## **SCQF Ambassadors 2023-24**

As SCQF Ambassadors we picked up on where the previous Ambassadors left off. They had gained the SCQF Ambassadors Bronze award in June 2023, and we were set the task of leading the school to a Silver award. The good news was that we were already well on the way to getting the silver award as we had met the criteria regarding staff awareness, all the new courses introduced across the senior phase and our connections with employers and colleges, offering lots of exciting opportunities and different qualifications. So, it was down to us, as the Ambassadors, to do all we needed to reach the silver award.

2023/24 began by planning all the ways we would engage pupils and parents/carers. Mr Gardiner is the member of staff we were working with, and he took care of the staff engagement. He met with different staff groups and spoke to the whole staff on SCQF.



Whole staff meeting - SCQF information.

We planned visits to PSE classes, make presentations at school assemblies, have a stall at the Careers Fare and have a stall at every Parents' night. This was all to make sure we got the SCQF message to all pupils and their families.



SCQF Ambassadors presenting at an S3 Assembly





SCQF Ambassadors presenting at an S1 Assembly





SCQF Ambassadors speaking to pupils/parents at the Careers Fare



SCQF Ambassadors at their stall at the S5/S6 Parents' night

We were also part of an SCQF Ambassadors focus group where we were able to speak to Ambassadors from other schools and give our thoughts on SCQF, our successes, and the challenges of being a team of SCQF Ambassadors.

We also made a fun (but informative) video on what SCQF is and how our school have improved the options in our senior phase pathways. You can access this below.

We are just about to submit all the evidence for the SCQF to consider and we hope to have our silver award very soon! We'll keep this blog updated with the news.