



POBALSCOIL NA BÓINNE
BOYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOL

Trim,
Co. Meath.
C15RK79

Charity Registered No.: 20204530

11/05/2023

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The **Higher Options Conference** organised by the Irish Times and the Institute of Guidance Counsellors is taking place in the RDS Ballsbridge. Sixth year students from Boyne Community School will attend the conference on **Thursday 21st September 2023**.

The Higher Options Conference provides students with the opportunity to attend talks and stands on various careers, apprenticeships, further education and universities in Ireland, the UK, and further afield. This is an important day on the sixth year calendar where students can explore and plan their options for progression after secondary school.

Students will travel to the RDS on a private bus with the schools Guidance Counsellors. The students will come to school as normal at 8.50 on Thursday 21st and go to class. They will be called when we are leaving. Students will be returned to the school before the end of the school day (3:50pm). Students must wear their full school uniform (**otherwise the student will be asked to remain in school**) and are advised to bring a packed lunch and also a rucksack or schoolbag for college/university prospectuses they collect on the day. **Normal school rules apply on day trips**. The cost of the bus and admission to the conference is €20.

As the tickets need to be purchased we require a deposit of €11 by Monday May 22nd. The remainder will be payable in September. Any student who does not pay the deposit by the above date will not be permitted to attend.

Please complete the form below and return it to the **School Office** on or before Monday May 22nd. Payments to be made through easy payments on the school website.

Yours sincerely,
Barbara Eustace and Amanda Harrington
Guidance Counsellors

PERMISSION SLIP

Please detach and return to school office on or before Monday 22nd May 2023

I give my son/daughter permission to attend Higher Options conference on Wednesday 21st and I paid online €11 for cost of admission to the RDS. I will pay the balance in September.

Signature: _____ Parent/Guardian
Name of Student: _____ (Please print)

Jean Ryan
PRINCIPAL

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