

City of Dublin Education and Training Board

Service Plan 2023

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1. City of Dublin ETB Background and Statistical Information

City of Dublin Education and Training Board (City of Dublin ETB) was established on 1st July 2013 under the Education and Training Boards Act, 2013 and is the state education and training authority for Dublin city. It serves the area covered by Dublin City Council, which stretches from Finglas and Coolock (north and north-east of the city) to Ringsend and Ballyfermot (south and south-east of the city). City of Dublin ETB operates 24 schools and colleges, 9 Youthreach Centres, two Training Centres, and an Adult Education Service operating in five separate areas across the city. It also provides an education service in seven Prisons and funds a range of Community Training Centres and Local Training Initiatives.

This provision is delivered by over 3,200 staff to up to 30,000 learners (12,000 full-time and 17,500 part-time) and is supported by services that include post primary education, further education and training and youth services. It also includes a school psychological service, a curriculum development unit, a buildings maintenance unit and an administrative staff in its Head Office in Ballsbridge. City of Dublin ETB is also responsible for the national awarding authority for student grants in Ireland, Student Universal Support Ireland (SUSI) and has statutory responsibility for the delivery of Youth Services in Dublin city.

Service	No. of Full time Students Academic Session 2021/2022
Post Primary Schools	3,376
Post Leaving Certificate (PLC)	5,850
Other Learners	Number of Beneficiaries* Calendar Year 2022
Apprenticeships and Traineeships	2,583
Education Service to Prisons	13,395
Youthreach Programme	902
Adult, Community and Other Education	20,895

*Beneficiaries are defined by SOLAS as any person that has participated in any course during the academic year

2. City of Dublin ETB Strategy Statement 2021-2025

City of Dublin ETB's Strategy Statement describes its mission, vision and commitments as set out in its strategy document 'Statement of Strategy 2021-2025'.

Mission

Our mission is to provide professional high-quality education and training services for people in Dublin city that contributes both to the personal development of the individual as well as to the overall social, economic and cultural development of the city – helping you learn, helping you grow, helping you develop

Vision

Our vision Is to:

- Lead on the development and delivery of education provision in Dublin City.
- Actively provide inclusive, professional, high-quality Education and Training in Dublin City.

- Respond to the developing and emerging need for education provision in Dublin City.
- Deliver programmes that provide suitable qualifications for, and progression routes into more advanced education courses, training programmes and employment.
- Develop a comprehensive Youth Service in Dublin City.
- Deliver a well-managed, efficient and fully accountable national awarding authority for student grants.

Belief

Our core belief is that every person has a right to access Education and Training opportunities that will enable them to achieve their full potential.

To support the individual to achieve their potential it is necessary for us as a service provider to be:

Inclusive:	we are open to all learners who can benefit from the courses that we offer and who come within the legislative scope of our services.
Respectful:	we respect the right to equal treatment for all persons availing of our services, respecting the rights of the individual including respecting the person and their right to privacy.
Responsive:	we are responsive to the changing needs of people and society especially the needs of people who are socially disadvantaged and/or unemployed
Enabling:	we provide opportunities to enable people to achieve their Education and Training potential.

3. City of Dublin ETB Priorities for 2023

This plan sets out City of Dublin ETB's priorities for 2023. The priorities listed have been identified in line with the four-pillar strategy set out in City of Dublin ETB's Strategic Plan 2021-2025 and in accordance with the Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) agreed with the Department of Education for 2023

Profile	People	Pedagogy	Processes
 Identity Organisational vision Communication 	 Organisational culture Staff Learners Staff/Student/ Learner voice Staff Development 	 Teaching, Learning and Assessment Student supports Andragogy 	 Administration, organisation and support systems Quality Assurance Governance

City of Dublin ETB priorities for 2023 are set out below using the following colour coding:

- City of Dublin ETB/DE KPI's 2023
- Primary and Second Level Schools
- FET

- Youth Services
- SUSI
- OSD
- Finance/Procurement

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
City of Dublin ETB/DE - KPI	Optimise Student/Learner Experie	nce	
 Provide a positive learning experience for all learners, including learners from marginalised groups 	 Further develop Learner Voice in our schools, ensuring that learner experience is positive 	 All schools to have an active and supported Students Council 	 Operating in all 11 post primary schools by Quarter 1. City of Dublin ETB Student Council Forum by Quarter 4
marginalised groups	 Ensure a wide range of subjects and programmes are offered, to meet the diverse needs of learners 	 Schools offering Junior Cycle, Senior Cycle, JSCP & LCA programmes 	 A minimum of 8 schools to be offering all four programmes by Quarter 3
	 Implement capital plan for minor building works and refurbishment(e.g. painting programme) as required 	 Improvement in the physical/aesthetic environment of learning 	 Improvement of physical environment of learning centres
 Support students/learners at risk of educational disadvantage in line with current national policy 	 Ensure all available supports available are utilised to support at-risk learners 	 Delivery of full range of DEIS supports in each of our DEIS schools. DEIS planning supported through Head Office PLN All DEIS schools to offer the Summer Programme 	 To provide additional Head Office supports to schools on DEIS planning, through a PLN and DEIS Co-ordinator, by Quarter 3 Quarter 2
	 Music Generation Dublin City (MGDC) to deliver outreach music programmes 	 Engagement with 25 schools/centres in 2023 	Quarter 4
	 Ensure that our Psychological Services focus on the most vulnerable learners within our system 	 Action Plan on Survey findings, to ensure all initiatives are targeted 	Quarter 1
	 Further develop working relationships between our schools and our Youth Services 	 A minimum of 3 formal engagements between schools and Youth Services 	Quarter 4

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
	 Support the Digital Strategy Framework 	 All schools implementing the Digital Strategy Framework 	 All 11 post primary schools utilising technology regularly
Ensure full compliance with the Child Protection Procedures for Primary and Post Primary Schools 2017	Establish a new Governance Checklist	All 11 post primary schools and 2 primary hospital schools have all necessary policies and child safe- guarding measures in place	Governance Checklist to be completed and returned by all 13 schools in Quarter 3
City of Dublin ETB/DE - KPI	Protection Programmes		
 Assist the DES, as needed, to meet the needs arising from the Irish Refugee Protection Programme and provision for international protection applicants 	 Further embed the REALT Programme 	 All schools with needs are fully supported 	Quarter 1
City of Dublin ETB/DE - KPI	Governance		
 Attendance rates at board meetings. 	 Record of attendance and follow up as required 	 Full attendance and regular reminders of requirement to attend meetings 	 On going regular at each meeting
 Board Self Assessments 	 All boards should carry out self- assessments using the questionnaire included in the Code of Practice to identify areas where improvements are required. Annually at designated committee meeting 	 Self-assessment completed by Committees 	Quarter 3 2023

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
	 Documentation by June 2023 with Board discussion on findings by September 2023 at the latest. 	Self-assessments complete	Quarter 3 2023
 Financial expertise on audit and finance committees 	 Appointments to audit and finance committees will be made by City of Dublin ETB in consultation with committee chairs. 	 Sufficient financial and governance expertise on audit and finance committees 	 On-going with regular review
	 External members of committees should bring the required audit and financial skills and experience to the role 	 Annual review of skill set and self assessment of each committee 	 Designated board meeting
 Board appraisal of work carried out by Finance and Audit & Risk Committees 	 The chair of City of Dublin ETB will ensure that board members are provided with written reports on the work carried out by finance and audit & risk committees as required under the Code of Practice for Governance of ETBs 	 Evidence that appraisal has been completed recorded in Board minutes 	 Compliance with obligations under the Code of Practice for the governance of ETBs
 Self-Assessment by Finance and Audit & Risk Committees 	 The chairs of both the audit & risk committee and the finance committee will ensure that a self-assessment exercise is completed annually as required under the Code of Practice for the Governance of ETBs 	 Evidence that self -assessment has been completed 	 Annually at designated committee meeting. Documentation by June 2023 with Board discussion on findings by September 2023 at the latest.
			 Self-assessment completed by Committees

