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To whom it concerns

Clongowes Wood College has a long-standing relationship with families from Headfort School who choose to send their sons to us for their secondary education. As a boarding school community of 440 boys from Ireland and overseas, Clongowes is built on care for the individual, mutual respect, and our Jesuit values. We offer a broad academic and co-curricular programme, fostering high levels of student engagement and motivation.

The strong academic foundation that boys acquire at Headfort serves them well when they join us. They arrive with a deep sense of curiosity and strong teamwork abilities. The values instilled at Headfort prepare them exceptionally well for life at Clongowes, where they quickly demonstrate respect, confidence, and a genuine love of learning. They also excel in building meaningful relationships with both staff and fellow students.

Beyond the classroom, Clongowes is a vibrant environment for sports, music, and the arts. Our experience has shown that Headfort students quickly embrace the opportunities available to them, bringing an open-minded and assured approach that allows them to become valued members of our school community.

We very much appreciate the commitment of Headfort's Headmaster and staff, whose in-depth knowledge of their students helps to ensure a smooth transition to secondary school. Our experience is that Headfort boys thrive at Clongowes, and this is testament to the excellent holistic education they have received in their formative years.

Yours faithfully



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