



Nuacht i leith Polasaí don Oideachas Gaeltachta/ Update on the Gaeltacht Education policy (11)

Nuacht ar polasaí teanga

1. Bhuail an ghrúpa oibre le chéile sé uair idir Deireadh Fómhair 2017 agus anois. D'eisíodh tuairisc ón ngrúpa atá ar fáil ar an suíomh idirlíon. Tá an ghrúpa i mbun plean gníomhach a chuir le chéile faoi láthair atá le cuir isteach ag an Roinn faoi 31ú Eanáir. Cuirfear an plean seo ar fáil do thuismitheoirí a luaithe agus is féidir (caithfear tabhairt i gcuimhne gur ghrúpa deonach atá i gceist agus gach duine ag déanamh a ndícheall, taobh istigh den am atá ar fáil acu).
2. Ní dhéanfaidh na hathraithe atá beartaithe i gcomhthéacs an Polasaí aon difríocht do pháistí atá sa scoil faoi láthair.
3. Bhí an scoile aitheanta mar Scoil sa Ghaeltacht i gcónaí agus bhain an scoil tairbhe as an stádas seo. Bhí brú an sular cuireadh tús leis an bpróiseas seo níos mó ábhair a mhúineadh trí Ghaeilge. Tá seans ann go mbeidh laghdú ar an mbrú ábhair a mhúineadh trí Ghaeilge do pháistí atá ar an scoil faoi láthair de bharr an plean gníomhach atá á fhorbairt

Update for parents on language policy

1. The school language policy working group (which was selected by the school community) has met six times between October 2017 and now. During these meetings, the concerns collected from parents were researched and considered at length by the working group. It has issued a report that is available from the school website since before the Christmas holidays (under News). The working group is now developing an action plan that is due to be submitted to the Department by 31 January. This will be provided to parents for feedback as soon as possible (all members of the working group are volunteering their time and doing their best for the process, within their own time constraints).
2. Please note that changes in response to the Gaeltacht Education Policy DO NOT AFFECT children currently attending Scoil Bhríde.
3. Scoil Bhríde has always been designated as a Scoil sa Ghaeltacht and the school community has received tangible benefits from this. Prior to this process the school was under increasing pressure to teach more subjects through Irish. The proposed action plan for future enrollments could relieve the pressure to teach subjects through Irish to existing enrollments (whose Irish may not be sufficiently strong).