



Special Announcement!!



We are delighted to let you know that we have just received a notification from the Science Foundation of Ireland that we have received a Gold Award for our work in science in the School. See correspondence from SFI below!!

Dear Helen Kelly,

Congratulations - your school has achieved an SFI Curious Minds Award. We have evaluated your Log of Evidence and we are satisfied that you have met all the criteria for the Gold Award.

Your school has provided evidence of children's engagement with STEM in the following areas:

1. Science
2. Technology
3. Engineering
4. Maths
5. STEM Showcase

Here is some feedback on your Log of Evidence:

Congratulations and well done to everyone at Burrane National School on achieving the SFI Curious Minds Gold Award 2023! Your submission clearly shows the amazing work you have done throughout this year in STEM. It was great to see your learners in different classes engaged in a wide range of exciting activities and projects.

We really enjoyed hearing about all the work you did learning about our shores! We bet your seashore safari was so much fun, and that you found lots of amazing species! The squid dissection looked so cool too! We're sure you were all super brave and weren't at all squeamish about its suckers!

Your work on your science expo was very impressive! Such a cool collection of different science investigations from all of the different strands and strand units. Your work using ICT to create PowerPoints for the event was brilliant too, lots of great colours and pictures! We're sure everyone who came along learned lots!

Well done to all!

Our Award will arrive in June!!