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Staff Development (other Staff Development is provided throughout this plan) 	 The chief executive should ensure that: training needs analysis in financial management is carried out on an annual basis 	 Annual Training Needs Analysis carried out 	• Q2 2023
	-a training programme on financial management is developed and implemented	Programme developed and delivered	Q2 2023
	The chief executive will ensure that a member of staff is appointed as the training manager	Training Manager appointed	Training Manager appointed and full monthly/annual staff development programme implemented, tracked and recorded
	 Establish needs of staff in respect of training/continuing professional development across all staff categories 	 Delivery of training programmes to meet the identified needs of staff 	 Increased ability of staff to deliver/support delivery of City of Dublin ETB programmes
	 Continue to promote CPD for all leaders 	 Increased engagement with CPD 	 City of Dublin ETB staff facilitating and presenting at sessions. On-going throughout 2023
	 Development of 'Train the Trainers' programmes 	Programmes in place	 Professional co-ordinated leadership across the organisation
	 Update the Safety and Ancillary Safety Statements for City of Dublin ETB to 	 Improved morale and productivity 	 On-going
	 include a review of how health and safety issues and obligations are communicated to staff 	 Improved staff well-being and retention 	 On-going

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	 Further develop Teacher Leadership Programme 	 Comprehensive leadership initiatives from all participating schools reflected in reporting 	 Representative group of teachers from all schools participating 	
	 Develop new Aspiring Leaders Programme 	 Programme developed 	 Staff participating from all schools on programme Q2-4 	
 Departmental reporting deadlines 	 Adherence to reporting deadlines set by the Department 	 All departmental deadlines will be adhered to and tracked throughout the year to ensure compliance 	 Determined by each individual deadline 	
 Risk Management Policy 	 Migration and full implementation of the revised policy and procedures for Risk Management in City of Dublin ETB 	 Corporate and Directorate Registers in place and local capacity to progress risks as required 	 Quarter 1 2023 	
	 Audit and Risk Committee to support the Board in this role 	 Audit and Risk Committee supported in this function by Corporate Service staff 	 Quarter 1 and throughout 2023 	
 Internal Controls 	 The board will ensure that it receives adequate assurance that specified controls are operating as intended. 	 Maximise the efficient use of financial and staffing resources across scheme 	 Compliance with legislative and regulatory obligations 	
Pillar 1 - Strategic Goal 1Promote the organisational vision and identity of City of Dublin ETB as the provider of choice for the delivery of high quality education and training services and facilitator of youth services, in the city of Dublin				

	Priority	Action		Performance Indicator		Target
•	Communities around the city of Dublin to be fully aware of the range of our educational provision	 Continue to develop and implement an effective communication strategy, promoting the achievements of City of Dublin ETB schools 	•	Each school utilising their website and social media pages effectively.	•	All 11 post primary and 2 primary hospita schools to be active on social media
		 Ensure our Rebranding Strategy takes root in schools 	•	Continuity of communication Schools using new branding	•	Develop a common # to be used in all posts e.g. #CityofDublinETBSchools
•	Develop and implement a rebranding strategy for City of Dublin ETB	 Publish branding strategy and guidelines Quarter 1 2023 	•	New Branding is use on all Publicity Material	•	Quarter 1-4
		 Launch City of Dublin ETB website 		New website launched.		Q1-2
•	Re Brand City of Dublin ETB	 Completion and Launch of Rebrand project 	•	Improved recognition and awareness in the Dublin City education sphere	•	Quarter 1 2023
•	Ensuring that City of Dublin ETB staff understand and can articulate the City of Dublin ETB vision and mission and how it shapes their practice and service offering	 Host regular, open consultation meeting with staff and second providers on key QA themes beginning with the City of Dublin ETB vision and mission and its implications for practice 	•	2 roundtable events held as part of the PLD calendar	•	Quarter 4
	Create opportunities to promote youth work across Dublin City	 Showcase youth work supported by the City of Dublin ETB including participation in ETB day, greater use of social media and website, creation of profiles of projects & case studies of work 	•	Youth work more explicitly recognised in wider policy plans and documents	•	Quarters 1 to 4

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	 Ensure that data provided by projects/services through reporting mechanisms is captured and then utilized by the ETB in the development of plans and initiatives 	 Greater awareness of the place and value of youth work 	 Quarters 1 to 4
 To become more data- informed in order to better inform Youth Services and the City of Dublin ETB 	 Data exercise to be undertaken to articulate place and value of youth service and for use cross directorate. With new census data from April 2023, to engage a researcher to develop a report "CDETB Youth Count" : 	 Capturing Feedback from stakeholders 	Quarters 1 to 4
Pillar 1 - Strategic Goal 2	Raise the profile of City of Dublin E delivering national education and t		ally and contribute to shaping and
 Developing City of Dublin ETB's involvement and profile with ETBI and nationally 	 Ensure City of Dublin ETB is represented on a variety of local, regional and national committees 	 Director of Schools to be involved in at least one national committee, helping to shape national policy 	 Director to become involved by end of Quarter 1
	 Continue to engage with ETBI committees to ensure the City of Dublin's voice is heard 	 Director of Schools to be involved in a minimum of two ETBI committees 	Quarter 2
 Update City of Dublin ETB promotion stands to use at national events 	 Develop/Update City of Dublin ETB stand for use in Higher Options and World skills event 	 Stand developed in line with feedback given and used at higher options / world skills 	 Quarter 3

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•	Develop new Apprenticeship Programmes	 Gain approval to develop youth work apprenticeship with Maynooth University 	 Approval to develop granted to youth work consortium 	Quarter 3
•	Develop a two plus two programmes in partnership with HES sector	 Explore developing a second 2 : 2 programme in PTECH with DFEHERIS, NCI & DE 	 Agreement reached with PTEC partners to develop 2 plus 2 programme 	 Quarter 4
•	Develop a two plus two programmes in partnership with HES sector	 Employ staff member to develop Digital Media programme in partnership with KWETB and IADT 	 Staff member employed by one of the partner organisations 	 Quarter 1
•	Deliver New IT Apprenticeships for the Civil Service	 Deliver IT Apprenticeships for Civil Servants in Software Development, Computer Networking and Cybersecurity 	 100+ New Apprenticeships started by Quarter 2 	 Quarter 2
•	Develop Higher Level ESOL Programme in Partnership with DDLETB	 Develop a New ESOL Programme at a higher level aimed at migrants and displaced Ukrainians who have 3rd level qualifications in their own country but need to improve proficiency in English. 	 New Programme Developed and approved for use in City of Dublin and DDLETB 	Quarter 2
	Google Certification	 Manage and deliver new Google online courses and make freely available to all Learners and Staff 	 Over 800 learners registered on courses by end of Quarter 4 	 Quarter 4
•	Apply for devolved responsibility for programme development and management from QQI	 Engage with QQI on the process devolved responsibility including piloting the validation/revalidation of a number of programmes through a our processes 	 Auctioneering apprenticeship and at least 1 other programmes piloted through a devolved responsibility process 	 Quarter 2 and Quarter 4

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 Strengthen the Employer Engagement Unit 	 Business case submitted to SOLAS to increase staff in Employer Engagement Unit to enhance capacity 	 Sanction for additional staff 	Quarter 2
 Engage with stakeholders to enhance research capacity to identify sectoral needs 	 Identify and provide supports required to research, develop and deliver work- based learning programmes to cater for sectoral, local, regional and national needs. 	 Offer support at events hosted by external stakeholders such ETBI, DSP, Chambers, Regional Skills etc. 	Quarter 1
 Increase the capacity of City of Dublin ETB staff in the area of EDI 	 Work in partnership with TCD to develop and secure validation for a post graduate diploma in equality, diversity and inclusion in FET 	 Post grad diploma offered in October to City of Dublin ETB FET staff 	Quarter 4
 Provide clarity and communication on the role of the City of Dublin Youth Services 	 Development of a comprehensive Communications Policy including use of digital, website and social media channels 	 Tracking of comments using analytics to target enhancements 	 Quarters 1-4
Pillar 1 - Strategic Goal 3	Develop and enhance the core valu and practices so as to deliver highly stakeholders	-	bed these values into daily routines for all students, learners and
 Further embed our work on Ethos, with our schools, supported by ETBI 	 Play an active role in the establishment of our Patron's Framework 	 All schools fully aware of the Patron's Framework 	Quarter 1
 Have an active role in the activation of our Patron's Short Course 	 At least one school to be a pilot school for implementation 	School in pilot	Quarter 3

