



**St Mary's CBS Portlaoise**  
**Weekly Career News Updates**  
**18<sup>th</sup> of May 2020**



- **Announcement from CAO**

On Friday 15<sup>th</sup> of May CAO sent a 'Statement of Application Record email' to Leaving Certificate students who applied to CAO by the 1st of February. Those who made a late application will receive an email at a later date. This email instructs you to log into your CAO account and verify that all of your information has been recorded completely and correctly. Failure to follow this instruction may have serious consequences for your application. See your 6<sup>th</sup> year Career Guidance Teams for further details.



- **Cork Institute of Technology** have been running a series of Live Q and A sessions on Instagram, which will continue until Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May. Further information is available on [www.cit.ie/cao](http://www.cit.ie/cao)

**Further Education and Training News**

- **Dun Laoghaire Further Education Institute**

Dún Laoghaire Further Education Institute (DFEI) are still open for applications for the 2020/21 academic year. There are 5 step application process for 2020/21 applicants. This process no longer includes interviews.

1. Apply online (no application fee required)
2. Receive an offer from us (on course or on waiting list if full)
3. Accept our offer (secure the place with a 40 deposit)
4. Register on course (pay fees and supply standard documentation)
5. Commence (take part in Induction and start course)

Applications can be made online at [www.dfei.ie](http://www.dfei.ie) and clicking on the Apply Now button. For further information on all our courses, please visit [www.dfei.ie](http://www.dfei.ie).

- **Inchicore College of Art and Design:**

Inchicore College of Further Education will be showcasing their first Online Creative Arts showcase exhibition on Thursday the 21st of May. This is a chance for our students from Art Portfolio, Costume Design, Furniture Design and Creative writing to share the amazing work they have produced during the year in ICFE.

Go to [www.inchicorecollege.ie](http://www.inchicorecollege.ie) on or after that date to explore the work and to see a selection of the work the talented students of ICFE have produced.

- **Blackrock Further Education Institute – Virtual Open Day**

Blackrock Further Education Institute are hosting a virtual open day for students.

Date: Wednesday 20th May 2020

Time: 2pm until 4pm

If interested, please register on Eventbrite: <https://bfei-virtual-open-day.eventbrite.ie>

- **Sallynoggin College of Further Education**

SCFE continues to accept applications online at [www.scfe.ie](http://www.scfe.ie). Applications will be processed remotely with interviews taking place through phone, email and other online platforms agreed with the applicant and course coordinator. Anxious Leaving Certificate students can rest assured that Leaving Cert/ CAO points are not required for enrolment on SCFE courses.

Any query regarding applications can be directed to [reception@scfe.ie](mailto:reception@scfe.ie) or by telephone to 01 2852997.