

Student Universal Support Ireland (SUSI)

Dear Parent/Guardian

SUSI's online application system for Higher Education Grants is now open for applications for the 2020/2021 academic year. Please note that the priority closing date for **new** applications is the **9th July 2020.**

It is advised that you apply online as soon as possible. You do not need your son's Leaving Certificate results or your son does not need to have accepted a course in order to apply. You can simply supply the details of the course he hopes to study and update this course choice online at a later date.

Steps for Making a SUSI Application

- 1. Check the SUSI online **eligibility reckoner** on the SUSI website (<u>www.susi.e</u>) to selfassess your eligibility before submitting your application.
- 2. If eligible, **register** for an online account by creating a Username, Password and PIN prior to submitting your application.
- 3. Once you are registered for your SUSI account **submit** your application online.
- 4. **Supply** all requested documentation together and on time. Photocopies of original documents will suffice. Please ensure your application number is included with all supporting documentation.
- 5. **Progress** of your application can be checked by using the online tracker system on the SUSI website. You must login to your account to use this facility.
- 6. All applicants will be notified of the **outcome** of their grant application.
- 7. Higher education **grant payments** will be made to successful applicants following registration for their respective College course.

If you have any questions/queries please do not hesitate to contact us at:

mcy@naascbs.ie for Ms Conneely or

mc@naaacbs.ie for Ms Costello

Further information can also be found on the SUSI Website <u>www.susi.ie</u> and by viewing the video link here: <u>https://youtu.be/022M9QUwrRI</u>

Kind Regards

Guidance Team