

# EDMUND RICE SCHOOLS TRUST

## EVENTS CALENDAR 2025/2026



**P = Events for Primary only, S = Events for Secondary only and P&S = Events for both Primary & Secondary**

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION & TIME
27 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2025	Meeting of newly-appointed Principals (P&S)	Zoom, 4pm
28 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Meeting of newly-appointed Deputy Principals (P&S)	Zoom, 4pm
3 <sup>rd</sup> Sept	Meeting 1 of Link Teachers (P&S)	Zoom, 2pm
4 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Meeting of teachers new to the Edmund Rice Network (P&S)	Zoom, 4pm
8 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Meeting of teachers new to the Edmund Rice Network (P&S)	Zoom, 4pm
9 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Meeting 1 of the Network of AEN Teachers (P&S)	Zoom, 9am
10 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Meeting 1 of the Network of Guidance Counsellors (S)	Zoom, 2pm
24 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Meeting of newly-appointed Principals (P&S)	Kildare, 7pm
25 <sup>th</sup> & 26 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Principals' Conference (P&S)	Kildare
7 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Introduction to School Leadership – Night 1 (P&S)	Zoom, 7pm
8 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Meeting of members of Student Councils (P&S)	Zoom, 10am
9 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Meeting 2 of Link Teachers (P&S)	Zoom, 12pm
13 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Leading the Edmund Rice School Night 1 (P&S)	Zoom, 7pm
14 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Introduction to School Leadership – Night 2 (P&S)	Zoom, 7pm
15 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Meeting of RE Coordinators (S)	Zoom, 10am
16 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Comhordaitheoirí na Gaeilge (S)	Zoom, 10am
21 <sup>st</sup> Oct	Cruinniú P & PT Gaelscoileanna & Gaelcholáistí (P&S)	Zoom, 10am
22 <sup>nd</sup> Oct	Closing date for submissions to eSíol – use <a href="mailto:siol@erst.ie">siol@erst.ie</a>	4pm
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> Oct to Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> Oct	OCTOBER MID-TERM BREAK	
3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	Leading the Edmund Rice School Night 2 (P&S)	Zoom, 7pm
4 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Introduction to School Leadership – Night 3 (P&S)	Zoom, 7pm
8 <sup>th</sup> Nov	JMB Training for new BOMs (S)	Various
10 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Leading the Edmund Rice School Night 3 (P&S)	Zoom, 7pm
11 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Introduction to School Leadership – Night 4 (P&S)	Zoom, 7pm
15 <sup>th</sup> Nov	JMB Training for new BOMs (S)	Various
18 <sup>th</sup> Nov	P&DP Network Meeting Group 1 (S)	Zoom, 9.30am
17 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Leading the Edmund Rice School Night 4 (P&S)	Zoom, 7pm
18 <sup>th</sup> Nov	P&DP Network Meeting Group 2 (S)	Zoom, 2pm

