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Dear Parent/Guardian,

6<sup>th</sup> Year Link Modules students are in the process of finalising their portfolios worth 60% of their Leaving Certificate grade in this subject. **The deadline for completing the portfolio is the 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2022.**

**Please note that the Leaving Certificate recorded interviews will take place on the 31<sup>st</sup> January 2022.** The running order for the interviews is available for students on Teams (posted 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022). If students have any questions relating to the interviews, they can contact Ms. Cummins on Teams or call into her in Room 11.

See the table below for the current changes to the paper for 2022 ONLY:

Exam: Portfolio (60%) and the Written Paper (40%)		
<b>PORTFOLIO</b>		<b>170 MARKS</b>
<b>CORE ITEMS</b>		<b>Notes/Changes:</b>
CV	40 Marks	Compulsory Item
Career Investigation	65 Marks	Submit any two of these three optional items. You can submit 3 and will be awarded marks for the best two.
Summary Report	65 Marks	
Enterprise/Action plan	65 Marks	
<b>OPTIONAL ITEMS</b>		<b>70 MARKS</b>
The Diary of Work Experience	70 Marks	Submit one of the four optional items for assessment. You can submit 2 and marks will be awarded for the highest scoring one.
Recorded Interview	70 Marks	
Enterprise Report	70 Marks	
My Own Place	70 Marks	
<b>WRITTEN EXAMINATION PAPER</b>		<b>160 MARKS</b>
Section A: Audio Visual	30 Marks	No Change: all questions to be answered
Section B: Case Study	30 Marks	No Change: all questions to be answered. Will be issued to schools six-school weeks prior to the examination.
Section C: General Questions	100 Marks	Increase the number of questions. Answer 4 questions from 7.

**I strongly advise students to complete all elements of their portfolio as they will be marked on their best in each category.** Please discuss the content that they are submitting for correction with them.

Yours sincerely

Michelle Jefford  
Principal