

Our green school outing.

On Thursday the 20th of May, we received our green flag for travel and transport as we have worked very hard to achieve our forth green flag. Two committee members, Rachel and Shawna and two teachers, Ms.O'Neill and Ms.Downey travelled to DCU to collect the flag. When we arrived we were greeted by some of the Helix staff and the head of green schools. We then took our photo with a green flag then we had some time to kill before the ceremony so we made a green school wish and tied it around a tree made of recycled products, and we were lucky enough to get another picture with a green flag and even the globe jumped in!

Then when it was finally time for the award ceremony to begin we took our seats and waited for everyone to settle down. When the room was quite, a woman called Anne Marie and the head of green schools said some words about how greens schools started. After we got on to the awards, there was a number of schools collecting their flags for different topics such as water, energy, recycling and just like us some schools were receiving their travel and transport flag. When they finally called Scoil Ide we walked up to the stage and we were given a flag and certificate. At the end Anne Marie congratulated the many schools participating in green schools this year.

Overall we, the committee and the teachers had an amazing experience; it turned out to be a fun filled day. We also got a green schools bag with a pencil made from recycled materials, a special greens schools pin and a water bottle. We were and will always be proud of our school.

By Rachel and Shawna of the green schools committee!