20 <sup>th</sup> Nov	P&DP Network Meeting Group 5(S)	Zoom, 9.30am
20 <sup>th</sup> Nov	P&DP Network Meeting Group 6 (S)	Zoom, 2pm
22 <sup>nd</sup> Nov	JMB Training for new BOMs (S)	Various
24 <sup>th</sup> Nov	P&DP Network Meeting Group 3 (S)	Zoom, 9.30am
24 <sup>th</sup> Nov	P&DP Network Meeting Group 4 (S)	Zoom, 2pm
24 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Leading the Edmund Rice School Night 5 (P&S)	Zoom, 7pm
25 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Network Meeting of Primary Principals (P)	Zoom, 12 noon
27 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Meeting 3 of Link Teachers (P&S)	Zoom, 2pm
2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	Meeting of Chairpersons of Primary BOMs (P)	Zoom, 7pm
3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec	Meeting 2 of the Network of AEN Teachers (P&S)	Zoom, 9am
4 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Meeting 2 of the Network of Guidance Counsellors (S)	Zoom, 12pm
10 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Meeting of members of Student Councils (P&S)	Zoom, 2pm
10 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Closing date for submission to eSíol – use <a href="mailto:siol@erst.ie">siol@erst.ie</a>	4pm
15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Meeting of Chairpersons of Secondary BOMs (S)	Zoom, 7pm
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> Dec to Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> Jan	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS	
12 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Meeting of Parent Councils (P&S)	Zoom, 7pm
27 <sup>th</sup> Jan	RE Teachers' Conference (S)	Portlaoise
9 <sup>th</sup> Feb	P&DP Network Meeting Group 6 (S)	Drimnagh Castle
10 <sup>th</sup> Feb	P&DP Network Meeting Group 5(S)	The Abbey
10 <sup>th</sup> Feb	P&DP Network Meeting Group 4 (S)	CER Cork
11 <sup>th</sup> Feb	P&DP Network Meeting Group 3 (S)	St Aidan's
12 <sup>th</sup> Feb	P&DP Network Meeting Group 2(S)	New Ross
12 <sup>th</sup> Feb	P&DP Network Meeting Group 1 (S)	Portlaoise
13 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Closing date for submissions to eSíol – use <a href="mailto:siol@erst.ie">siol@erst.ie</a>	4pm
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> Feb to Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> Feb	FEBRUARY MID-TERM BREAK	
24 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Meeting 4 of Link Teachers (P&S)	Zoom, 2pm
Feb 26 <sup>th</sup> & 27 <sup>th</sup>	Deputy Principals' Conference (P&S)	Portlaoise
5 <sup>th</sup> March	Primary Principals' Seminar	Portlaoise
9 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Student Council Conference – Group 1	Woodbrook, Bray
12 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Student Council Conference – Group 2	St Joseph's Fairview
19 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Student Council Conference – Group 3	North Mon
24 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Student Council Conference – Group 4	Sexton St
26 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Meeting 3 of the Network of AEN Teachers (P&S)	Portlaoise
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> Mar to Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> April	EASTER HOLIDAYS	
5 <sup>th</sup> May	Celebration of Blessed Edmund Rice Feast Day	Worldwide
15 <sup>th</sup> May	Closing date for submissions to eSíol – use <a href="mailto:siol@erst.ie">siol@erst.ie</a>	4pm

