National Learning Network Patronage

The Mission of NLN is to create a “World of Equal Opportunity through Learning” by actively influencing the creation of a more inclusive society. The ethos is of personal empowerment and social responsibility, applying equally to staff and pupils, achieved in a stimulating and engaging environment in line with our person-centered approach education. The emphasis will be on person centered teaching/learning methodologies, recognising the strengths of each individual and encouraging him / her to strive for excellence.

NLN schools will:-

- **Welcome diversity and be multi-denominational:**

- **Deliver the curriculum in English:** Ireland has a diverse population with a widening range of first languages; English as the language of instruction will benefit the majority.

- **Be co-educational:** NLN sees co-education as an important basis for developing essential social skills, good citizenship and gender equality.

- **Provide a range of classes from junior infants to sixth class:** NLN will place a focus on transition at all levels of school for each pupil.

- **Foster Differentiated Learning:** In NLN all pupils will discover their unique learning styles and be facilitated to assess their learning strengths and weaknesses. They will measure progress against previous work and not against the work of others.

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