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To Whom It May Concern,

Thank you for your letter on 2nd December, concerning admissions within the Lucan area. As patron of five post-primary schools in the Lucan area, Dublin Dun Laoghaire ETB (DDLETB) is aware of the issues around admissions in the area.

In this regard, we have organised a meeting of the Principals of the schools to discuss ways in which we can streamline our application systems. This discussion will focus on agreeing common application start and closing dates. It will also explore the potential for a pilot common application system. However, there will be challenges to overcome for five schools, enrolling over 700 students per year, to completely align their application systems. Yet, we will explore the available opportunities.

Finally, in regards to transparency in providing information on capacity and demand, the Admissions Notice of each school, published on their websites, contains this information.

Thank you again for your letter and please be assured that DDLETB continues to work with its schools in Lucan, to provide fair, transparent and streamlined admissions processes.

Yours sincerely,



Mark McDonald,
Director of Schools, DDLETB.