subject that has completed Classroom Based Assessments.*
- We will be reporting on any subject that has some Practical / Project work completed.*
- The Christmas and Mock exam results will be reported on to illustrate the continuous work from the start of the school year.*
- The mark for Religion will be based on the project already completed.*

*The students are aware of the arrangements. Elaine and I had a Zoom meeting with them this morning to share the information with them and to address any concerns.*

*Elaine and I will host a Zoom meeting with all of the Third Year parents on Tuesday May 5th at 1900. If anyone has any questions you are welcome to attend. You have to send me your email address ([em@pcd07.ie](mailto:em@pcd07.ie)) before Tuesday morning to allow me to send you an invite to the meeting.*

*While the exams are being run we will need your support at home to ensure your son/daughter is being supported through the exam while approaching it in an honest manner.*

*If your son/daughter has any issues around their technology or broadband it is of vital importance for you to advise us of same. Email me at [em@pcd07.ie](mailto:em@pcd07.ie) to notify me of any issues.*

*It is very important to keep an eye on the School App for the most up to date information, as this is our most effective way of communicating with you in our current circumstances.*

*If you have any question feel free to contact me at any time.*

*Le mór bhuíochas,*

*Éamonn Mac Muiris  
Príomhoide*

*Bríd Ní Lúing  
Cathaoirleach an Bhoird Bainistíochta*