

# SCOIL PÓL, KILFINANE, CO. LIMERICK

Dear Parents/Guardians,

9<sup>th</sup> July, 2019.

I hope that you are well. Many thanks to you all for your support throughout the last school year. It is with this support that Scoil Pól continues to grow for the benefit of all our students. There have been many highlight this year in our school, including sporting, musical and academic achievements and I look forward to working closely with you next year in developing these talents to even greater heights.

As a Voluntary Secondary School, we, unfortunately have a few costs that we have to pass on to you as parents. We have kept these costs as low as possible and I do want to thank you all for your payments last school year. A summary of costs is as follows:

- **Locker, stationary and photocopying           €40**
- **Voluntary contributions – one student €70, two students €120 and three or more students in a family €140.**

The school office will be open for payment from **Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> August onwards from 9am to 1pm.** In order to avoid big delays for parents on the first week of school it is advisable that if possible payment be made before school starts

## **Payment can be made in the following ways:**

- Directly at the school office cash and cheque only (no card payment facility available)
- Bank details can be emailed on request if you wish to set up a direct debit.

All lockers will have a padlock system in place in September. All students will be required to maintain a securely locked locker at all times to safeguard their belongings. The school will not be held responsible for items that may go missing from unsecured lockers. Padlocks will be available in the school office for your convenience or students may bring their own padlock. A spare key from each student will be held by our caretaker for emergency use.

There are also Junior Cert books that we provided to students in various subjects at a low rental rate that must be returned now to the office. Books that are torn and cannot be reused will have to be paid for in full.

## **Please note our return to school dates**

<b>1st years</b>	<b>Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> &amp; Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> August – Full school days</b>
<b>1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> years</b>	<b>Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> &amp; Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August</b>
<b>All classes including TY &amp; LCA groups</b>	<b>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September</b>

To finish, on behalf of myself and all the staff here in Scoil Pól, I would like to wish you a safe and happy summer holiday.

Yours sincerely,

Michael O'Hara (Principal)