



# ABBHEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## School Self-Evaluation Update

February 2024

### What is School Self-Evaluation (SSE)?

School Self-Evaluation (SSE) is the name given to the process to help improve our school. All members of our school community work together to critically reflect on current provision and affirm good practice. It allows us to collaboratively identify areas that could be improved to benefit student learning experiences and outcomes.

### SSE FOCUS AREA – WELLBEING / ETHOS

#### Wellbeing / Ethos SSE Targets

- Promote respect amongst our school community whereby all members engage in positive relationships with each other.
- Promote the meaning and role of Ethos in our school community focusing on the core value of respect.

#### How Abbey Community College will continue to promote positive respectful relationships amongst our school community this term

- Students are participating in an **Ethos Project - Mainistreacha an Choláiste**, centred around our sense of belonging and respect for our school
- A group of staff are undertaking action research in **Restorative Practice**, continuing our commitment to the culture of respect
- Our school have registered and begun the process to achieve **AsIAm Autism Friendly School** status
- Whole-school wellbeing promotion and initiatives are ongoing



### SSE FOCUS AREA – LEARNING AND TEACHING

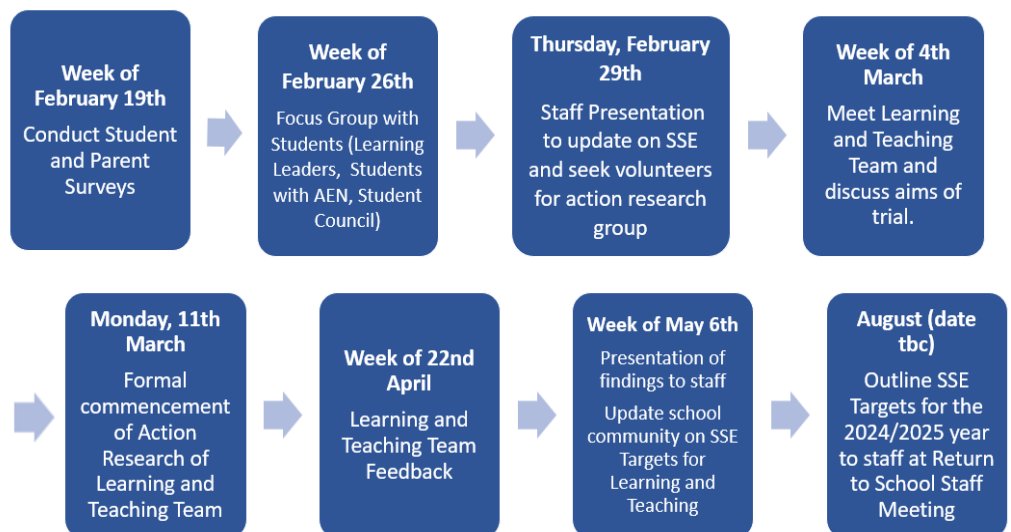
Identifying our new Learning and Teaching focus has been informed by the following so far this year:

- Feedback from Subject Departments Meetings
- Consultations between our SSE Co-ordinator and SMT
- Review of "Looking at Our School 2022: A Quality Framework for Post-Primary Schools"
- Survey of Teaching Staff

The adjacent timeline outlines the next steps for 2023/ 2024.



#### Timeline for Identifying Focus and Gathering Evidence



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