## Secondary Principal & Deputies Network Groups 2025/2026

<b>Network Group</b>	<b>Schools</b>
<b>Group 1</b>	<b>Carlow</b> – Fiona & Sean, <b>Portlaoise</b> – Maura, Brian & Cyril, <b>Naas</b> – Ben, Leo, Rory & Anne Marie, <b>Kilkenny</b> – Tom, Derarca & Tomás, <b>Callan</b> – Anthony & Fiona, <b>Thurles</b> – Tiernan & Oliver, <b>Mullingar</b> – Keith, Niall & Micheál, <b>Roscommon</b> – Kevin & Frances, <b>Westport</b> – Michael & Sinéad
<b>Group 2</b>	<b>Wexford</b> – Mick, John H & John N, <b>Enniscorthy</b> – Brendan, Ger & Anne Marie, <b>New Ross</b> – Sarah & Barry, <b>Arklow</b> – Peter & Michelle, <b>Mount Sion</b> – Edward & Colette, <b>Waterpark</b> – Joe & Michael, <b>Tramore</b> – Pádraig, Aoife, Brendan & Sharon, <b>Dungarvan</b> – Agnes & Brenda, <b>Clonmel</b> – Karen, Amy & Olivia, <b>Carrick on Suir</b> – Majella & Linda
<b>Group 3</b>	<b>St Declan's</b> – Eibhlin & Martin, <b>O'Connell</b> – Liam & Mary, <b>St Kevin's</b> – Eoghan & Suzanne, <b>St Joseph's</b> – Alex & Ciara, <b>St Vincent's</b> – Máire & Neil, <b>St David's</b> – Mick & Marian, <b>Coláiste Mhuire</b> – TBC & Áine, <b>Coláiste Phádraig</b> – Tom, Tony & Catherine (Kevin), <b>St Paul's</b> – Pat & Valerie, <b>Drogheda</b> – Paul, Patrick, Jennifer & Leeanne, <b>Dundalk</b> – Catherine & Paula, <b>Ardscoil Rís</b> – John & Ciaran, <b>St Aidan's</b> – Liam, Oliver & Ann Marie, <b>ERC</b> – Brendan, Stacey & Alan, <b>St Fintan's</b> – Kathy, Sophie & Enda, <b>Coláiste Choilm</b> – Cathal & Karl
<b>Group 4</b>	<b>Mitchelstown</b> – Mary & Peter, <b>Midleton</b> – Niall, Tracey, Tom, Jer, <b>CBC</b> – David, Seamus, Donal & Anne, <b>CER</b> – Aaron, Edel & Jamie, <b>North Monastery</b> – Jim & Jason, <b>Gaelcholáiste Mhuire</b> – Dónal, Marc (Tadhg Óg) & Sarote, <b>Carrigaline</b> – Adele & Peter
<b>Group 5</b>	<b>Ardscoil Rís</b> – Tom, Nicola & Sheena, <b>Coláiste Mhicíl</b> – Denis & Robert, <b>Ennis</b> – Louis, Claire & Patrick, <b>The Abbey</b> – David & Kieran, <b>Charleville</b> – Sean & Kevin, <b>Doneraile</b> – Bríd & Damien, <b>Nenagh</b> – Karen, Dermot & Michelle, <b>Tralee</b> – Robert, Helen & Ger
<b>Group 6</b>	<b>CBC</b> – Gerry & Fiona, <b>Oatlands</b> – Caroline & Bob, <b>James' St</b> – Pauline & Joanne, <b>Westland Row</b> – Kate & Caitriona, <b>Coláiste Éanna</b> – Sean & Glen, <b>Drimnagh Castle</b> – Conor & John, <b>Woodbrook</b> – Henry & Gareth & Suzanne, <b>Clonkeen</b> – Edward & Stephen, <b>Coláiste Eoin</b> – Pádraig & TBC, <b>Coláiste Íosagáin</b> – Treasa & Aoibhean, <b>Synge St</b> – Clare, Lesley & Medb

Principals in primary schools are met as a single group.

## NETWORK GROUP – PRIMARY 2025/2026

**Dingle** -Pádraig & Clodagh, **Synge St. Primary**- Victoria & TBC, **Carrick-on-Suir**- Denis & Geraldine, **Doon**- Joanne & Elizabeth, **Drimnagh Castle P**- Bennet & Laura, **CBC Prep School**-Sharon & Steven, **Bunscoil Ennis**- Dara & Brian, **Nenagh**- William & Colette, **Mount Sion Primary**- Catherine & Tracey, **Charleville**-Michael & Sinead, **Francis St**-Conor and Avril, **Gaecholáiste Mhuire P.Sq**-Pól & Sinead, **Scoil Mhuire Fatima**- Carl (Damien) & Colin, **O'Connell Primary**- Ciara (Acting) & Padriac, **Scoil Ailbhe** – Bríd & Deirdre, **Scoil Chiaráin**- Ciara & Lily, **Scoil Cholmcille**- Kieran & Noirín, **Scoil Iognáid de Rís**- Niall & Thomas, **Bunscoil McCauley Rice**, **Kilkenny**- John & Damien, **Scoil Íosagáin**, **Crumlin**- Aoife & Pádraig, **Scoil Íosagáin**, **Sexton St**-Denis & Leah, **Ennistymon NS** – Noreen & Kieran, **Oatlands Primary**- Siobhan & James, **Scoil Mhuire**, **Marino**- Mary & Ciara, **Scoil Mhuire na mBráithre**, **Tralee**- Brendan & Maggie, **Wexford Primary** – Vicky & Mairead, **Scoil Treasa Naofa** – Ann Marie & Lorraine, **St. Joseph's**, **Drogheda**- Sarah & Robert, **St. Joseph's**, **Fairview** – Tiernan & Donna, **Naomh Lorcaín O Tuathail** – Mark & Shane, **Gaelscoil Sairseal** – Áine & Riona, **St. Paul's Primary** – Ruth & Aoife, **St. Vincent's Primary** – Danny & Siobhan