

HAPPEE

What?

The **HAPPEE** project is designed to improve outcomes for children at St. Mary's by placing University of Limerick students from physiotherapy, speech and language therapy and occupational therapy in the school.

The UL students - supervised by clinical supervisors from St. Gabriel's Foundation and supported by UL - will work with school staff, whole class groups, individual children and their families to support the children with any needs they may have.

The UL students will work with families/caregivers/the school on how they can help the children at home and in school to achieve their functional goals.







HAP

Health Alliances for Practice-based



The HAPPEE Project will benefit all children in your school;

- The programme involves your school working together with clinical therapy students and their supervisors to support children in their day to day school life.
- The school principal and teachers will decide what are the important things to work on for your school.
- The UL students will offer different levels of supports to the school and its pupils; whole school support, targeted support for classes/group and more individualized advice and support.



The HAPPEE project has the ability to create a multi-disciplinary approach that will benefit all the children in the school. This transformative project will help increase educational outcomes and attainment

Eoghan O'Byrne, Principal, St. Mary's National School



PEE



Professional Education and Engagement

We need your help to make HAPPEE a success



We have two years funding to show that **HAPPEE** can make a difference

We need evidence to convince policy makers to support the programme.

- Support the Children: The pupils may be involved in different activities through the HAPPEE project in school e.g activity groups. Encourage them and get involved at home as well.
- Give us your feedback we need to know what is working and where we can improve and will be asking for your opinion in surveys or focus groups. We may also ask you for quotes that we can use when making our case to policy makers.
- Promote the programme we have funding for two years but will need to find more funding after that. Speak to your local politicians about the programme.
- Follow and share our progress on social media @UL_Engage



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