## EDMONDSTOWN NATIONAL SCHOOL

## Scoil Náisiúnta Baile Éamoinn

## **School Ethos / Mission Statement**

Edmondstown National School is a Roman Catholic, Co-Educational Primary School operating in the Parish of Our Lady of Good Counsel, Ballyboden, Dublin 16. The school is under the patronage of the Catholic Archbishop of Dublin and operates under the guidelines of the Department of Education and Science.

In Edmondstown National School, we aspire to cater for the individual learning / educational needs of the child in a caring collaborative environment where the contributions of all the partners in our school community are valued.

Edmondstown National School is situated in the foothills of the Dublin Mountains in a rural setting. The children come from a mixture of backgrounds, both rural and urban. It is a six-teacher school, comprising of four classroom teachers (including a teaching Principal), a Resource Teacher for Special Needs, a shared Learning Support Teacher, who is based in our school, and two Special Needs Assistants. In Edmondstown National School, we encourage equality of participation in all school activities.