

A chairde

Athbhliain faoi mhaise ó fhoireann IPPN. Tá súil againn go raibh saoire maith agat agus gur bhain tú tairbhe agus taitneamh as.

We hope that 2017 will be a successful year for you and your school community. To help you prioritise your work for the month ahead, please see the Planning Prompts below. As ever they come with a health warning! This is not a "To Do List". Every school is different and some of the areas may not be applicable to your needs. As you set goals for your school please remember to prioritise your own self-care. Emotional wellbeing for all members of the school community will continue to be a focus of attention for IPPN in the year ahead. Set aside time to ensure a work-life balance for yourself. Time for reflection will be time well spent. In this regard Conference 2017 is the ideal opportunity to network with fellow principals and engage with valuable professional and personal development. Details of Conference 2017 and registration may be found on the IPPN website.

An additional seminar especially for newly appointed principals will take place on Thursday 26th January at 9am. A concurrent seminar for principals appointed between 2 and 5 years is also available. Registration details can be found on the website.

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PLANNING

- Outline the Planning Time format for this term.
- Decide with staff what topics/areas need to be addressed and prioritise the actions to be taken as a staff.
- Arrange for the purchase of Standardised Test papers and manuals.
- What arrangements are currently in place for the administration of Standardised Tests? Do these arrangements need to be reviewed?
- Decide dates/times for ISM/Staff Meetings for this term.