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FRENCH EXCHANGE 2015/2016

27th April 2015

Dear Parent /Guardian.

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I am pleased to inform you that thankfully we are in a position to continue to offer our long established French exchange programme to second years again next year. The exchange will follow a similar format to the previous years. During the month of October 2015, the French correspondents will spend a week in Ireland with their Irish families. Various activities will be organised for both French and Irish students during that week.

Our students will go to France in April 2016, the specific dates have yet to be agreed with the French school. They will be staying with a French host family during that week. Students will be accompanied by members of staff on this trip. Various activities will be organised by our exchange school for the school week.

When students commit to the exchange programme they will be asked to fill out an information form outlining contact and passport details, interests, hobbies, etc. Links with a corresponding French student will then be established with our co-operating French school.

The cost of this exchange will depend somewhat on flights to and from France. However it is expected that total costs will be in the region of €350. We would require a deposit of €100 to secure a place, please use the school's online payment system. If you wish your son/daughter to partake in the exchange, please complete the form below and return it to your child's French teacher by Friday 8th May 2015.

If you have any further queries regarding the exchange please do not hesitate to email on info@stcolmcilles.ie

Regards,

Mr. John McKennedy
Principal

French Exchange Team

Return Slip

I am interested in my son/daughter _____ travelling on the French Exchange.

I have paid a deposit of €100 online -----.

I have enclosed cash/cheque for €100 -----.

Signed: _____ (Parent/Guardian)

Principal: Mr. John McKennedy

Deputy Principal: Ms. Aileen Ryan