

Junior Certificate School Programme

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Supporting teachers and students within the Junior Certificate School Programme

A chairde,

We hope this email finds you safe and well during these challenging times. We would like to let you know of JCSP support, seminars and resources available to you and your school in 2021:

## School Support:

Can be applied for here: https://pdst.ie/schoolsupport

Support available in these areas: <a href="http://www.jcsp.ie/resources/c/10/529/PDST%20JCSP%20School%20Support.pdf">http://www.jcsp.ie/resources/c/10/529/PDST%20JCSP%20School%20Support.pdf</a>

#### Upcoming Seminars:

Details of upcoming online day and evening seminars which include:

2021 DEIS Action Planning Seminar - Spring 2021 JCSP New Co-ordinators Seminar - Spring 2021 JCSP Existing Co-ordinators Seminar - Spring 2021 JCSP Formative Assessment Seminar - Spring

To read more about these seminars and to reserve a place, please follow the link: <a href="https://pdst.ie/onlinebooking?combine=jcsp&subject=All&ec\_name=All&sector=All">https://pdst.ie/onlinebooking?combine=jcsp&subject=All&ec\_name=All&sector=All</a>

## Final Profiling 2021:

The date for receipt of final profiles is the 21st of April next. We will send a separate email with the arrangements for 2021 online Final Profiling.

#### Comprehensive Listing of JCSP statements per subject per year group:

Available on the homepage of <u>www.jcsp.ie</u> and here for ease of access:

http://www.jcsp.ie/resources/c/10/558/STATEMENTS%20%40%202021%2001%2018.xlsx%20-%202021%2001%2018.pdf

## Student Master Record Card:

Editable PDF

http://www.jcsp.ie/resources/c/10/556/Master%20Student%20Record%20Card%202020-2021 Editable FINAL.pdf

Word version available on the homepage of <u>www.jcsp.ie</u> please download and save either to your device/school platform.

We are working on a spreadsheet version that you will be able to upload to your school platform and share with teachers.

# JCSP competition:

We are pleased to announce the latest JCSP Competition - Write your own play details of which are here: <u>http://www.jcsp.ie/resources/c/10/555/Write%20a%20Play%20Competition.pdf</u>

# Make a Book:

We wish to confirm that Make a Book will this year be held online and is scheduled for after Easter. To register your school's interest, please complete the registration form: <u>https://forms.gle/WFkdHR81yTCsQ4AUA</u>

We envisage that regional events will be held with a small number of schools coming together for an online zoom event lasting approximately 1 hour 30 mins. The number of schools grouped together will depend on team capacity and engagement by schools. Schools are encouraged to present the work to the group on the day, very similar to previous events we suggest a window of 5 to 7 mins per school to display student work. This can be done through audio, video or a physical presentation on zoom. The number of students chosen to present is at the discretion of the school. A digital certificate will be available for all students who participate. Suggestions for student entries: <a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/lh">https://docs.google.com/document/d/lh</a> 7ErmaSR4QgXeLG5P-dIqELtF8sfT30hO7SLI-VHVA/edit

All schools that participate will be sent a book token.

# Editable JCSP resources:

Cross curricular (English & Irish): <u>http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/1327</u> Includes JCSP notepads (KWHL, Visual Verbal, Main Idea, Keywords to Know etc), parents' brochures (4 languages), Student certificates, Student postcards.

English workbooks: <u>http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/1390</u>

French workbook: <a href="http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/3571">http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/3571</a>

Geography keywords vocabulary book (English & Irish): <u>http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/1393</u>

History workbook: <a href="http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/1394">http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/1394</a>

\**NEW*\* Home Economics keywords vocabulary book (English & Irish): <u>http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/1395</u>

Maths workbooks: <a href="http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/1400">http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/1400</a>

Material Technology Metalwork keywords vocabulary book (English & Irish): <u>http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/1398</u>

Material Technology Woodwork workbook: <u>http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/1399</u>

SPHE workbook: <a href="http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/1405">http://www.jcsp.ie/resource\_category/view/1405</a>

# 2020/1 Initiative Evaluation Form:

Available on the homepage of <u>www.jcsp.ie</u> Google form link <u>https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdbsryp7rTd8DnPUfQHzPpHEFqzXU9brcWW-85YV9Z2KiTz3A/viewform</u> Preview of questions asked: <u>http://www.jcsp.ie/resources/c/10/554/INFO%20EVAL%20FORM%281%29.txt</u>

## **Resources from Seminars:**

Padlet wall links from recent JCSP Seminars JCSP New Principals, Deputies, Coordinators and Teachers - <u>https://padlet.com/lorrainecounihan/JCSP</u> JCSP Existing Coordinators - <u>https://padlet.com/lorrainecounihan/JCSP2</u>

## New Coordinators, Principals and Librarians:

Please ensure to register with the JCSP office! To comply with General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) you are requested to register as a user for JCSP services. If you are a JCSP Coordinator, Principal or JCSP Librarian in a school running the JCSP, please complete this form <a href="https://forms.gle/eDBda8Qu4MxiUDqk8">https://forms.gle/eDBda8Qu4MxiUDqk8</a> (Link also available on the homepage of <a href="https://www.jcsp.ie">www.jcsp.ie</a>)

A copy of this email is available on the homepage of www.jcsp.ie

Kind regards

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JCSP & DEIS Team Leader PDST

JCSP Team: Lorraine Counihan, Advisor, Louise Kenny, Advisor, Siobhan Daly, Advisor, Kathleen Moran, Senior Librarian. JCSP Office: Elaine Flynn, Dorota Ruszczak and Jill Byrne

This email has been sent to Principals, JCSP Coordinators and JCSP Librarians.

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