

## **DEIS PLAN**

## What do we want to achieve?

<ul> <li>ATTAINMENT</li> <li>1. To improve attitudes towards homework and study</li> <li>2. To improve overall attainment in state exams</li> </ul>	PARTNERSHIP WITH OTHERS  To increase the standing and perception of the school in the wider community of Roscrea and surrounds
ATTENDANCE To reinforce amongst the student cohort the importance of attendance and to reverse the trend of attendance getting worse as students move in to the senior end of the school	PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS  To foster a closer partnership between parents and the school, leading to a more supportive and successful learning environment for students.
To increase student engagement with reading, to create a more visible literacy friendly environment that is inclusive and also a way of measuring the literacy levels of our cohort	RETENTION  The school's objective is to create a more supportive and inclusive environment that minimizes student dropout rates.  Ultimately, the school aims to maintain its above-average retention rates, ensuring all students, especially those from disadvantaged backgrounds or facing challenges, feel supported and empowered to complete their education.
NUMERACY Strong numeracy is crucial for success not just in math class, but across the curriculum. It underpins problem-solving, critical thinking, and even data analysis skills used in science and social studies. Furthermore, numeracy proficiency is essential for everyday life, from managing finances to understanding basic concepts in various professions. By improving numeracy skills and fostering a more positive attitude towards math, we can empower our students to excel both academically and in their future endeavours.	TRANSITIONS  To create a more comprehensive support system for students during key transition points, particularly between primary school and first year, and from Junior Cycle into Senior Cycle. This will involve improved communication with parents through a dedicated information portal and targeted transition programs addressing common challenges like navigating the school environment and making friends. By minimizing stress and confusion, the school aims to foster a smoother adjustment for students and enhance their overall success.