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 Further promote the work of our Ethos Co-ordinator and Ethos Leads 	 Each school to have an Ethos Lead teacher 	Ethos lead inplace	Quarter 2
 Ensure that City of Dublin ETB staff understand and can articulate the City of Dublin ETB vision and mission and how it shapes their practice and service offering 	 Staff roundtable discussions will be tabled as part of the PL&D calendar. 	 3 Per year beginning in 2023 	Quarter 1
 Embedding core values within the organisational structure of City of Dublin Youth Service 	 City of Dublin Youth Ssevice are implementing the Strategic Plan 2022- 2025 	 Enhancement in achieving some of the goals 	 Quarter 1-4
,	 To ensure the City of Dublin ETB core values are reflected in the daily 	 Review of roles/mapping process 	 Quarters 1-4
	operations of our work and in our engagement at all levels in the youth work field and with all relevant stakeholders	 Bi-annual staff days 	 Quarters 1-4
 Student focused, high quality Communications and Customer Services 	 Work with current outsourced service provider to ensure high levels of customer service. 	 Application/Process timeliness 	 DFHERIS-City of Dublin ETB Performance Metrics Quality Assurance Process Quarter 4
 Manage an effective and timely annual grant cycle 	 Implement actions from current training review of outsourced provider 	 Service levels met/exceeded 	 Updated 2022 Service Level Agreements and KPIs City of Dublin ETB/SUSI – Monthly Reviews with Outsourced Service Provider
	 Open earlier than ever for grant applications and optimise staffing in 	 Customer satisfaction metrics 	 Positive training feedback from Support Desk – Quarter 3

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
	order to manage increased application volumes	 Customer complaints monitoring 	Q1-4
Continued Quality Assurance	 Continued development of quality assurance team and leadership to monitor assessment 	Volume reportingQuality Score	DFHERIS-City of Dublin ETB Performance Metrics Quality Assurance Process Q 4 DFHERIS-City of Dublin ETB Performance Metrics Quality Assurance Process Q 4
Pillar 1 - Strategic Goal 4	Foster highly effective communicat	ion and collaboration within an	d without the organisation
 The Senior Leadership Team to work collaboratively across various areas 	 The Education Directorate to work on at least one cross-sectoral initiative/programme 	 Successful programme or policy to be implemented 	Quarter 3
 Create opportunities for leadership teams to meet and discuss key issues and developments 	 Host 2 FET leadership meetings per year to discuss key developments (leadership teams from 60 centres) 	 2 meetings held with minimum of 80% attendance at each 	Quarter 4
 Develop City of Dublin ETB wide guidelines for communication protocols 	 Ensure all communications are clear, accurate, relevant and accessible both within and without the organisation 	 Guidelines Completed and distributed to centres and staff 	Quarter 3
 Improve communication and collaborate between the FET development teams, local quality teams and across regions 	 Review, update and encourage the use City of Dublin ETBs' Sharepoint as a method of communicating with staff 	 Increased use of Sharepoint 	 Quarter 2-4

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 Improve communication and collaborate between the FET development teams, local quality teams and across regions 	 Allocate a named member of the FET Development Unit to every centre (5 regions) 	 Publication of FET organigram on CDU web site 	Quarter 2
 Increased collaboration with stakeholders 	 To increase our engagement with various relevant City of Dublin ETB staff by networking and collaborating on various initiatives 	 Attendance and engagement with area networks 	 Quarters 1 to 4
	 Maintain and develop key relationships with a range of 	 Key messages captured, shared and used to improve services 	Q1-4
	 stakeholders including government departments, statutory agencies, funded organisations 	 Internal Quarterly planning and review meetings 	Q1-4
	 UBU Your Place Your Space Performance Oversight Engagement Framework (POEF) fully implemented including Planning Progress Review Meetings (PPRM) 	 New developments and interactions documented and recorded 	□ Q1-4
	 To facilitate youth work collaboration meetings 	 Facilitated online Youth Work Sector meetings well attended. 100 PPRM meetings carried out across the City 	 Quarter 3
	 Collaborate with a range of stakeholders in communities with identified gaps in youth work provision; including research initiatives, pilot outreach initiatives and funding submissions 	 Positive engagement in support of the sector with CYPSC/ETBI/NEIC/IMMA 	 Quarters 1 to 4

	Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
•	New SUSI Website	Launch new SUSI website	 Target audience reached 	Quarter 1
			 Website analytics 	
	Outreach events / Information campaigns	 Organise SUSI Information Event. Strategic attendance at relevant events. 	 Volume of contacts to the Support Desk 	Quarter 2. Ongoing
•	Internal communications	 Continued use of resources and information available to service users (student, applicants, families) via the website, social media, advertising 	 Volume of contacts to the Stakeholder Helpdesk 	 Maintain number of contacts to helpdesk per application. Measured on an ongoing basis
		campaigns, call centre, media	 Timeliness of submissions 	Quarter 4
			 Launch of Microsoft SUSI Hub for staff 	Ongoing
			 Staff feedback 	Ongoing
•	To improve internal and external communication	 Completion and launch of new website 	 New website to go Live 	Quarter 1 2023
			 Analytics monitoring 	
		 Develop and Launch new internal newsletter 	 Engagement level monitoring 	Quarter 2 2023
		 Introduce a range of additional marketing/awareness campaigns and new communication medium including a City of Dublin ETB App 	 Volume change in visitors and interaction on City of Dublin ETB digital platform 	 Increased enrolments - ongoing
		 Review of proposed Sharepoint site by SLT 	 Delivery of new staff intranet via Sharepoint 	 Quarter 1 2023 carried over from 2022 plan

	Priority	A	ction		Performance Indicator		Target
		areas of respor	ormation campaigns in nsibility (e.g. FOI/DP and ompliance areas)	•	Raise the profile and brand awareness of City of Dublin ETB locally and nationally	•	Quarter 1 2023
		 Instigate renew across the sche 	ved DP on-line training eme	1	increased awareness of responsibilities in respect of governance and compliance issues	•	Information campaigns in each quarter of 2023
				1	Improved data protection culture in the organization	•	Implement Privacy Engine quarter 1 2023 to support document control and training records
				1	Digital media metrics and measurements	•	Raise the profile and brand awareness of City of Dublin ETB locally and nationally
		marketing/awa new communic	nge of additional preness campaigns and cation medium including ETB App and Podcast	•	Volume change in visitors and interaction on City of Dublin ETB digital platform	•	Increased enrolments
•	Effective communications across the scheme to promote the implementation of good practice in Finance	training initiativ	elopment of targeted ves for Principals/Heads centre administrative		Development of structured training programmes	•	Provision of targeted training programme in 2023.
•	Effective communications across scheme to promote the implementation of good procurement practice	relevant staff in	communication with h business units and er good procurement	•	Production of information updates for Schools and Centres to promote compliance.	•	Ongoing 2023

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Pillar 1 - Strategic Goal 5		Promote active and responsive strategic networks and partnerships with key stakeholders in the context of a changing economy and society				
 Continue to develop and organise meaningful and responsive Professional Learning Development opportunities 	 Do this by liaising with our PLD team Recruit a post primary teacher to work within an expanded PLD team 	 Further embed some PLD courses, whilst developing others in response to emerging needs Further focus on the PLD needs at post primary and primary 	 Quarter 4 			
 Increase engagement with representative organisations 	 Increase engagement with Dublin Chamber, local Chambers, IBEC and other Industry Representative bodies 	 Increased attendance at representative organisation events 	 Quarter 1 			
 NEIC Engagement 	 Continue to support the NEIC government initiate and implement the recommendations of the NEIC report 	 NEIC Recommendations implemented 	 Quarter 3 			
 Industry representation on FET Governance committees 	 Invite industry representatives to sit on QA governance committees 	 Industry representation on QASP 	 Quarter 1 			
 Responding to priority emerging issues 	 To identify key partners to participate in key strategic networks as they relate to our key organizational priorities. 	 New developments and interactions documented recorded and prioritized in line with youth work policy and City of Dublin ETB plan Establishment of the initial services 	 Quarters 1 to 4 			

