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2023 Annual Report on the School Self-Evaluation Report and Improvement Plan for 2022-2025

The following actions have taken place in the last twelve month period:

- Further evaluation of progress within the school in the area of formative feedback and formative assessment strategies was carried out.
- A whole school approach has been adopted in encouraging students to use formative feedback to set themselves goals.
- Teachers are involving students more in the creation of success criteria.
- Reflective practice strategies have become a more integral part of teaching and learning.
- An investigation of the promotion and review of wellbeing was initiated - stakeholders were surveyed and feedback used to set targets for improvement.
- Feedback on assessment strategies within our school was gathered from stakeholders.

Targets for the next academic year

- To carry out a review of assessment practices in our school community.
- To consider the wellbeing of staff and students in relation to assessment practices and policy.
- To maintain current high standards and expectations of assessment while carrying out the review.
- To improve and increase awareness of the importance of wellbeing in developing and creating a positive school 'Culture and Environment'.
- To further develop the role and understanding of all members of staff, school leaders and management in supporting learning for and learning about wellbeing.
- To promote the language and indicators of wellbeing in the school community.

What you can do to help

- Continue to support your son in his learning.
- Familiarise yourself with the indicators and language of wellbeing in education, as set out in your son's homework diary.
- Discuss the wellbeing indicators with your son in relation to his learning and help him understand the importance of being an "active, responsible, connected, resilient, respected and aware" learner.