

## LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS SUMMARY 2010-2011

Having reviewed the Leaving Certificate Results, I am delighted to say that our students performed exceptionally well and there were some excellent results across the board. Well done to everybody who was involved in the class of 2010-2011.

In no particular order, it was noted that our **Applied Maths** students who studied the course as an extra subject achieved fantastic results with 50% of the class obtaining an A grade. Our **Home Economics** department had 85% of pupils taking Home Economics at higher level achieving a grade C or higher compared to 78% of the national average. In relation to our **Physics** results, the number of As was 18.3% greater than the national average with the results being skewed towards B and A levels for the subject. In **Maths**, there were more As in CBC when compared to the national average at both honours and ordinary level. In the **Business** subjects, Business had double the number of As at national level while **Economics** had 59% of the students achieving As and Bs with 20% of students receiving an A1 in **Accounting**. In relation to **English**, 88% of students took the higher level paper for the Leaving Cert. the A rate (15%) is 1½ times the national average. In **Latin**, 100% of students received an A, **Music** achieved this also. In **Art**, 90% of students sat the higher level paper with 70% achieving an honours grade. In **Geography** there was a 100% pass rate, 94% of those who took the higher level Geography obtained an honours grade. Of those who sat **History**, 100% of students sat higher level with 100% success in honours, 10% achieved an A grade. In **French** the number of A1s was twice the national average while the rest of the results scored were at the upper end of the grades. In **Design and Communication Graphics**, 100% of students did honours level with 80% achieving an A or B grade. In **Irish**, 38% of our honours students achieved an A in their exams. In **Chemistry**, 75% of students achieved an A grade at honours level. German had 73% of students taking the higher level paper with 79% achieving an honours grade with a third of the ordinary level students achieving an A1 grade.

I wish to congratulate the staff and students on these great results.

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