**St. Mary’s National School Energy Action Plan**

**Goal: To ensure that everyone is aware of the Green Schools Energy programme and fully participates therein.**

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| **Action /Target** | **Person/ Group Responsible** | **Timeframe** | **Progress made** |
| Class Bin monitors or green school class reps will ensure taps are turned off and lights are not on unnecessarily in each classroom. | Children in all classes responsible for this. | Ongoing | This takes place on a daily basis. |
| LOLO signs for each class- last out lights off | 6th class | January 2013 | Achieved June 2013 |
| Door signs- “ Close door save energy” | Ms. Sullivan | January 2013 | Achieved |
| Place stickers on light switches - turn off lights | Green schools committee children | March 2013 | Achieved march 2013.reapplied in Nov. 2015 |
| Design posters for around school to remind children to be energy aware | Each class | May 2013 | Achieved Green schools Energy Day May 2015 |
| Greenest Classroom of the Week- GS committee members check bins, lights, taps in each room. Based on this, a class is awarded greenest class of the week. Displayed on GS notice board. | Sophie, Summer and Ava | March 2013 | Ongoing on a weekly basis |
| To inform the wider community of our Energy campaign through our school website and the local newspaper. | Ms. Dunne and Ava and Alannah will update website.  Ms Sullivan will contact “The Village Voice”. | Weekly/ monthly basis. Newspaper will be notified about GS events. | Ongoing |
| To have an Low energy day in our school | Green Schools Committee  Ms. Sullivan  Class teachers | May 14th 2014 | Achieved  Had another low energy day on November 13th “015 |
| To keep the school community informed through our Green Schools Notice board which we will update regularly | Ms. Sullivan | Ongoing | Updated regularly |
| Teachers will include lessons on electricity and energy conservation. | Each class teacher | Ongoing | All teachers have completed appropriate lessons and this will continue each year |
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