



Monday 4th. May 2020.

Dear 3rd. Year Parent/Guardian,

I hope that you and your family are safe and well in these very difficult times.

The Minister for Education and Skills announced last week that the Junior Cycle 2020 final examinations will not take place. Instead, students will be provided with a **State Certificate** during the new school year which confirms that they have completed the Junior Cycle program.

In addition, students will receive a **School Report** which sets out the learning achievements of students in Junior Cycle 2020. Individual schools will decide on the format for this based on their own context. All remaining assessment in Mount Sion C.B.S for your son will be online and will be completed before May 29 and the school report will be posted home during the month of June.

Taking into account the unprecedented situation in which 3rd Year students are having to complete their academic year and the disruption which they have experienced in their learning, it has been agreed that the subject grades which will appear on the 3rd year Summer Report in Mount Sion C.B.S will be based on the following criteria;

Percentage of Total	Source
30%	2 nd Year Summer Result
30%	Pre exam result
30%	Other elements (project, oral, practical, C.B.A's, homework, classroom participation etc.)
10%	Online engagement since Mar 12 2020 including final assessment All students must complete the final online assessment

I trust that this provides clarity and focus for our students and for you.

As you know T.Y is a compulsory programme for all students in Mount Sion C.B.S. Under normal circumstance, we would have an information evening for parents of students going into Transition Year. Unfortunately due to the ongoing covid 19 virus situation, we will not be in a position to do this. We will instead be making all of this information available to you in an online letter. I will be in contact with you in relation to this over the next few days.

I would like to take this opportunity to commend the enormous work done by the teaching staff of Mount

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Sion C.B.S Secondary School in rising to this significant challenge and I would like to express my deep appreciation and gratitude to you the parents and guardians for the support that you have provided to your sons and to the school in this extremely difficult situation.

Kind regards,

Edward Kennedy.

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