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Inform national Youth Work policies using a ground-up approach 	 Engagement and development of two new services as Pilot initiatives based on identified needs 	 Establishment of the initial Services 	 Quarter 3 - 4
	 Ongoing capture of sector trends by Liaison Officers 	 Funding programmes are designed to recognise impact and outcomes being created over long periods of time, and have greater flexibility within them 	■ Q1-4
	 An Area Profile update will be undertaken and following a review of the profiles, 51 new Service Requirements will be created to meet the needs of targeted young people 	 51 new fit-for-purpose Service Requirements created for the city of Dublin 	 Quarter 3
	 Collaboration with youth work organizations to support the development of new volunteer-led clubs/groups in areas of need in the city of Dublin. The target number of new start-up clubs is 4 	 Establishment of 4 new volunteer-led clubs 	 Quarters 1-4
	 Utilisation of 4 Networks of youth work providers to ensure that the issues, concerns & achievements of the youth work sector in Dublin are articulated and recognized 	 10 network meetings held in 2023 	 Quarters 1-4

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
To develop stakeholder input with a focus on being young person-centred	 To develop several stakeholder groups under the office of the Director: the first will be a Young People's Forum; as well as a Volunteer management forum; a Regional youth service forum; and a Youth work project forum 	 Establishment of a young peoples Forum. Completion of planning stages for 3 Forums 	Quarter 2
 Build on current stakeholder relationships 	 Annual update and meeting with SUSI Advisory Group. 	 Meeting in place 	 TWG meeting Quarter 3
 Develop new stakeholder relationships 	 Continued service provision to SUSI Stakeholder HelpDesk and SUSI Support Desk. 	 Service provided 	 PQ Response Deadlines for DFHERIS met
	 Continue delivery of information campaigns to key stakeholders 	 SGAB Decisions 	 Stakeholder training delivered Quarter 2
	 Continue annual Technical Working Group meeting 	Meeting takes place	Q1-4
	 Continue meetings with DFHERIS, Student Grant Appeals Board (SGAB) and SGAB administrative support personnel 		 Review meeting with SGAB scheduled Quarter 3
	 Creation of Events Calendar. Increase attendance at relevant events throughout the year to develop internal knowledge and external relationships 	 Events calendar 	 Events Calendar Quarter 1

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Build on current stakeholder relationships 	 Increase participation in national ETBI working groups 	 Enhanced knowledge of area of collaboration 	 Continuation of the sharing of expertise across the ETB sector and capacity to react to changes in legislation or additional requirements for the sector
Pillar 2 - Strategic Goal 1	Invest in staff development in orde culture in City of Dublin ETB	r to build professional capacity	and foster a positive organisational
 As with Strategic Goal 1.5, we need to continue to respond to emerging needs amongst 	 Continue to support in-house and external opportunities, in line with our PLD Policy 	 Expanding numbers of staff participating in PLD. 	Quarter 4
our staff		 Increase in number of staff applying for support, through our PLD Committee 	Quarter 3
 Embed structures to support staff access to PLD opportunities 	 Employ CEF for Professional Learning and Development 	 Staff member employed 	Quarter 2
 Clearly articulate the City of Dublin ETB vision, plans and strategy for PLD 	 Develop and publish FET PLD strategy and operational plan 	 Strategy published and uploaded to website 	Quarter 3
 Ensure staff in centres delivering the ELC programme are appropriately qualified 	 Sponsor ELC delivery staff to gain a qualification through DKIT 	 Staff secure places on the programme 	Quarter 1
 Continuous Professional Development 	 To update and review training needs analysis 	 Implementation of staff training plan 	Quarters 1 to 4

	Priority	Action	Performance Indicat	or Target
•	Embrace the voice of staff in strategic directionTo update and review training needs analysis	 To provide time for reflection ar discussion to explore shared visi and culture though peer and sha learning 	on at quarterly meetings	pation • Quarters 1 to 4
		 To establish a workplace wellbe committee 	 Engaged and well informed members 	staff Quarters 1 to 4
•	Training and Development Initiative Current Staff	 Analysis of SUSI TNA to input to Training Calendar 	 Uptake of relevant and recommended courses 	 Roll out of identified inhouse and externa training based on TNA data throughout the year
•	Achieve Certification in Excellence Through People (NSAI)	 Prepare and respond to NSAI au 	dit • Achieve a certification leve	I. NSAI Audit Quarter 1
•	Review and update current SUSI induction	Induction updated	 Staff retention 	 SUSI Induction Quarter 1
•	Staff development (Corporate	 Identify area-specific programm 		to the Identification of relevant programmes
	Services)	targeted at improving the know and skillsets of staff in the section		Completion of training programmes
•	Upskilling of staff (Human Resources)	 CPD Training for non- academic/instruction staff 	 Take up of CPD by CS staff. 	 CPD provided to 30-50% of CS staff Quarter 1 to Quarter 4
		 Engage with CDU to source appropriate CPD training. 	Enhanced skills	
•	Staff Development (Health & Safety)	 Develop a targeted provision of and safety training initiatives for Principals/Heads of Centres (Heads Safety) 	training programmes	 Critical Incident Management Training wi be offered to all Principals/Deputy Principals/Heads of Centre

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	 Roll out schedule of training 	 Meet legal obligations with Health and Safety Authority requirements. Inclusivity of staff. Promote Health and Safety in the Workplace 	 Commencing Quarter 1 for completion Quarter 2
 Ongoing staff development 	 Identify a targeted provision of learning and development initiatives to improve and develop the knowledge and skillset of Finance and Procurement staff 	 Increased skillset relevant to roles and responsibilities. 	 Completion by staff of targeted training programmes
	 Ongoing Participation by staff in the HR/CDU led training programmes. 	Enhanced skills	 Completion of City of Dublin ETB specific training programmes in 2023
Pillar 2 - Strategic Goal 2	Harness and embrace the student/ leadership of City of Dublin ETB	learner voice and the voice of st	aff in the strategic direction and
 Embed and extend opportunities for Student 		 Each school to have an active Student Council 	Quarter 1
Voice in our schools and within City of Dublin ETB	meet, plan and train together	 Inspection Reports to note the presence of Student Councils and student voice within our schools 	Quarter 4
 Review Learner Survey and Data improvements 	Review and update the learner survey and use baseline questions to track trends and the impact of enhancements introduced. Provide both quantitative and qualitative data arising from learner assessment, and the learner experience of the process of integrity and approval of learner results	 Survey reviewed, Data Analysed and disseminated. 	Quarter 3

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 Amplify the learner voice on City of Dublin ETB governance groups 	 Add learner rep to QA governance groups 	 Add to QADG - Quarter 1, QASPC Quarter 3 	Quarter 4
 Involve young people in the strategic development of 	 Consultation activities and events in local communities 	 Implementation of new ways of working 	 Quarters 1 and 4
youth services	 A young people's forum will be one of the first initiatives undertaken 	 Elevation of the young person's perspective and voice in the planning of youth services 	 Quarters 1 and 4
Pillar 2 - Strategic Goal 3	Promote and facilitate, through sta working and delivery	ff collaboration, professional de	evelopment including new ways of
 Promote a culture of wellbeing and mindfulness amongst our school communities. 	 Psychological Service to further support school staff, through a Wellbeing PLN 	 Have a minimum of 8 schools represented at the PLN 	Quarter 3
	 Develop a City of Dublin ETB Wellbeing Week across all schools and centres 	 A Wellbeing Committee established in each school, with all schools participating in the Wellbeing Week 	Quarter 4
 Identify examples of good practice in teaching, learning, TEL and PLD initiatives and create and disseminate related promotional materials 	 Continually review operation of CoPs annually. Streamline CoPs. Ensure consistency across CoPs. 	 Examples of CoPs operating well shared. Times for CoPs Formalised. 	Quarter 2
 Promote and facilitate Continuous Professional Development (CPD) 	 Developing and rolling out training programmes 	 Use of different methodologies in delivery 	 Ongoing

