

How to refer to the Quarryvale/ Balgaddy SCP?

The SCP is a targeted support for those children and young people most at risk of educational disadvantage through Early School Leaving.

Children and young people who are identified as requiring a targeted support must be referred to the SCP using the SCP Referral Form.

Parental consent to refer to the SCP must also be obtained.

The Home School Community Liaison (HSCL) coordinator in each school is responsible for supporting teachers in obtaining parental consent and completing the referral form.

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Quarryvale/ Balgaddy School Completion Programme

Improving Educational Outcomes
for children and young people in
Quarryvale & Balgaddy

Referrer Information Leaflet



What is the School Completion Programme?

The School Completion Programme (est. 2002) is a targeted programme which aims to increase the numbers of children and young people staying in primary and post primary school and in doing so improve the numbers of young people who successfully complete the Senior Cycle, or equivalent. The primary focus of the Programme is to work with those identified as being at risk of educational disadvantage through early school leaving.

The SCP aims to impact positively on school:

- Attendance;
- Retention; and
- Participation.

The SCP is a national programme, and an action under the Department of Education & Skills DEIS – 'Delivering Equality of Opportunity



Schools Supported by SCP

The Quarryvale/Balgaddy SCP Project cluster supports the following schools;

- *Divine Mercy JNS
- *Divine Mercy SNS
- *St Bernadette's JNS
- *St Bernadette's SNS
- *St Kevin's CC

When can SCP provide support?

The 4 pillars of support SCP provides for children and young people;

- In School Supports
- After School Supports
- Holiday Supports
- Out of School Supports

The SCP works with children and young people in primary school, post primary school and in out of school settings who may be at risk of educational disadvantage through leaving school early.

Support SCP can offer

The Quarryvale/Balgaddy SCP provides a range of targeted supports and interventions in designated disadvantaged schools and communities designed to support the retention of children and young people in education. These supports can include;

- Cooking Clubs
- Drama Clubs
- Sports Clubs
- Science Clubs
- Homework Clubs
- Breakfast Clubs
- Mindfulness
- Arts and Crafts
- Gardening Clubs
- Board Games
- Lego Club
- Meditation
- Yoga
- Literacy & Numeracy Supports
- Social Skills Programmes
- Transfer Programmes
- Holiday Programmes(Easter/Summer)
- Behaviour Management Programmes
- Self Esteem Programmes
- Anger Management Programmes
- One to One Supports
- Reengagement with Education