



FÉILTE 2015

Draft programme

Saturday, 3 October

RDS, Dublin



Sharing Teaching – Connecting Learning

Morning

Registration

Attendees welcome to visit teachers' showcases

Showing of World Teachers' Day video messages

Welcome by Teaching Council Chairman, Micheál Ó Gríofa

Performance by National Children's Choir

Introduction from Teaching Council Director,
Tomás Ó Ruairc

Keynote address by Mark Pollock

Afternoon

Teach Meet

Research Meet

Panel discussions chaired by Keelin Shanley:

1. Have we gone too far in our quest to make our children technically literate?
2. Debate on parental involvement
3. Well-being

Keynote address by Maureen Gaffney

Close by Teaching Council Director, Tomás Ó Ruairc

Performance by CÓRus

Workshops

Next Step Transfer Programme

Preparing primary school pupils for the transfer to post-primary education.

Gaelgory

Helping students to embrace the Irish language through the use of an Irish speaking dinosaur, T-Rex Ó Saurus.

Edison – Entrepreneurial Education

Equipping teachers with the skills to model entrepreneurship in the classroom.

Curriculum Innovation within Special Schools

Developing short courses for special schools.

School of Life Skills

Preparing young people for their journey through life, and for choosing a career before applying for Third Level.

Zoom Ahead

Encouraging greater parental inclusion in their children's education by working in partnership with parents to develop children's literacy and numeracy skills.

Chill Out Ireland

Educating children and young people to understand their own mental health, and give them life skills which reduce stress, increase confidence and promote well-being.

Further Education Highlights

Showing the results of innovative teaching and learning in further education.

Living Classroom

Using the school grounds to bring teaching and learning outdoors.

Droichead

Conducting a formal welcome to the newly qualified teachers in your school.

Exploring Teacher/Artist Partnership (Arts in Education Charter)

Learning how to work collaboratively with artists to enhance classroom practice.



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