

22<sup>nd</sup> September 2023

## Re: 2023/24 JCSP Initiatives

## **Dear Coordinator**

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The JCSP initiative application process is now open and schools are invited to submit initiative proposals through the JCSP website under the initiative round 02/23.

The initiative booklet is available <u>here</u> and on the homepage of <u>www.jcsp.ie.</u> A listing of available JCSP resources and details of suppliers used by other JCSP schools is also available <u>here</u>.

The maximum number of initiative proposals that can be submitted is 6 + Christmas Celebration. Each initiative carries its own funding. A fully completed initiative proposal in respect of every initiative (including Christmas Celebration) should be submitted. Please focus on and improve targets from the school's School Self Evaluation (SSE) Plan or DEIS Plan in the proposal. Incomplete proposal forms will not be considered. A copy of the questions on the proposal form is available here.

Approved initiatives from previous rounds should be evaluated by the 29th of September. Initiatives must be completed, evaluated and all funds spent in order to qualify for 2023/24 Initiative funding. Where this is not possible, please email <a href="mailto:icspresources@oide.ie">icspresources@oide.ie</a> with details of the initiatives that you wish carry over to the current round.

Funds are granted subject to overall budget availability and may be amended. Following adjudication, schools will receive notification of initiatives approved and funds granted. Completed initiatives should be evaluated by the 2<sup>nd</sup> of May 2024.

We wish schools every success in implementing initiatives in the new school year.

## Yours sincerely

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