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Upskill staff to ensure flexible workforce 	 Ongoing learning through attendance at external events 	 Staff training log 	 Throughout 2023
 MySUSI solution change management planning and implementation 	 Staff participation in SUSI Vision 	 SUSI Strategy completed and Action Plan initiated 	 Strategy in place Quarter 1
 Modernising communication within the HR environment 	 Develop and maintain individual continuous professional development plans in each centre 	 Localised plans in place across City of Dublin ETB 	 Implementation throughout 2023
	 Develop and maintain a central log of all training delivered to staff (CS) 	 Training logs in place for each centre 	 Central log to be in place Quarter 1 2023
Pillar 2 - Strategic Goal 4	Foster a culture of innovation and o wellbeing and raises aspirations of		pports personal growth and
 Continue to foster a culture of innovation, creativity and collaboration 	 Recruit a Learning & foster this work within City of Dublin ETB 	 New initiative developed and current initiatives further supported 	Quarter 3
	 Continue to support the range of PLNs currently offered. 		
	 Develop a minimum of one new PLN, to respond to emerging needs. 	 Range of PLNs to be further increased 	 Quarter 4
 Support the Quality teams as a mechanism for supporting quality improvement 	 Develop centralised FET Learner Support Hub for learners on FET programmes building on existing resources through CDU Moodle and ETBI Digital Library. 	 FET Support Hub created 	 Quarter 3

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Review Adult Education Service 	 Review current Adult Education Service operations and identify potential improvements including targets and goals set out in the ALL strategy 	 Review Completed and recommendations mapped out for implementation. 	Quarter 2
 Implementation of strategic plan 	 The processes will provide for enhanced personal growth, foster creativity and enhanced learning and development. 	 Completion and documentation of processes, evidence of creative processes implemented 	 Quarters 1 to 4
 Idea sharing 	 Introduction of development ideas via sub-groups as part of team meetings 	 The participation of staff in leading and developing new creative practices will promote personal growth and wellbeing 	 Quarters 1 to 4
Pillar 2 - Strategic Goal 5	Develop leadership capacity within	the organisation and build stro	ng and capable leadership teams
 To further develop leadership capacity and distributive leadership across our schools 	 Embed participation links with ETBIs Middle Leadership Programme 	 To have a minimum of 7 participants on this programme 	Quarter 2
	 Further develop our Aspiring Leaders and Middle Leaders Programmes 	 Each school to be represented on one or both of these programmes 	 Quarter 1 – 2
	 Trial new programme around Distributed Leadership and LAOS 2022 	 One school to be engaged in the process 	Quarter 1
 Provide ongoing training and capacity building opportunities for leadership staff 	 Provide executive coaching for the newly appointed FET managers and team development opportunities for the newly forming FET development teams 	 3 coaching sessions per year for AP/AEO in FET development roles, minimum of 2 team development days for new FET development teams 	Quarter 2

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Develop leadership capacity within local service providers 	 Designing of programmes to include staff training and development, as well as directing project delivery 	 New volunteers and people entering the profession 	 Quarters 3 and 4
	 To promote the learning supports/Bursaries available 	 Increase on uptake of grants in 2023 	□ Q1-4
	 Collaborative development of new training and skills programmes with other agencies and bodies 	 Numbers of people working in youth sector with qualifications at NFQ Levels 8 & 9 	Q1-4
 Leadership development 	 Develop leadership skills at management level 	 Successful recruitment and retention 	 Management Team event held Quarter 2
 Engage appropriate grades and number of staff to provide optimum support to the scheme 	 Progress the recruitment and filling of vacancies. 	 Successful recruitment and retention 	 Fill all vacancies each quarter and ensure panels are in place
Pillar 3 - Strategic Goal 1	Deliver high quality education and	training based on best practice i	in pedagogy and andragogy
 Promote high quality learning and teaching throughout our schools 	 Ensure that there is a Teaching & Learning Committee within each school 	 Checking that each school has established this Committee 	 Quarter 3 – September
	 Review the Teacher Induction Programme 	 Each school represented at the Induction 	 Quarter 3 – September
	 Develop an Annual Teach Meet for all post-primary schools 	 The majority of schools have participants involved 	 Quarter 4 – October

	Priority	Action	Performance Indicator Targe	t
•	Embed a culture of reflective practice and continuous improvement in and across the scheme	 Implement a monthly QA forum meetings between FET QA team and centre quality teams and use these to consult on Quality enhancement developments. 	 9 QA forum meetings take place in 2023 focusing on key QAE topics Quarter 1 Quarter 4 	
•	Enhancing Youth Services and Voluntary Clubs	 To provide training to Youth Services by the City of Dublin ETB Arts Support 	 Document the participation and report on learning outcomes Quarters 1 to 4 	
		Programme and Capacity, Building and Support Programme	 Increase on uptake of grants in Quarter 3 2023 	
			 Streamlining of these grants in Q1-4 2023 	
		 Upskill staff in creative youth work including Arts Programme Officer 	 Annual arts event Quarter 3 	
		working in partnership with local groups	 Delivered on the availability of Arts Initiatives to the sector 	
		 Highlight good practice in youth work via practice seminars and workshops 	 Level of interest and attendance recorded and reviewed 	
Pill	lar 3 - Strategic Goal 2	Foster cultural awareness and pro	note Irish Language	
•	Promote Irish within our schools, and not just as a subject, but as a living language	 Promote Seachtain na Gaeilge across all of our schools, using a common hashtag for social media promotion 	 All schools actively participating in SnaG. Social media utilized to promote the activities Quarter 1 – March 	
•	Develop FET Cultural initiatives and events through SCC	 Create a series of cultural events across FET through the SCC, coordinated and supported by staff in each FET centre. 	 FET Cultural events organised for Quarter 2 and Quarter 4 Quarter 2 and Quarter 4 	4

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Recognition and awareness of the different cultures within local communities 	 Monitoring of area profiles 	 Profiles created of groups and projects supported 	 Quarter 1-Quarter 4
Pillar 3 - Strategic Goal 3	Promote creativity, innovation and using digital tools	diversity of approach in learnin	g, teaching and training, for example
 Promote innovation and diversity, with a particular 	 Provide further PLD opportunities for teachers and school leaders 	 The majority of our schools to participate in this PLD 	Quarter 4
emphasis on digital skills	 Create a PLN for schools' digital leaders 	 All our one-to-one schools to be involved in this PLN 	Quarter 4
 Clearly articulate the City of Dublin ETB vision, plans and strategy for PLD 	 Develop and Publish the City of Dublin ETB TEL strategy 	 TEL strategy is published on the City of Dublin ETB website 	 Quarter 3
 Expand the CDU library of online resources 	 Create online introduction courses to support learners in the use of Moodle and MS 365. including TEL tools that support language development UDL approaches 	 Development and uploading of a minimum of 3 TEL introduction/induction videos, an updated TEL wheel outlining supported APPs and platforms in City of Dublin ETB 	Quarter 4
 Increase the flexibility of programme and course delivery through the publication of update Blended learning procedures 	 Publish updated Blended learning procedures including definitions of light, medium and strong blends, governance of each and recourses required by centres to offer courses under each of the headings 	 Publish updated blended learning procedures on CDU website 	 Quarter 1

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Improve the consistency of technology across centres and the flexibility of learning options through the development of hybrid classrooms in centres 	 Provide a minimum of two hybrid classrooms in each CFE and upskill staff in how to use these effectively 	 Hybrid classroom in every centre, with staff teams trained in using these effectively 	Quarter 4
 Respond to developments and changing uses of new technologies in youth work 	 Invest in staff skills to use digital technologies 	 Extended use of digital technologies in delivery of youth work 	 Quarter 1-4
Pillar 3 - Strategic Goal 4	Develop and support international	partnerships in learning, teachi	ng and training.
 To encourage exploration of international partners in promoting learning and teaching. 	 To link our schools with our International Desk, to explore the opportunities available to us 	 To have at least two schools embark on international partnerships 	Quarter 4
 Increase the capacity of City of Dublin ETB to participate in and learn from international projects 	 Apply for VET accreditation for City of Dublin ETB 'head office' if successful will allow City of Dublin ETB to increase our internationalisation engagement for the next 5 years 	 Application submitted to Leargas and approved 	Quarter 1
 Increase the capacity of City of Dublin ETB to participate in and learn from international projects 	 Apply for funding to carry out an audit of mobilisations to establish participation levels of learners from diverse backgrounds (disability, gender, age, ethnicity, full-time/part- time etc.) 	 Info data profile of learner diversity created 	 Quarter 4

	Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
•	Increase the capacity of City of Dublin ETB to participate in and learn from international projects	 Improve planning between international desk and FET development team to ensure greater alignment between international projects and FET development priorities around QA, learner support, PLD and TEL 	 Regular planning and development meetings scheduled 	Quarter 1
•	Increase the capacity of City of Dublin ETB to participate in and learn from international projects	 Apply for mobility funding to send members of the FET development team to visit VET centres in Europe to explore other models of QA and enhancement operating in VET 	 Application to Leargas completed 	Quarter 1
•	Increase the capacity of City of Dublin ETB to participate in and learn from international projects	 Apply for Erasmus plus KA2 Transnational Partner application for the development of Entrepreneurship in VET 	 Application to Leargas completed 	 Quarter 1
•	Continued engagement with KEKS with the development of digital youth work strategies	 Continued engagement and partnership with KEKS (Sweden) 	 Development of the Log Book system and enhanced reporting and documentation of Youth Work. 	 Quarters 1-4
		 Exploratory engagement with Leargas around possible initiatives in 2023 	 Supported Engagement of Dublin wide youth services with continued developments in 2023 	Quarters 1-4
Pil	lar 3 - Strategic Goal 5	Further develop highly effective, p levels	ractical and impactful student su	upport services at local and national
	Ensure our student support processes and systems are effective and impactful	 Every school to have access to Psychological Service on a weekly basis, under the All, Some, Few model. 	 The Psychological Service to have an active presence in each school 	 All schools engaged by Quarter 4

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	 Ensure the Survey findings are embedded in practice 	 and to review its provision, based on the recent survey findings 	
 Develop Learner Supports and Engagement unit 	 Review existing supports available to learners in City of Dublin ETB FET service spheres. Roll out student support service to all colleges of further education 	 FET Learner support team created. Team 	 Quarter 1 Quarter 4
 Develop and support collaborative partnerships in project development and training (national/regional) 	 Formalisation of partnership agreements with selected youth work organisations 	 Development of Youth Work Apprenticeship programme in partnership with ETB, national YW organisations and universities 	 Quarters 1-4
 Continue to support and develop high quality young person-centred and evidence- 	 Collaborative development of training and skills programmes with other agencies and bodies 	Programmes iniplace	Quarters 1-4
based learning	 Facilitate open and shared learning between groups projects 	 Bursary Grant 	Quarters 1-4
	 Facilitation of forums between local groups and projects 	 Training grants to voluntary groups and clubs 	Quarters 1-4
 Broadening of SUSI functions 	 Validate data for DFHERIS for relevant bursaries 	 All assessments completed in DFHERIS timeframe 	 DFHERIS-City of Dublin ETB Performance Metrics Quarter 4
 Deliver 22/23 Budget Changes 	 Process and pay applicants under new PLC Bursary for Displaced Persons (Ukraine) Scheme 	 All New and Renewal Assessments completed 	 Assessment Quality Assurance Metrics Quarter 2-Quarter 3

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Deliver 23/24 Grant Scheme Changes 	 Process and pay applicants under International Protection Student Scheme 	 Payments processed 	 Budget changes for 22-23 Implemented Quarter 1
 SUSI Support Desk 	 Implement additional threshold and payment band 	 Thresholds and bands implemented 	 23/24 Scheme Changes Implemented Quarter 2
 Increase in New Applications for 23/24 year 	 Review assessment processes in line with 2023 Scheme and Budget changes 	 SGAB decisions 	 PAQA Programme Completed Quarter 4
 Increase in Reassessments for 23/24 year 		 Post Assessment Quality Audits 	 DFHERIS-City of Dublin ETB Management Framework Agreement Quarter 4
Pillar 3 - Strategic Goal 6	Promote and avail of opportunities services in the city of Dublin	to expand and enhance the pro	vision of education and training
 Continue to expand our provision of education services and the number of learners availing of those services 	 Explore further patronage and reconfiguration opportunities, especially at primary level. 	 To have completed constructive meetings with Archbishops House and the Independent Facilitators appointed by the DE 	Quarter 3
	 Increase our enrolment figures by 7.5% 	 Numbers to increase by 7.5%, with a particular emphasis on increased enrollment in our two school with less than 200 learners 	 Quarter 4 – October
	 Be involved in the piloting of our new Patron's curriculum short course 	 One of our schools to be a pilot school 	 Quarter 3 (if available from ETBI)

	Priority	Action	Performance Indicator Target
•	Enhance the visibility of City of Dublin ETB and demonstrate the wide variety of opportunities open to learners	 Update the City of Dublin stands for use at higher options and world skills event. 	 New Stands with new branding in situ for events.
•	Contribute to the National Drugs Strategy by	 Administer funding in line with the Memorandum of Understanding 	 SLA's in place with each funded entity End January 2022
	administering funding to 25 Interim and Emerging Needs Drugs Projects		 Compliance process implemented Commencing 2022 and throughout the year
Pil	llar 3 - Strategic Goal 7	Pursue and support excellence in t and evidence based.	eaching, learning and assessment practices that are learner centred
•	Pursue the goal of high quality learning and teaching throughout our schools	 Ensure that there is a Teaching & Learning Committee within each school 	 Checking that each school has established this Committee Quarter 3 – September
		 Review the Teacher Induction Programme 	 Each school represented at the Induction Quarter 3 – September
		 Develop an Annual Teach Meet for all post-primary schools 	 The majority of schools have participants involved Quarter 4 - October

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Enhance City of Dublin ETBs ability to update programmes through an application to QQI for devolved responsibility 	 Engage with ETB sector and QQI to co- create programme development and validation processes including templates. Recruit and train panel members to support programme validation beginning with the auctioneering apprenticeship revalidation. 	 New templates approved for use, sharing agreement negotiated 	Quarter 4
 Enhance City of Dublin ETBs ability to update programmes through an application to QQI for devolved responsibility 	 Validate a minimum of 4 new programmes this year. 	 Community action, digital citizenship, Climate Justice, barista, 	 Quarter 4
 Enhance City of Dublin ETBs ability to update programmes through an application to QQI for devolved responsibility 	 Update PMDC membership and function, to incorporate apprenticeships and include working groups 	 New ToR approved and published 	Quarter 2
 Enhance City of Dublin ETBs ability to update programmes through an application to QQI for devolved responsibility 	 Recruit and train panel members to support programme validation (begin with the auctioneering revalidation) 	 Minimum of 2 panels held by City of Dublin ETB for the validation/revalidation of programmes 	 Quarter 4
 Enhance City of Dublin ETBs ability to update programmes through an application to QQI for devolved responsibility 	 Recruit and train programme development and management QA staff for the CDU 	 Training sessions held with QQI and in-house with new staff submitting a programme for validation 	 Quarter 2

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 increase the number of programmes available for delivery in City of Dublin ETB centres 	 Apply for differential validation for micro credentials 	 QQI approves City of Dublin ETB to deliver a minimum of three new micro-awards 	Quarter 3
 Enhance City of Dublin ETBs ability to update programmes through an application to QQI for devolved responsibility 	 Replace 21 level 6 modules across all City of Dublin ETB programmes with the 21 modules reviewed and updated as part of the validation of the level 6 digital media programme 	 Modules replaced on the CDU Moodle site and implemented by centres in 2023/24 academic year 	Quarter 3
 Enhance City of Dublin ETBs ability to update programmes through an application to QQI for devolved responsibility 	 Develop partnerships with HE to co- create and offer programmes leading to degrees (2&2) beginning with Youth work - NUI Maynooth, digital media NCAD and PTEC – NCI (National College of Ireland) 	 Modules replaced on the CDU Moodle site and implemented by centres in 2023/24 academic year 	Quarter 3
Pillar 4 - Strategic Goal 1	Create, develop and maintain high enhance the learner experience in (ments and infrastructure so as to
 Ensure learning environments are maintained to a high quality 	 Continue to work closely with the Director of OSD to ensure that school premises and infrastructure needs are met 	 Attempt to meet project milestones and deadlines 	Ongoing
	 Creation of new special classes across City of Dublin ETB schools 	 Continue to expand the provision of special classes, by creating 2 new special classes 	 Quarter 3 - September

