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Dear Parents/Guardians

Your school has a large garden where each class has a plot and each pupil has the opportunity to plant something and enjoy the experience of harvesting their produce. Each class requires a number of willing parents to organise planting and generally oversee the activity. Each plot is approximately 4 x 1 metres.

Generally we meet after drop-off in the mornings at the garden and do whatever work, weeding, digging is necessary. Most of the activity is in Springtime when planting is done but September and October are busy too with getting the plots ready for winter. Commitment is for an hour or two per week during the busy periods.

We aim to have each pupil grow something they can take home to grow in their own garden …..or something they can take home and eat! We have a number of committed gardeners at present but with some 6th class parents having moved on we need new blood so I'm writing to ask that you consider this form of support for your child's school.

I will be co-ordinating the activity and can advise on planting etc. We will be meeting next Tuesday 6th September in the garden from around 9.15am if you'd like to come along we'd be delighted to see you. If you wish to contact me, please do so whenever it suits – I'm Frank Kelleghan, Grand-father of Alice in 4th Class, Ruth in 2nd Class, John in S.I. and father of past pupil Neasa their mother and husband of Finola Murphy who works as an SNA in the school. My number is 087 7830669 and I look forward to talking to you

All the best,
*Frank*