

## **LCVP – Link Modules Written Examination & NCL Proficiency Assessment – Saturday 08<sup>th</sup> May 2021**

An email issued to school Principals on Friday the 30<sup>th</sup> of April 2021 outlining important information concerning the LCVP written examination on Saturday 8 May 2021. Outlined below are the financial elements of this email.

### **Fee payable to superintendent**

The fee payable to the locally appointed superintendent is €180.60 for this examination. Note schools which have LCVP and also have candidates taking the Non-Curricular Language subjects are asked to utilize the same logistical and superintending arrangements for the NCL Proficiency Assessment which is being arranged by the Department of Education and commencing at 2 PM that afternoon running until 3.30 pm. In schools which have both the examination and the Proficiency Assessment the fee payable for superintending will be €240.80. The appropriate fee should be paid to the superintendent and a refund claimed from the State Examinations Commission. The exam superintendent must be registered with ROS and the payment processed through the school's computer payroll package. The appointment of the superintendent is covered under Class J PRSI. The rate of employer PRSI under this class is 0.5%.

Further information on the superintendent claim forms and reclaiming the fee will be made available to schools once the information is received from the SEC.

### **External Examiner**

The fee payable to the external examiner for the Non-curricular Language Written Proficiency Assessment is still being negotiated. Schools and examiners will be informed of the rate once agreement has been reached.

### **Reasonable additional costs**

Reasonable additional costs of cleaning, caretaking, PPE, etc., will also be met in line with [SEC Circular S15/21](#).