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Review learner supports and FET provision 	 Create 2 working group: one group to undertake a strategic review learner supports across all FET provision and one group to develop a city wide approach to planning and marketing of FET provision with a multi-location multi school of learning model. 	 Groups established, each group completed aims by June. 	• Establish Quarter 1, Report Quarter 3
 To promote high quality buildings and infrastructure for all staff and learners (Capital) 	 Marlborough St. Campus / Cathal Brugha Street 	 The delivery of milestones in line with agreed building programme 	 Appoint Project Manager - Quarter 1 - subject to funding
			 Project Manager to appoint Design Team - Quarter 2 - subject to funding
	 Marino College – Science Room Upgrade 	 The delivery of milestones in line with agreed building programme 	 Project completion Quarter 2 2023
			 Tender to be evaluated in January 2023
	 Summer Works Scheme Kylemore College – replacement of boundary 	 The delivery of milestones in line with agreed building programme 	Contractor apointed
	fencing		 Project completion Quarter 1 2023
	 Additional Accommodation Scheme – 	The delivery of milestones in line	Contractor appointed
	Colaiste Dhulaigh PP ASD Suite	with agreed building programme	 Project completion Quarter 1 2023
	Solas – Inchicore CFE - Roof works	 The delivery of milestones in line 	 Tender drawings being prepared.
		with agreed building programme	Onsite Quarter 2 2023
	•		 Design team to be appointed

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
	SIUF Funding – Inchicore CFE – replacement of prefabs	The delivery of milestones in line with agreed building programme	 Decanting of students required. Completion Quarter 3 2023
	 Solas Funding – Colaiste Dhulaigh FE – Greendale campus. Roof works 	 The delivery of milestones in line with agreed building programme 	 Tender for Consultant Quarter 1 2023
			Completion Quarter 2 2023
	 Additional Accommodation – Presentation CC – permanent build 	 The delivery of milestones in line with agreed building programme 	 Design team to appoint contractor Quarter 2 2023. Completion 2026. Pending DE approval.
	 Additional Accommodation – Clonturk CC temporary 	 The delivery of milestones in line with agreed building programme 	Contractor on site
			Completion Quarter 3 2023
	SWS – Larkin CC – Roofworks	 The delivery of milestones in line with agreed building programme 	 Contractor appointed Completion Quarter 2 2023
	 Clogher CC – Gates 	 The delivery of milestones in line with agreed building programme 	 Pending funding - Q3 completion
	Colaiste Dhulaigh FE – Disability Access	The delivery of milestones in line	Tender evaluated
	🗆 - Lift	with agreed building programme	Completion Quarter 3 2023
	 Head Office Canteen Refurbishment 	 The delivery of milestones in line with agreed building programme 	 Consultant appointed Quarter 2 2023
	 SWS Ellenfield CC – window replacement 	 The delivery of milestones in line with agreed building programme 	 Completion Quarter 3 2023

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
	 SWS – Kylemore College – Science lab 	 The delivery of milestones in line with agreed building programme 	Completion Quarter 3
 Sustainability and energy usage reduction (Energy) 	 Commence pilot initiative to install remote building heating management Systems in 2 centres. 	 Successful pilot. 	 Project completion Quarter 4 2023
	Facilitate SEAI energy audits across	 Audits complete. 	 Project completion Quarter 3 2023
	City of Dublin ETB centres	 Energy saving projects identified 	
	 Investigate pilot EV charging points in centres. 	 Report on pilots 	Quarter 2 2023
	 Participation in ETBI Climate Action Group 	 Develop sustainability and climate action strategy across ETB sector 	 Climate Action Strategy – Quarters 2 to 3 2023
		 Identify projects across the sector through engagement of Specialist Sustainability Advisor 	
	Energy Awareness Training	 Provision of energy awareness training across all centres 	 Training completed – Quarter 2
 Ensure effective and efficient use of resources to enhance the delivery of youth work services 	 Regular communication and engagement with funded groups 	 Continuation of delivery of youth services being offered by groups and projects 	 Ongoing

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target			
Pillar 4 Strategic Goal 2	Pursue the modernisation and improvement of systems, processes and structures to support Schools Colleges and Centres in their delivery of education and training					
 Continue to develop modern, digitalized systems, which provide efficient supports to our schools, colleges and 	 Continue to work on the streamlining of the Recruitment system 	 All teacher and SNA recruitment to be completed through <u>www.etbvacancies.ie</u> 	Quarter 2			
centres	 Ensure schools have timely, regular access to their accounts, thereby ensuring proper governance 	 School accounts available online, when Finance Shared Services is implemented 	Quarter 3			
 Undertake a strategic FET Systems and Administration across all FET provision 	 Establish working group to propose a system for the centralised recruitment and registration of learners. Investigate the use of multimedia tools in collaboration with TEL group. 	 Group established, each group completed aims by June. 	 Establish Quarter 1, Report Quarter 3, TEL Quarter 4 			
 Development of systems, processes, and structures 	 Update procedures manuals and procedures to enhance efficiencies and effectiveness in our youth work function. 	 Continue to update and review procedures manuals. 	 Quarter 1 to Quarter 4 			
	 To identify and assign specific staff resources to develop projects and clubs in the city of Dublin 	 Clear project plan in place to deliver systems 	Quarter 1 to 4			
 All systems are up-to-date Data feeds 	 Upgrade GoL development framework to the latest supported version 	 GoL running on eSeries Version 21. 	 Quarter 1 DFHERIS-City of Dublin ETB Performance Metrics = 99% system uptime target met Quarter 4 			

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Protect SUSI from threats across devices, identities, applications and data 	 Upgrade IBM FileNet to latest supported version 	 Database High Availability enabled. 	Quarter 1
 GOL Upgrade 	New GRO API	 Refresh of front and backend servers running GoL 	Q1-4
 Upgrade Shelbourne House network switches SUSI Microsoft Tenancy 	 Microsoft Threat Management Suite of applications to protect SUSI users, data and devices 	 Abtran web services upgraded and running on supported Operating Systems 	 Ongoing 2FA Quarter 2
 Implement government cost of living measures on SUSI systems 	 Implement 2 factor authentication 	 Deployment of Microsoft InTune Advanced Threat Protection 	Ongoing
	 Replace end of life Cisco network switches with new technology 	 Zero impactful cyber security events as a result of stricter management and control of SUSI users, data and devices on the new SUSI Microsoft Tenancy 	 Microsoft Quarter 4
	 Migrate SUSI users and data to a new 	 RFI Completed 	Quarter 1
	Microsoft tenancy	 Business Case Completed 	Quarter 2
		 Tendering Commenced 	Quarter 3
	 Progression of MySUSI solution managed by the Project Office 	 MySUSI supplier on board 	 Quarter 4
 Implement Service Level Agreements with external stakeholders 	 Identify stakeholders, develop and implement appropriate SLAs 	 SLAs developed and implemented 	 Compliance with good governance

	Priority	Action P	erformance Indicator	Target
•	Ensure effective data protection		ncreased expertise among staff nd stakeholders	 Increased awareness and knowledge of data protection
		 Completion of data-mapping process Data data data data data data data data	ata mapping process completed	 Embedding data protection principles with all staff and stakeholders
	Improved Records Management/ Improve accessibility and storage of physical files	during 2022 M	ompliance with Records Ianagement policy and with ata Protection principles	 Implementation of Privacy Engine Records Management System Quarter 1 2023
•	Risk Management	 Introduction of IPB Risk Model Red developed specifically for ETB sector 	oll-out of new Risk Model	 Migrate to new system and Implement Quarter 1 2023
		su	n going training and follow up upport to Principals, Deputy rincipals and Heads of Centre	 Throughout 2023
			ompliance with audit ecommendations	 Full migration Quarter 1 2023
		Log risk register declarations Declarations	eclaration	 Quarterly basis throughout 2023
		 Carry out site visits to review risk registers 	ite visits	• Q1-4
•	Compliance with Data Protection principles		ompliance with Data Protection equirements	 Head Office to have complete ROPA record in compliance with Data Protection requirements

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
	 Introduction of Privacy Engine to support the implementation of the Date Protection Policy and Procedures 		 Increased Data Protection culture in the organizatio Quarter 1 2023
 Transfer to ESBS Payroll Shared Services (HR) 	 Shared Services – transfer to HR/Payroll Shared Services (HR) 	 Hold regular Project team meetings. 	Go-live Quarter 1 2023
	 Ongoing engagement with ESBS to migrate data to shared HR/Payroll system (HR) 	 Meet relevant milestones as outlined in the agreed project plan. 	
 Complete an upgrade of the online Part-time claim system (HR) 	 Upgrade current system 	 UAT and training to be delivered 	 To be completed in Quarter 1 2023
 Provide a high quality and state of the art IT environment (IT) 	 Upgrade network in Ballyfermot & Finglas Training Centres 	 Complete Upgrade in Finglas 	 Quarter 1/ Quarter 2 2023
	 Work with our contractor and Shared Services to ensure a smooth transition to new payroll system 	 Payrolls transferred successfully on time 	Quarter 1 2023
	 Upgrade Head Office firewalls 	 OGP tender competition will be commenced in early Quarter 1 2023 and will take 3 months to complete. 	 Quarter 2-Quarter 3 2023
Staff development	 Develop a targeted provision of training initiatives for Principals/Heads of Centres 	 Development of structured training programmes 	 Provision of targeted training programmes in 2023.

