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Dear Parent/Guardian,

We are pleased to inform you that our Book Rental Scheme will be available again this year for all students. The scheme is run by the Book Rental Coordinator on behalf of the Principal and Board of Management. The main aim of this scheme is and will always be to reduce the cost of purchasing textbooks and e-books for parents and students in Colaiste na Mi.

The scheme provides textbooks and e-books for each subject at a significantly reduced rate. Typically, under the scheme, a Junior Cycle student would save around €250 on average over three years, and Leaving Certificate students save over €120 on average, compared to purchasing textbooks and e-books independently.

The cost for book rental for each year group are as follows:

Book Rental fee for Parents	Average cost of textbooks and e-books
1 st year: €125 (inclusive of €50 deposit)	Junior Cycle = €450
2 nd year: €75	
3 rd year €0	
4 th year €0	
5 th year: €160	Senior Cycle = €280
6 th year €0	

The Book Rental Fee is due for payment by **Friday, 31st July** and can be paid in instalments via the Way2Pay facility. This is aimed at spreading costs across the next few months to avoid the big ‘September Spend’.

Please note that Copies, Notebooks, some Workbooks etc. are not included in The Book Rental Scheme and must be purchased as normal.

Books for 2020-21 will be distributed in August. (You will be notified by Text). Payment must be paid before this or books will not be allocated. Your payment of the fee implies you have read and agreed to the terms and conditions of the Draft Book Rental Policy, which is on our website.