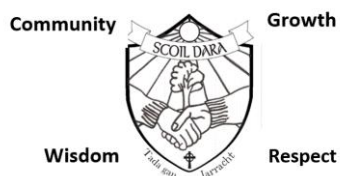


## SCOIL DARA



### Introduction of Tutor time

From the beginning of this academic year 2021-2022 Scoil Dara will be introducing tutor time which will be timetabled from 9.00am - 9.12am as part of the school day. A Class Tutor is assigned to each base class. Tutor time each morning affords the tutor and year head an essential opportunity to link in with each student under their care and to ensure that all students are welcomed and prepared for the school day ahead. By attending and engaging with Tutor time each morning our students will be more prepared, engaged and motivated for the day ahead.

The wellbeing of students is at the core of our community focus in Scoil Dara. The role of tutor is central to the pastoral care structure that supports our students as they progress academically, personally, and socially.

The school day begins at 9.00am. Daily attendance is recorded at this time and absences are communicated via text message to parents/Guardians. Non-attendance in school requires a note of explanation to be given to the tutor on the morning of return.

Any students arriving to school after 9.00am will need to sign in at reception and will need to attend morning detention.

Scoil Dara see's the introduction of tutor time as an important move supporting the wellbeing of our students and the promotion of positive life skills. We ask parents to please support this change and to ensure that all students are on time for school.