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
	 Develop a targeted provision of training initiatives for administrative staff in Head Office and Centres 	 Development of structured training programmes 	 Provision of targeted training programmes in 2023
 Ongoing review of the operation of new Learner Payment system for VTOS and Youthreach learners (Wave 2) implemented in 2022. 	 Ongoing planning and engagement with the relevant stakeholders (ESBS and City of Dublin ETB centres) to ensure that the necessary support service is in place for the current academic year 2022/23. 	 Continued Successful payment of Wave 2 learners on the Learner payment system. 	 Effective operation of the Learner Payment system in 2023
 Ongoing review and development of the operation of both the Apprentice and Learner Payment systems 	 Ongoing engagement with ESBS in relation to process reviews and developments 	 Reduction of number of manual adjustments required to the system 	 Implement process improvements in conjunction with ESBS
 Implementation of City of Dublin ETB Finance Consolidation Project 	 Continued engagement with the ESBS project team, system providers and City of Dublin ETB Stakeholders in relation to the planning, testing and training for go-live of the updated Financial Management System (SUN V6.4) and Purchase to Pay (P2P) 	 Successful implementation of systems, SUN V6.4 and Purchase To Pay (P2P) 	 Go-live planned Jan 24
	 Ensure the necessary ESBS support and aftercare service is in place post go-live. 	 Supports in place 	• Q4
Strategic Goal 4	Foster and support a culture of creating new circumstances and contexts	ativity and innovation which em	braces adaptation and change to

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Continue to identify, develop and support effective and innovative practices 	 Be responsive to the emerging needs of schools 	 Schools have priority access to new PLD and training opportunities, alongside potential pilot programmes 	 Ongoing to Quarter 4
	 Ensure that the Patron's Framework is embedded within our schools 	 All schools attend meetings/training and change in language and some practices 	 Ongoing until Quarter 4
 Increase CPD and teaching capacity in new technologies 	 Support tutors to upskill to achieve industry recognised qualifications/ develop mechanisms to employ industry subject matter experts 	 15% Increase in PLD application in relevant areas 	 Quarter 3
 Support youth work groups to be creative and innovative 	 Seek and capture evidence of processes in use 	 Groups apply for and receive grants they are eligible for to enhance service delivery 	 Quarter 3
	 Regular communication and engagement with funded groups. 	 Continuation of youth services being offered by groups and projects 	 Quarter 4
	 Updates shared regarding upcoming changes to programmes, legislation, etc 		Quarter 3
 SUSI as Digital by Default organisation 	 Fill newly sanctioned FT Grade VII Digital Lead post 	 Role filled and cross functional Digital Team created 	 Quarter 1 post advertised
 SUSI Change Management prep for MySUSI 	 Enable staff to identify issues & contribute to solutions 		Continue Quarter 1-Quarter 4
Pillar 4 - Strategic Goal 5	Deliver on the effective and efficien enhance the delivery of education,		of resources (human and physical) to

	Priority		Action		Performance Indicator		Target
•	Develop, promote and support best practice in good governance	•	Ongoing training for Principals in good governance practices	-	All Principals to participate	•	Ongoing until Quarter 4
		•	Deliver ETBI training to Boards of Management, around roles and responsibilities, especially in areas of Child Protection and Anti-Bullying	•	Every Board of Management to be represented, with special emphasis on Chairpersons attending	•	Quarter 1 (if available from ETBI)
		•	Governance checklist to be developed and circulated, ensuring high quality compliance	•	Every school to complete and return the checklist	•	Quarter 3
•	Update City of Dublin ETB 's QA governance structures, TOR's and Membership.	•	Update QA structures, including: Programme Management Development committee (PMDC), Quality Assurance Development Group (QADG). Update TOR's and expanded the membership of the PMDC and QADG including the development of topic specific working groups. Include at least one external expert on each of the City of Dublin ETB QA governance groups	•	Revised QA committees established	•	Quarter 1 and Quarter 2
•	To support funded organisations to meet the relevant governance and legal requirements as set out in the Service Level Agreements	•	Provide assurances to the relevant Departments that the public funds are appropriately disbursed for the provision of Youth Services/ Clubs and other initiatives with appropriate levels of control.	•	Complete relevant reporting relating to funding administered in a timely manner.	•	Quarters 1 to 4

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
	 Provide assurances relating to use of funding, governance and service delivery with regard to the conditions identified in the Service Level Agreement 	 Ensure financial oversight policies and procedures are in place and implemented 	Q1-4
	 Regular liaison with funded groups. 	 Implementation of Policy and Operational Rules of the UBU scheme and the performance & oversight framework 	Quarterly
	 Scheduling of Governance and Finance reviews and follow-up on outcomes 	 Governance and Finance reviews completed 	Q4
 Provide control oversight across financial operations 	 Management oversight on Budget and payments 	 Resource management – operational/grant expenditure 	Statutory timeframes
		 Response times Full complement of staff at all grades 	 DFHERIS-City of Dublin ETB Management Framework Agreement
Accessibility Compliance	 Implement Inquiries and Investigations Policy. 	 Fraud case management and quarterly reporting to DFHERIS 	Quarter 1-Quarter 4
 Effective and efficient governance across the ETB 	 Full Implementation of DES C/L 0002/2019 Corporate Governance 	 Effective Governance in line with the Code 	 Full implementation in 2023
 Effectively manage finances and risk 	 Robust financial control systems and Implementation of new model of Risk Management 	 Effective preventative and identification controls 	 Clear control mechanisms and implementation of new RM Quarter 1 2023
 Ensure the provision of a high- quality recruitment service 	 Review of recruitment processes and procedures (HR) 	 Streamlined process and procedures ongoing 	 Applications processed, interviews scheduled in timely manner

Priority	Action	Performance Indicator	Target
 Review of City of Dublin ETB Corporate Procurement Plan and update of Multi-Annual Procurement Plan 	 Completion of Corporate Procurement Plan 2023 and MAPP 2023- 2025 	 Submission of CPP 2023 and 3- year multi-annual procurement plan (2023-2025) 	 Quarter 4 2023 (as per ETBI Schedule)

4. Financial Report

City of Dublin Education and Training Board

Finance Report - Projected Receipts and Expenditures 2023

	Draft Projection Year ended 31 st Dec 2023	*Draft Actuals Year ended 31 st Dec 2022
RECEIPTS	€'000s	€'000s
Post Primary Schools and Head Office Grants	47,000	45,860
Primary Schools	200	340
Further Education and Training Grants	147,700	131,350
Student Support Services Grants	351,000	279,300
Youth Services Grants	20,500	21,300
Agencies and Self-Financing Projects	10,100	10,800
Capital	6,100	12,350
	582,600	501,300
PAYMENTS		
Post Primary Schools and Head Office	47,000	46,290
Primary Schools	200	210
Further Education and Training	148,700	134,870
Student Support Services	350,800	278,650
Youth Services	21,400	21,480
Agencies and Self-Financing Projects	9,800	10,500
Capital	14,600	8,700
	592,500	500,700
Cash Surplus / (Deficit) For Period	(9,900)	600
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